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Manitowaning, Ont.
Indian Office, October 25th 1899

Acct



Sir,

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account amounting to \$27.75 in favor of Daniel Bisailon, for labor and material furnished in making repairs to the Whitefish Lake Indian School, the expenditure was authorized by Official Letter dated 11th August 1899.

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By
1368
Secy
10
Acct

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa

[Signature]

Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

No. of Acct.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To *J. D. Gemmell*

DATE.

AMOUNT.

Whitefish, Ont., Nov 6 1899

*At the Dept of Indian Affairs for Mrs. J. Bisaille
Whitefish Lake*



J. D. GEMMELL,

.... DEALER IN

Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Provisions, Etc.

TERMS CASH.

*1 Brown
1 Rust Pan
2 Scrub Brushes
12 Bars Soap
4 yds Laundering*

*\$ 25
15
25
60
40
\$ 165*

Josephine Bisaille, teacher.

216279

\$ 1 65-

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed, and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

C. R. D. Smith
Agent.

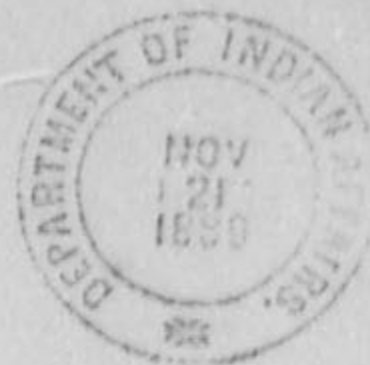
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Indian Office, Winitowanin, 18th November 1899

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account for \$1.65 in favor of J. D. Gemmell for supplies furnished for the White Fish Lake School.

The above was authorized by Official Letter dated 24th October 1899.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa

C. H. D. Smith

Agent.



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228519

No. of Acct.

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To *J. D. Gemmell*

DATE.

AMOUNT.

Whitefish, Ont.

Nov 5th 1900

*M The Department of Indian Affairs
per Mrs. J. D. Gemmell
Whitefish Lake Reserve*

Bought of **J. D. Gemmell.**

DEALER IN

Dry Goods. Groceries. Boots and Shoes. Hats and Caps.
Provisions. Etc., Etc.

TERMS CASH.

1 Brown		30	Josephine Bieailow
12 Bars Soap	1/2	60	
4 yk Louking	1/2	30	
1 asce		75	
6 Lights Glass	10	60	
2 Scrubbing Brushes	10	20	
		<u>2 95</u>	

1584

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed, and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

O. R. A. Lewis
Agent.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, 27th November 1900-

Acct



284--13 Sir,

Referring to Official Letter dated 12th Ultimo,
authorizing the purchase of certain articles for the use
of the Whitefish Lake School.

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in
favor of J. D. Gemmell of Whitefish Ont, amounting to
\$2.95 for said supplies.

*alc 82
for
for acct
1584*

I have the honor to be

Your obedient servant

SCHOOLS
NOV 30 1900

*Secret
b*

Agent

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.

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232178

No. of Acct.

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To

J. G. Sims & Co

1900 DATE.

AMOUNT.

Nov

20

For one cooking stove delivered
to the teacher at Whitefish
Lake

20 00

2678

20 00

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed, and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J. G. Sims

Agent.

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Ex'd.



151,715---5 Indian Office, Manitowaning, 21st March 1901-

SCHOOLS
JUL 4 1901



284---13

Sir,

Referring to Official Letter dated 29th October last, authorizing the purchase of a cooking Stove for the Teacher of the Whitefish Lake School.

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account for \$20.00 in favor of Messrs T.C. Sims & Co, which firm supplied the stove.

*82
Rat
WFO
Wash
2678
Sent 28 March*

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant

[Signature]

Agent

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

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OTTAWA, 5th July, 1901.

Sir,

I have to call your attention to the following extract from Mr Inspector O'Brien's report on the Whitefish Lake school:-

"The teacher might endeavor to enlist the co-operation of the larger boys in keeping the grounds neat and tidy, and of the girls in keeping the class-room more presentable. There seems to be an utter disregard for cleanliness on the part of the pupils; any attempt at reform in this respect should begin with cleaning up and keeping clean the grounds class-room floor, walls, windows, doors and wood work generally".

The Department would like you to advise the teacher of this school to be above effect.

Your obedient servant,

S. STEWART

Asst. Secretary

C. L. P. Sims, Esq.

Indian Supt.

Manitowaning, Ont.

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238596

No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To

George H. Lennon

No. DATE.		AMOUNT.	
July	8	1 Granite Wash Basin	35-✓
		1 " Pail	65-✓
		1 Broom	25-✓
		In Whitefish Lake School	
		JWS	
		#1. 25-	

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

W. A. Lewis
Agent.

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Ex'd.

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151715-----4 Indian Office, Manitowaning, 16th September 1901-

at

284---13

Sir,

Referring to Official Letter dated
30th May last, authorizing me to supply a pail,
broom and wash Basin to the Whitefish Lake
School.

I have the honor to enclose herewith an
account for \$1.25 in favor of Mr G.H. Lennon
which gentleman supplied the above mentioned
articles.

82
pay
for acct
for

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant

844
Sec'd
30 Sep.
O.H. Lennon

Agent.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.



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No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To *Robt 25th Martin*

DATE.		AMOUNT.
1902 May 17	Supplies for Whitefish Lake School	3 90

Sudbury, Ont., Aug 30th 1902.

M. Department Indian Affairs
Dominion Government.

Robt. Martin.

DEALER IN

Dry Goods. Gents' Furnishings. Groceries. Hay. Oats. Provisions. Boots.
Shoes. Rubbers. Trunks. Valises.

May 12	1 broom .25	1 arm chair 2.25	2 50
	6 bars soap .30	1 scrub brush .15	45
	1 lamp glass .10		10
	1 white wash brush .50		85
	freight .35	to Whitefish	3 90
			3 90

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O. A. D. Lewis
Agent.

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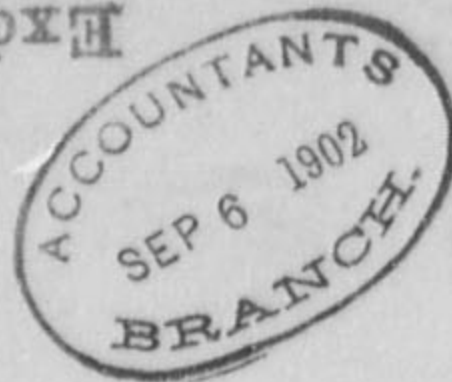
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151715-----4 INDIAN OFFICE.MANITOWANING,3rd September 1902-

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284---13

Sir,

Referring to Official letter dated
12th April last,authorizing the purchase of
a broom,chair,six bars soap, scrubbing brush,
lamp chimney and whitewash brush for the
Whitefish Lake School.

I have the honor to inclose herewith an
account for \$3.96 in favor of Robert Martin
who supplied the above mentioned articles.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant

Agent.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.

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OTTAWA, 7th July, 1903

EXD.

Sir,

Mr Inspector Prendergast in his report on the White Fish Lake school states that the teacher and some of the Indian of the neighborhood are anxious to have the schoolr-oom whitewashed. The Department would like you to have this work done during the holidays.

Handwritten:
L. J. G.
C. L. D. Sims
ms

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Secretary

C. L. D. Sims, Esq.

Indian Agent,

Manitowaning, Ont:-

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No. of Account.....

262842

To Michel Kootchtai

DATE.		AMOUNT.	
Aug	14	To Whitewashing and cleaning the Whitefish Lake School	4 00
			4 00

Ole a Leno

Agent.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, 19th August 1903-

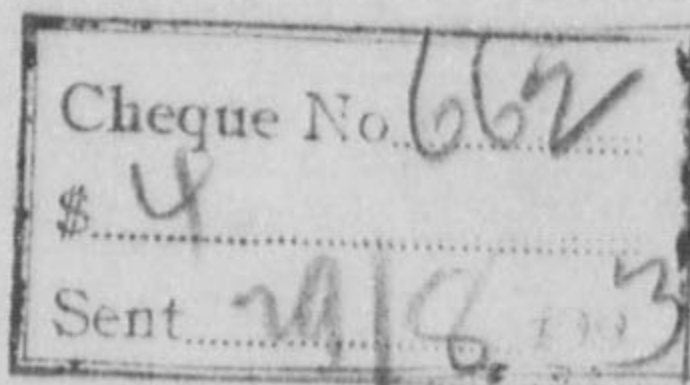
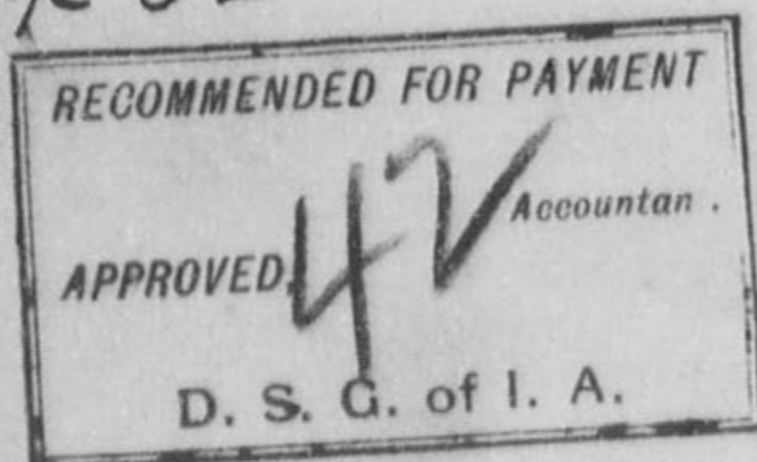
284---13,

Sir,

Referring to Official letter dated 7th Ultimo, with reference to having the School room at Whitefish Lake whitewashed.

I have the honor to inclose herewith an account amounting to \$4.00 in favor of Chief Michel Nootchtai, who performed the work.

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I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant

Agent.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Whitefish Lake School

No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

292575

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To *Frank Cochrane*

DATE
1905-

AMOUNT.

F. COCHRANE

IMPORTER AND DEALER IN
GENERAL HARDWARE

SUDBURY, CANADA

Dec 8

1905

ORDER NO.

SOLD TO

Manitowaning Indian Office

TERMS:

INTEREST AT 8% PER ANNUM ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

- 1 scrub brush
- 2 brooms
- 1 alarm clock
- 1 water pail

25

25

200

45

295

for whitefish school

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent.

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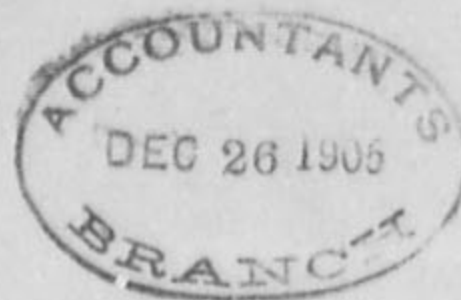
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Reference,
No 151,715--4

Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ontario.

19th December 1905-

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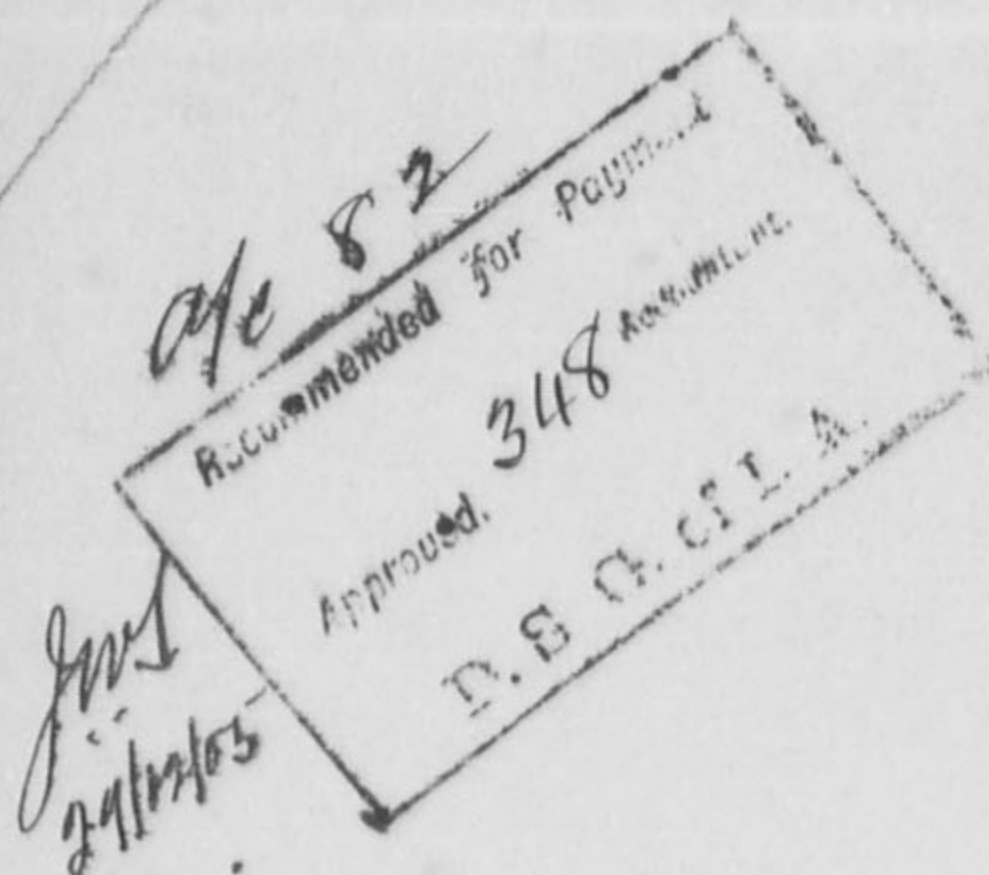
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Sir,

Referring to Official letter dated 26th
September last, authorizing the purchase of
2 brooms, 1 alarm clock, 1 water pail and 1
scrubbing brush for the Whitefish Lake School.

I have the honor to inclose herewith an
account amounting to \$2.95 in favor of F Cochrane
who supplied the articles to the school.

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2550 Sent 5 Jan 11

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.

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Schools

Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

7th November 1907-

284--16

Sir,

I have the honor to report that the Indian Day school at Whitefish Lake is in need of a new heating stove. The one in use is worn out and absolutely dangerous. The cost of a stove for this school will be about \$20.00 delivered at Naughton from which place it will have to be taken to the school a distance of about four miles.

Your obedient servant



[Signature]

Indian Agent.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.

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Ottawa, December 13, 1907.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 7th inst. I beg to say that you may purchase a stove for the Whitefish Lake school, the cost not to exceed the amount mentioned, namely, \$30.00.

Your obedient Servant,

E. D. MOLEAH

Secretary.

C.L.D. Sims, Esq.,

Indian Agent,

Manitowaning, Ont.

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151715/8

151715/8

Ottawa, January 10, 1908.

Sir,-

Referring to the repairs needed to and furnishings required for the teacher's quarters at the Whitefish Lake school, I beg to say that you may supply the floor oil cloth and five rolls of wall paper and two brooms asked for by the teacher.

You may also have what repairs are absolutely necessary to make the building habitable for the winter made, but the total cost for materials and labour should not exceed the amount mentioned ~~namely~~, namely, \$35.00.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEART
Secretary.

C. L. D. Sims, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

Request for these
repairs, etc. on No. 4.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs

To Oswald Hinds

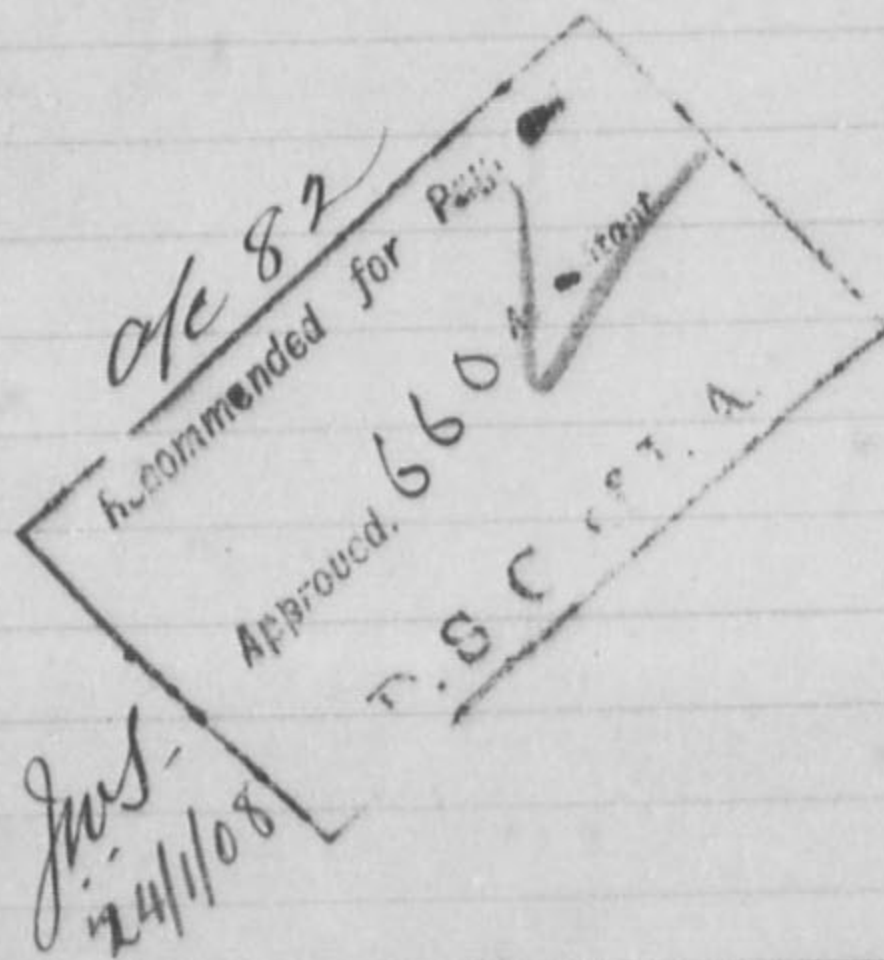
Manitowang Jan 22nd 1908

M^r Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

In account with Oswald Hinds

Jan 22nd 1 40 inch Heating Stove
Supplied to White Fish Lake School \$ 20 00
Delivered at Naughton Bay

Reference No 151715/5
13th December 1907-



4459
ck sent Jan 25th

20 00 ✓

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent.



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Whitefish Lake School
Manitowaning Agency.

No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

325133

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To *Minnie Fallu*

DATE.		AMOUNT.
	<i>D Baikie</i>	<i>96</i>
	<i>J. M. Stafford</i>	<i>7 90</i>
	<i>Currie Bros</i>	<i>1 95</i>
	<i>Jos Jalbert</i>	<i>85</i>
	<i>Jos Savard.</i>	<i>10 55</i>
	<i>Jam Jabawangud had</i>	<i>50</i>
		<i>\$ 23 01</i>

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

C. L. D. Sims.

Agent.

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Whitefish Lake July 3/18
Jann galawangquothad
account

I took some stuff
from Naughton
to the school

Paid

Jann galawangquothad

50

50

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Naughton Ont Feby 3/05
Joseph Savard Account

One day to go to Sudbury
to purchase the materials
for the school @ 2.

During 3 days and 3/4 I
have been working at
the school, carpentering,
papering, repairing the roof
of the shed, the doors,
cleaning the stores @ 2

Lodging in Sudbury
Freight from Sudbury
to Naughton
Fare to Sudbury

Paid
J Savard

Total

1/2			
7	50		
		9	50
	25		
	40		
	70		
		1	33
		10	55

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Naughton Feb 3/90

1898	2	pas fallent	total	60
Feb 3				
		Mrs. J. Samard		
"	"	4 lbs flour per P. 2.50		10
"	"	2 Brooms @ 30		60
				70

Paid
for fallent
White fish Lake
school

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Sole Agents for Sherwin-Williams Paints and Colors.

Sudbury, Ont.

July 31st 1908

M. Indian School

Whitfish Lake 325133

To PURVIS BROS., Dr.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS
AND IMPORTERS OF

SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE,
PAINTS, OILS AND GLASS.

Terms Cash or 30 Days Net.

Accounts Rendered Monthly and Must be Settled Promptly.

Bar Iron, Steel,
Saws, Axes, Files
AND MILL SUPPLIES
* * *
Guns, Rifles and
Ammunition.
* * *
Mining Supplies a
Specialty.

Stoves and Tinware
* * *
Screws, Nails, Locks
Knobs, Hinges
* * *
Leads and Colors,
Coal Oil,
Machine Oils, Etc.

Get by
for Seward

1 roll Dry Cyclone

75

2 pkgs. Jacks.

10

2nd nails etc

10

1 Nozzle Bolt

25

1st Jarred Sheathing

75

19

paid Purvis Bros

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Sudbury, Ont., 3rd July 1908
M. Joe Savard
~~white fish Lake~~ 325133

In account with **D. BAIKIE,**

— DEALER IN —

Books, Stationery, Fancy Goods, Etc., Etc.

ACCOUNTS RENDERED MONTHLY.

14 Rolls Paper 162²⁶
2 1/2 Border 6

84
12

96

*Recd
D. Baikie*

D. BAIKIE,
PAID
JUL 8 1908
SUDBURY, - ONT.

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Reference
No 151715/5
Jan 10/08

Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

21st March 1908-



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325133

W. H. H. H.
H. H. H.



284--16 Sir,

Referring to Official letter of above number and date authorizing certain repairs to be made to the teacher's quarters at Whitefish Lake school.

I have the honor to inclose herewith an account in favor of Miss Minnie Fallu, amounting to \$23.01 for repairs and material.

I have the honor to be

Sir

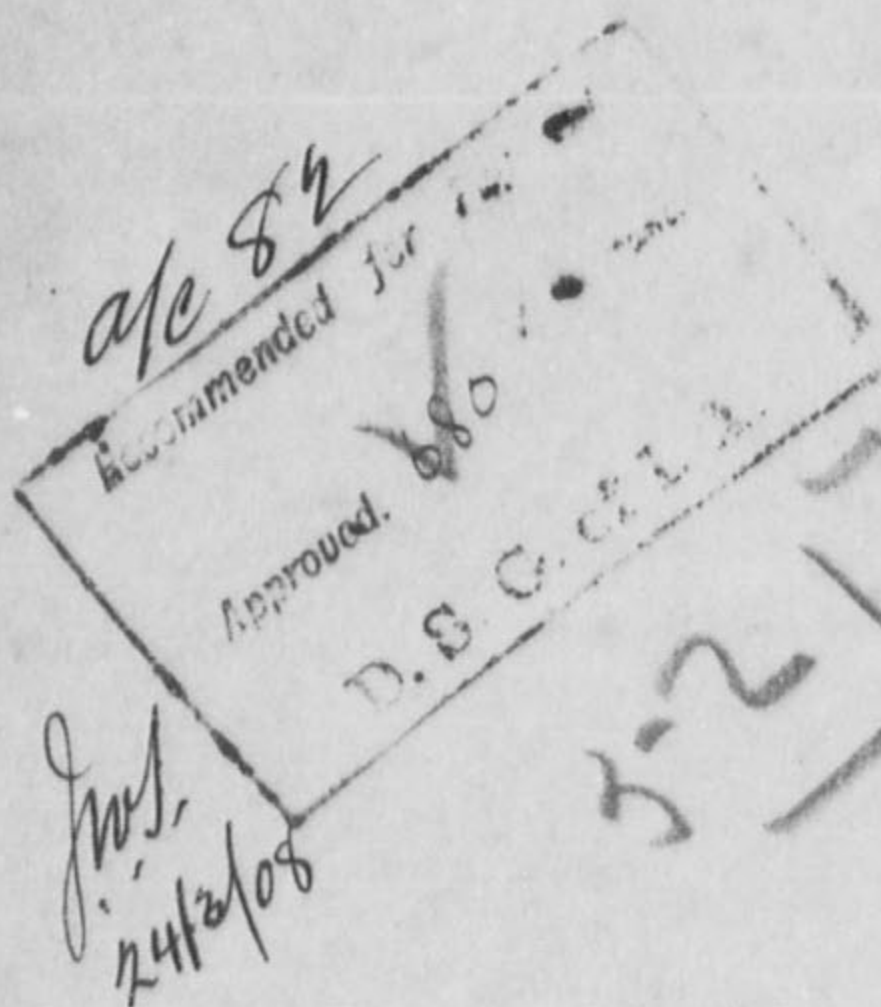
Your obedient servant

Indian Agent.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.



Ch. Suet March 26
[Signature]

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151715-5 Manitowaning Agency.
 Whitefish Lake School
 No. of Account
 INDIAN TRUST FUND.
 The Department of Indian Affairs.
 To O. Hinds 41633
 DATE. 12/17/08
 Ck. Sent Dec-17
 AMOUNT.

MANITOWANING. Dec 30 1908
 M. Dept Indian Affairs.
 Shipped to Jeremiah Kelly
 Naughton's Ck.
 Bought of O. HINDS
 HARDWARE, STOVES, TINWARE,
 FURNITURE, HARNESS, IMPLEMENTS

Oct 24	2 granite Cups	✓	25	37123
	2 looking glass	✓	40	
	2 pails	✓	65	
	6 Bars soap	✓	30	
	6 yds Sawdust	✓	90	
	Wash Bar	✓	30	
	Shovel	✓	50	
	Wash pan	✓	10	
	2 Cans	✓	25	
	Care & Hdl	✓	1.00	
	freight prepaid	✓	90	
			75.50	

Reference 151715/4 October 16th 08

550

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

L. L. D. Sims.

Agent.

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The undermentioned Goods have been received at this Wharf and are held entirely at owner's risk from any cause whatever, subject to charges as under

No. of Packages	Description of Goods	Weight and Rate	Steamer's Charges	Wharfage	TOTAL
	Prepaid 1 Box Horse 1 Shovel 1 axe				337123
	to Joe Annals Kelly Nauv顿		80	10	
				90	
	Paid				
					1459

550

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C. L. D. Sims

Agent.

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No. of Packages	Description of Goods	Weight and Rate	Steamer's Charges	Wharfage	TOTAL
	Jocannet Kelly				
	Naughton				
	R/c		393		337591
				418	
	<i>Raid Rwn.</i>				
	<i>R/c</i>				
	<i>1661</i>				
	<i>58</i>				

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19/12/08

L. L. R. Sims.

Agent.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Whitefish Lake School

No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

338433

The Department of Indian Affairs

To

Mrs J. Shawbwanagutte

DATE.

AMOUNT.

Manitowaning Sta., Dec 17th 8.
Indian Dept., Ottawa

On account with

Mrs J. Shawbwanagutte

Dec 7	Washing ceilings	1	25
" 9	Papering 12 th day	1	25
" 10	"	1	25
" 11	"	1	25
" 12	Scrubbing floors of teachers quarters and school	1	25
Total		6	25

4640

6.25

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C. L. D. S. in

Agent.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Whitefish Lake School
No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To

J. Shabwanagnette

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DATE.

AMOUNT.

Manitowaning Agency, Dec 17, 08.
Indian Dept, Ottawa
On account of
J. Shabwanagnette

Dec 2	1 (one) trip to Manitowaning with team for supplies	4 50
" 7	Plastering teachers quarters	3 00
" 8	" school	3 00
" 9	"	
" 10	Whitewashing school	
" 11	Laying carpet & polishing stores	3 00
" "	"	
" "	Polish, 25¢ task carpet	50
" "	Flour (used for papering)	50
	Total	14 50

4639

JND

14 50

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C. L. D. Binn

Agent.

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File
No 151715/X

Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

29th December 1908-

284--17 Sir,

I have the honor to inclose herewith an account amounting to \$14.50 in favor of Jim Shawbwanquette for his services in going to Naughton for school supplies and labor in repairing the school and teacher's quarters at Whitefish Lake.

I also beg to inclose an account in favor of Mrs Jim Shawbwanquette amounting to \$6.25 being for her labor in washing, scrubbing and papering.

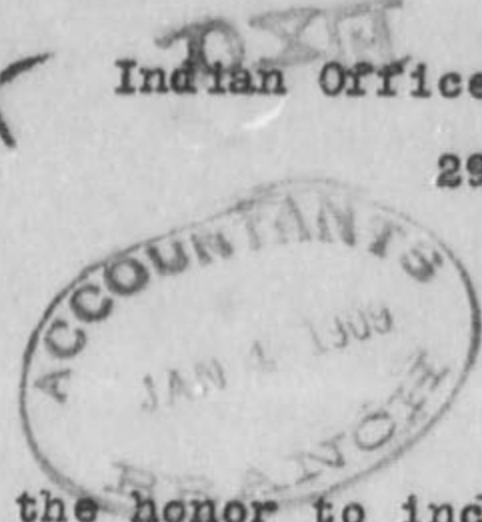
Your obedient servant

Indian Agent.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.



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Manitowaning Agency.
Whitefish Lake School
No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

Ac 8¹²

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To *G. W. Gragg*

DATE	DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
	<i>Manitowaning.</i>	
	<i>Jan. 21 To, Alarm Clock</i>	<i>\$2.25</i>
	<i>To Miss Kelly,</i>	
	<i>Daughter</i>	
	<i>Art</i>	
	<i>Reference 15171574</i>	
	<i>Jan. 12th 1909</i>	

225

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C. L. D. Sims

Agent.

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339508



Reference, 151715/4, Jany, 12th, 1909.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

284 - 17,

Manitwaning, Jany, 21st, 1909.

Sir :-

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in favor of G. W. Cragg, amounting to \$ 2.25, for an alarm clock, for Whitefish Lake School.

Your obedient servant,

C. D. Lines

Indian Agent,

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Ch. Sent - Jan. 30th -

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa,

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151715/5

*Get Inspector report
before getting away from blue*

Ottawa, July 30, 1909.

Sir,-

Mr. Separate School Inspector Jones states that a teacher's desk is required for the Whitefish Lake school, and I have to request that you will be good enough to ascertain the cost of a suitable desk and advise the Department. The Department wishes to order a globe and a map for this school, if you will give directions for sending. You may also purchase some soap and towelling for this school.

Your obedient Servant,

Secretary.

C.L.D. Sims, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

20th August 1909-

284--17

Sir,

Referring to Official letter of date 30th Ult. informing me that Mr Inspector Jones states that a teacher's desk is required for the Whitefish Lake School and instructing me to ascertain the cost of a suitable desk.

I have the honor to report that there is a very good desk at the old Buzwah School that could be sent to the teacher from here. This school has been closed for some time and I have given instructions to an Indian to remove the desk and stove over to Manitowaning where I will store them in the Agency barn until required. The old building is in a very dilapidated condition and the stove and desk in any event are better out of it as it simply impossible to keep it closed. I will have to pay \$1.50 for having the stove and desk brought over, but, I consider it money well spent. If you think well of my proposition, to send the desk to the teacher at Whitefish Lake I can have it crated at a cost of about \$1. and this will save the expense of buying a new desk.

The globe and Map you mention should be sent to Whitefish station to the address of the teacher and the express or freight prepaid.

Your obedient servant

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

See no. 4.

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

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Ottawa, August 24, 1909.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 20th inst., and in reply I beg to say that the Department approves of your action in having the teacher's desk and the stove removed from the old Buswah school and you may, as suggested, send the desk to the Whitefish Lake school.

Your obedient Servant,

Secretary.

C.L.D. Sims, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Whitefish Lake School

No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To

Ala Neilson

351040

AMOUNT.

DATE.

Authorized by Dept. letter No. *151.715/4. 151.715/5 Aug 24/09.*

FREIGHT ACCOUNTS DUE
WHEN RENDERED

M.

C. L. D. Sims

Sept 8 - 09 19

In Account with **NEILSON'S WHARF**

The undermentioned Goods have been received at this Wharf and are held entirely
at owner's risk from any cause whatever, subject to charges as under

No. of Packages	Description of Goods	Weight and Rate	Steamer's Charges	Wharfage	TOTAL
	<i>To Loading Dock</i>				<i>1.00</i>
					<i>351040</i>
	<i>1 Desk</i>				
	<i>1 Roll Oil. Cloth</i>				
	<i>1 pile Brown</i>				
	<i>Box Sunk</i>				
		<i>400 240</i>	<i>10</i>		
				<i>250</i>	
	<i>to Joannah Kelly</i>				
	<i>Naughton</i>				
	<i>On</i>				

3.50

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and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of
the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Ala Neilson

Agent.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Whitefish Lake School
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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To *O Hinds*

DATE.	AMOUNT.
Authorized by Dept. letter No. <i>151715/4 Sept 3rd 1909</i>	

HARDWARE, STOVES,
TINWARE, PAINTS,
AND OILS.
FURNITURE, SEWING
MACHINES, AND
HARNESS
BUGGIES & CUTTERS
MASSEY-HARRIS
IMPLEMENTS AND
REPAIRS

MANITOWANING, ONT. Sept. 8th, 1909.

M C. L. D. Sims, Indian Agent,

Manitowaning, for Whitefish Lake School

BOUGHT OF

O. HINDS

Hardware Merchant

ACCOUNTS DUE WHEN RENDERED

10% INTEREST CHARGED ON ALL OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

DATE	DESCRIPTION	FOL.	DEBIT AMOUNT	CREDIT AMOUNT	TOTAL
pt. 8	To 4 Window Blinds,	@ .40		1.60	
	1 Granite Wash Basin	.30		.30	
	1 .. Pitcher,	.85		.85	
	1 .. Tea Kettle,	1.50		1.50	
	1 .. Pail,	.90		.90	
	1 Iron Bedstead	4.00		4.00	
	1 Wire Spring,	2.75		2.75	
					11.90

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[Signature]

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[Signature]
Agent.

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Whitefish Lake School
No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To *Wright McLaughlin*

DATE

AMOUNT.

Authorized by Dept. letter No.

151715/4 Sept 3rd 1909

Manitowaning, Ont., Sept, 8th, 1909, 122X8

Mr. C. L. D. Sims, Indian Agent,

Manitowaning,

for Whitefish Lake School

BOUGHT OF

Wright McLaughlin

351040

GENERAL MERCHANT

And Dealer in all Kinds of Farm Produce.

TERMS—Cash or Trade

Sept. 8	To 12 Bars Comfort Soap,	@ .05	.60	✓
	2 Brooms,	.35	.70	✓
	5 yds. Towling,	.15	.75	✓
	20 yds. Cheese Cloth,	.08	1.60	✓
	1 Rim Lock and Knob,	.45	.45	✓
	16 yds. Floor Oilcloth,	.50	8.00	✓
			\$ 12.10	

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Agent.

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15-1715-5

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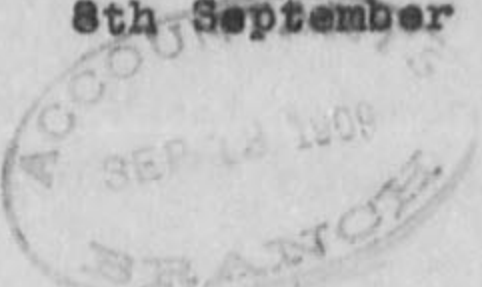
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No 151,715/4

151,715/5

Acct

Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

8th September 1909-



284---17

Sir,

Referring to Official letters of date 24th
Ultimo and 3rd September, the former with instructions
to forward the desk from the Buzwah School to
Whitefish Lake and the latter authorizing the pur-
chase of supplies for Whitefish Lake school.

I have the honor to report that the desk and all
supplies have been forwarded to-day and herewith
beg to enclose the following accounts,

Alex Neilson for prepaying freight and crating

Desk - - - - - \$3.50

O Hinds Goods as per bill 11.90

Wright McLaughlin Goods as per Bill 12.10

Your obedient servant

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

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13/9/09
The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

Chas. Smith
Sept. 15/09

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Manitowaning Agency
Whitefish Lake School

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

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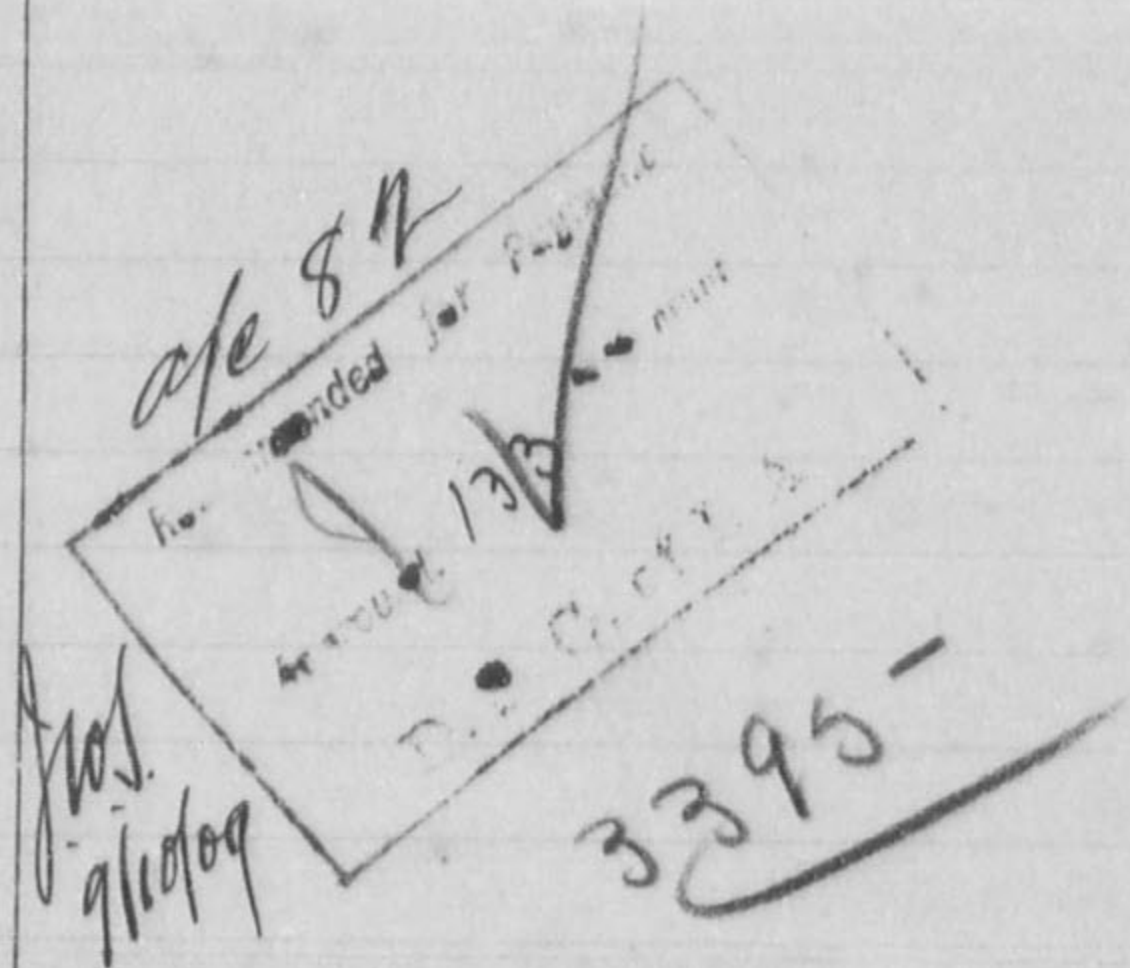
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The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Jim Shabwonoquett

DATE.	AMOUNT.
Sept 22	3. 00
Authorized by Dept. letter No. 151715/4 Sept 3rd 1909	
To One trip from Whitefish Lake to Naughton for school supplies, with team	

352350



Sept. Del. 10th

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent,

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15715-5
 Indian Reserve
 Naugah
 11/18/87
 354587

Dear Sir:-

There have been, by mistake, I presume, two desks sent for the school on Whitefish Lake Reserve. One from the Indian Dept. Ottawa, and a second hand desk from Mr. C. L. D. Sims, Manitowaning.

What am I to do about one of these? Shall I try to sell it, or return it? - Yours truly
 To Secretary In. Dept. J. G. Macdonald
 Ottawa



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Return to Schools

Ottawa, November 15th, 1909.

Madam,

In reply to your letter of the 8th instant I beg to say that you will be good enough to keep the desk sent from the Department to the White Fish Lake School till you receive further instructions.

Your obedient servant,

Secretary.

Miss Joeannah Kelly,

Teacher,

Naughton Station, Ont.

Inform Miss Kelly that if the desk sent to her is not needed, it should be returned to the Indian agent at Naughton Station. It is not to be used for anything else.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Whitefish Lake School

No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

Ac 82
354579

The Department of Indian Affairs

To

Moses Wakbenimiki

DATE	AMOUNT.
Authorized by Dept. letter No.	

354579 43740

Department of Indian Affairs
To Moses Wakbenimiki

Oct 18th To plastering school \$1.00

" " " whitewashing teacher's
quarters and school — \$2.00

" " To scrubbing school \$1.00

Total \$4.00.

I hereby certify that the
above work was done
in a satisfactory manner
and that the charge
is reasonable.

Joannah Kelly.
Teacher.

November 10th / 1909.

C. L. D. Sims

Agent.

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354579



Indian Office, Manitowaning,

284 - 17,

November, 17th, 1909,

Sir :-

I have the honor to enclose herewith accounts amounting to \$ 4.00, in favor of Moses Wahbenimiki, for plastering whitewashing and scrubbing the Whitefish Lake Indian School.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent,

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Sub. Nov. 20/09
4123
Ind. Aff. 24/11/09
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Ind. Aff. 24/11/09

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

over
Refer to
me
ms.

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151715

EX-10

EX-10

Ottawa, 1st December, 1909.

Madam, -

With reference to letter to you of the 15th ultimo regarding the new desk shipped for use at the Whitefish Lake School, I beg to say that if you received an account with the desk you should certify thereon to the receipt of the desk and forward the account to Mr. Sims at Manitowaning for transmission to the Department.

*Look
J.M.S.*

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Secretary.

Miss Johannah Kelly,
Teacher,
Naughton Station, Ont.

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Purchase Order P 369

L. W. HUTCHISON

Ottawa, Ontario.

Sept 28th. 1909.

To Globe Wernicke Co.

Please send to Miss Joeannah Kelly via Prepaid freight
Naughton Sta. Soo branch C.P.R.
the following, and bill to this office MAKE SEPARATE INVOICE FOR THIS ORDER
Bill the Dept 66 Indian Affairs, Ottawa.

1 # 4830- 1/2 flat top desk, golden Oak

advise consignee of date of shipment.

535229

Required by

For No. R

Order No.



Put Purchase Order No. on all Packages, also on all your bills, as otherwise we cannot check.

SEND BILL IMMEDIATELY UPON SHIPMENT. Any of this month's bills NOT received before the 5th of next month cannot be approved for payment until the following month.

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MAIN OFFICE & WORKS OF
The Globe-Wernicke Co.
CINCINNATI, OHIO,
U.S.A.



The Globe-Wernicke Co.

Office and Works, Stratford, Canada.

"ELASTIC" BOOK CASES, FILING APPLIANCES, OFFICE FURNITURE, ETC.

STRATFORD, OCT 1 - 1909
CANADA

SOLD TO *Dept. of Indian Affairs*
OUR NO. *7063* *Ottawa, Ont.*

TERMS CASH.

SHIPPED VIA *Freight prepaid*

YOUR ORDER	QUANTITY	ARTICLES	PRICE	TOTAL
<i>369</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>4830 1/2 I. Desk</i>	<i>12 75</i>	<i>12 75</i>
<i>Shipped to</i> <i>Miss Jeannah Kelly</i> <i>Naughton Str.</i> <i>Payable direct to</i> <i>The Globe-Wernicke Co</i>				

*Receipt goods as per list
This 6th day Dec, 1909.
Jeannah Kelly.*

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151715



Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

Ex'd December 13th 1909

1 2 schools see under 355938

284-18

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose herewith accounts in duplicate from the Globe-Wernicke Co. Ltd of Startford, Ont. dated, Oct 1st, last for One Desk shipped to Miss Joeannah Kelly, Naughton.

These accounts were forwarded me, by Miss Kelly, under cover of letter dated 9th Inst.

As I know nothing whatever about this transaction as to how this firm shipped this article to Miss Kelly or on what authority, I cannot attach same to a voucher and certify same in the usual way. ~~XX~~ A teachers' desk was shipped to Miss Kelly from the Buzwah school under instructions of official letter No 151715/5 dated 24th August 1909 and Miss Kelly receipted for the the arrival of same on 14th Sept. last.



2 Mr. B.

Your obedient servant

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

atc 82
[Signature]
The Secretary

4670
Sent Dec. 24th

Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

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151715/5

Ottawa, December 24th, 1909.

Sir,

284-18

In reply to your letter of the 13th instant enclosing an account for a school desk shipped to Miss Kelly, teacher of the White Fish Lake School, I beg to say that when this desk was ordered the fact that one from Buzwah had been sent to the school was overlooked.

Miss Kelly will be allowed to keep the new desk and I have to ask you to be good enough to state whether any other schools in your Agency are in need of new teachers' desks, if so the old one could be transferred.

Your obedient servant,

G. D. McLEAN

Secretary.

O. L. D. Sims, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency

Rebillyish Lake School

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To

James Shawbonoquette

559571

DATE

AMOUNT.

Indian Dept. Ottawa Or

To James Shawbonoquette

Jan. 29. ch.

Do 1 trip to Naughton Sta

for desk \$2.00

Total \$2.00.

Signed

Jocannah Kelly
(Teacher)

JWS

43910

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]

Agent.

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157715



359571

Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

23rd February 1910



284---18

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account amounting to \$2.00 in favor of James Shawbwonoquette for 1 trip to Naughton for a School Desk for the Whitefish Lake School.



Your Obedient servant

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Whitefish Lake School

No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

370465

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Wright McLaughlin

DATE.	AMOUNT.

Authorized by Dept. letter No. 151715/4 Sept 8. 1910

WRIGHT McLAUGHLIN

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, BOOTS AND SHOES, CLOTHING, ETC.

ACCOUNT NO.

Letter No.

BEST GOODS

LOWEST PRICES

370465

Manitowaning, Sept. 23rd 1910.
ONT.

Sold to Department of Indian Affairs,

For Whitefish Lake School.

Accounts rendered monthly

Interest charged on overdue accounts

DATE	ARTICLES	FOLIO	CREDIT AMOUNT	DEBIT AMOUNT	TOTAL
Sept. 19	To 1 paper Needles B	.05	05		
	4 yds Towling	.15	60		
	4 bars Soap	.05	20		
	1 Granite Cup	.13	13		
	2 Brooms	.45	90		
	12 Slates	.10	1 20		
	Freight Prepaid to Naughton.		80		
					3.83

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent.

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Reference
No. 151715/4

Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

September 23rd 1910



284--18 Sir,

Referring to official letter of date 8th Inst.
authorizing the purchase of certain supplies for the
Whitefish Lake School. I have the honor to enclose
herewith an account amounting to \$3.88 in favor of Mr.
Wright McLaughlin who supplied same.

Your obedient servant

Indian Agent.

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

Recd. Sept. 28 1910

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Eglise Ste. Anne
Sudbury, Ont.

20th July 1911

The Secretary of the Department of
Indian Affairs
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir. ³⁵¹²⁰ I beg to inform you, that I
am, at present, corresponding with some
young ladies who have applied to me
for the position of teacher of the White
Fish Lake Reserve School, left vacant
by the departure, on 30th of April last,
of Miss S. W. Swezey.

In connexion with this, let me in-
form you that the school-house needs
repairs very badly, to make it habi-
table for a teacher, who will, of neces-
sity, have to dwell therein and board
herself.

The place is lonesome enough for
a person coming from a white commu-

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Eglise Ste. Anne

Sudbury, Ont.

Unity, without putting her, besides, in an uncomfortable dwelling place.

The White Fish Lake Band of Indians have been without chief since 17th of April last, and without teacher since the 1st of May; hence I see myself obliged to represent the situation to the Department, hoping it will be generous towards those poor people.

It is very difficult to secure a teacher for the above school, as Indian Agent Sims can testify.

Why, but yesterday I received the answer of a good teacher, who had applied for this school. It reads thus: "When I applied as teacher in your school, I did not think the surroundings were the same as you have described. So I think I would not like it and would rather not accept it."

Of course I have to tell the persons

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Eglise Ste. Anne
Sudbury, Ont.

Who apply for the position, what
kind of a home they will find.

You may believe me, dear Sir, that
the White Fish Lake School-house
needs repairs badly from top to bottom.

Hoping to receive a favorable
reply to this communication,

I am,

Dear Sir,

Your obedient servant

(Rev) Jos. Specht, S.J.,

Missionary.

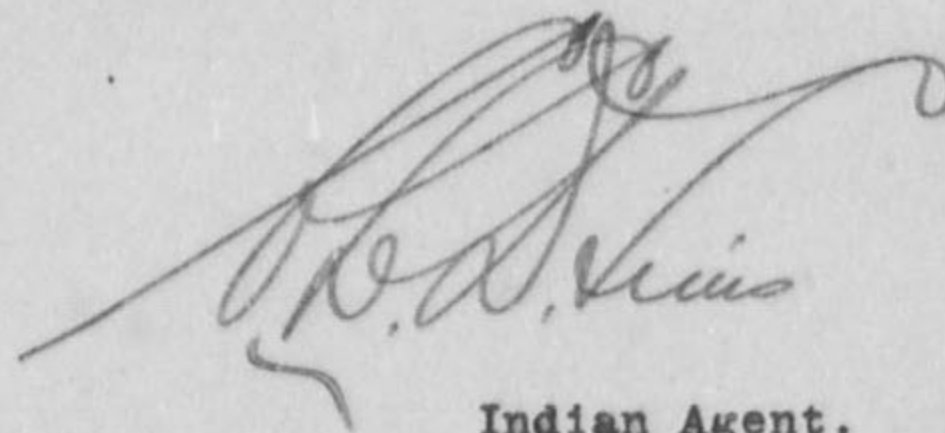
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The roof also looks as though it might need renovating, but, it does not appear to leak as it was raining quite hard when I was there and it appeared to keep out the rain. To put in new floors, paper the dwelling, whitewash the school room and make other minor repairs around the premises would cost about \$160.00.

Your obedient servant



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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

26th July 1911

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Sir/

I have the honor to enclose herewith a letter addressed to you from the Rev. Jos. Specht in reference to the Whitefish Lake school and in regard to his statement that the school house needs repairs from top to bottom &c I have the honor to report as follows. I visited this school within the last week and found that the building is not in such a deplorable condition as the letter of father Specht would lead one to believe, true, the building is an old one, built of logs but it is quite habitable and I cannot see how any extensive improvements could be done to it as I consider that this would be only wasting money. The floors in the school and teacher's quarters are not as good as they might be and the walls of the dwelling require re-papering and the walls of the school treated to a coat of whitewash.

It is not the condition of the school or dwelling that makes it difficult to get a teacher for this school but its environment, as the school is situated in a very lonely place. I think if there were new floors put in the school and dwelling, the walls of dwelling re-papered and the school room whitewashed that this is all that should be done at the present time as it would be much better to build a new school than to put out any extensive improvements on the old log building.

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

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151715/5

Ottawa, August 1, 1911.

Sir,

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I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 26th ultimo in reference to the repairs to the Whitefish Lake School.

In reply I beg to say that the Department would like to have had an estimate in more detail than that furnished by you, but in order to avoid delay you are hereby authorized to have the repairs mentioned in your letter made, the total expenditure not to exceed the amount quoted. I might communicate with Rev. Father Specht and advise him of the action that is being taken.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

O. L. D. Sims, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

16th September 1911



284--19

Sir/

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Referring to official letter of date 1st Ult. authorizing certain repairs to the Whitefish Lake School. I have the honor to report that I have not been successful in getting this work done as it was simply impossible to get any one to undertake so small a job in such an out of the way place in the busy season. In view of this fact that the repairs have not been made and on further consideration I think it would be better if the Department would consider the question of erecting a new school on this reserve in place of repairing the old one.

The old building could be used until such times as the new school was completed, without any further repairs. I am sure this would be the much better way and if a new building is built accommodation for the teacher could be provided as well in the new building.

Your obedient servant

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.



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151715/5

Ottawa, September 20, 1911.

Sir,

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I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 16th instant in reference to repairs to the Whitefish Lake school building.

In reply I beg to say that the Department approves of your suggestion that it would be better to erect a new building than to incur a large expenditure on the present one. The Department would like to have a report as to the kind of building that you think should be put up and the way in which it should be done. A resolution of the Band authorizing the expenditure of sufficient funds for the purpose should be obtained.

Your obedient servant,

ST. JOE LEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

O. L. D. Sims, Esq.,

Indian Agent,

Manitowaning, Ont.

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151715-6

Ottawa, 19th October, 1911.

Sir:-

I return herewith your account rendered at \$3.05 for glass, stove pipes, etc. You should forward the account to the person who ordered the supply as it is necessary that it be certified as correct by the local Indian Agent, before the question of payment can be considered by the Department.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Messrs

Cochrane Hardware Ltd

Asst. Secretary,

[Signature]
~~F. Cochrane Esq.,~~
General Hardware Merchant,
Sudbury, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency.
No. of Account *4682*

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

Whitefish Lake 352414

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To *Cochrane Hardware Ht*

DATE.	AMOUNT.
Authorized by Dept. letter No. <i>151715/5</i> dated <i>August 1st 1911</i>	

F. COCHRANE

14770

COCHRANE HARDWARE, LIMITED
IMPORTER AND DEALER IN
GENERAL HARDWARE

ORDER NO. *19677* SUDBURY *591197* *Oct 13 1901*

SOLD TO M *Dept. of Indian Affairs* *352414*
Whitefish Lake School

TERMS: *To Miss Lucy Labranch, Nanaimo* INTEREST AT 5% PER ANNUM ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

10	panes glass 10 x 12	5	30
10	lens 7" stove pipe	12	120
3	7" Elbows.	15	45
2	7" Samplers	10	20
2	lb putty	5	10
	Exp prepaid		60
			<i>305</i>

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352414

Reference, 151715/5,

August, 1st, 1911.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,

November, 9th, 1911.

Sir :-

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account amounting to \$ 3.05, in favor of Cochrane Hardware Limited, for glass, stovepipe &C, for Whitefish Lake Indian School.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa, November 21, 1911.

Sir,

Referring to official letter of September 20th, last, in reference to the erection of a new building on the Whitefish Lake Reserve I beg to say that the Department is anxious to have the preparation of the plans for a new building under way at the earliest possible date in order that there will be no delay when the spring season opens. I would ask you to report on this matter as soon as possible.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

G. L. D. Sims, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

21st November 1911

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Sir/

Referring to official letter of date 20th September last in which you approved of my suggestion in the matter of erecting a new school building at Whitefish Lake and asking me for a report as to the kind of building that should be put up and the way it should be done. Also asking for a resolution of the Band authorizing the expenditure of sufficient funds for the purpose.

I have the honor to enclose herewith a Resolution from the Band authorizing the Department to erect a suitable school building and quarters for the teacher the same to be paid for from the Capital funds of the band.

40 X 32 ft. classroom
1201
With reference to the kind of building that should be put and the way it should be done. I have the honor to report that a frame school building of the dimensions of 16 feet by 30 feet with porch 8 X 12 feet would be of ample size to suit the requirements of the pupils attending school on this reserve. The ceiling of school room to be ten feet high. For the teacher's quarters there should be an addition to the school 1½ stories high size 16 X 18 feet divided into two rooms down stairs and two upstairs. The building should be placed on a stone foundation and

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Ottawa

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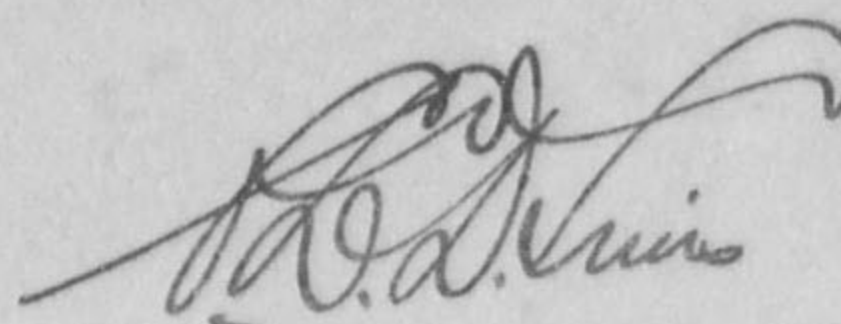
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and the work should be done by contract under
specifications to be supplied by the Department.

A wood shed and closets should also be provided
for.

Your obedient servant


Indian Agent.

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Whitefish Lake Reserve
November 15th 1911

Meeting of the Whitefish Lake Band in
Council held this day on the
reserve and called in accordance
with the rules of the Band.
It was proposed by Joseph Bene
and seconded by Jim Rootkai
That the Department of Indian
Affairs be requested to construct
a school and teachers quarters
on the reserve the same to be of
adequate size to accommodate
the pupils of the reserve and the
teachers quarters to be of ample
size for the accommodation of
the teacher. The same to be paid
for from the Capital funds of
the Band.

John H. Esquimaux
Indian Agent

Alex Bawagosh ^{Chair} X
Michel Kaufman X
Jos. Paishegum X
Sam Mahgumeghin X
Gabriel Mahgumeghin X
Geo. Cepheewis X
Thos Paishegum X
Michel Nipigum X
J.B. Neias X
marks

R.P. Lewis
Indian Agent

Joseph Bene ^{Chair} X
Jim Rootkai X
Augus Omisicene X
John Mahgumeghin X
Joseph Taille X
Alex Neias X
Kakbenumiki X
Michel Rootkai X
Linn Mahgumeghin X
Lavin Rootkai X
Jim Shawbomogot X
Jos. Bawagosh X
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No. of Account *82*

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
Whitefish Lake School,

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Cochrane Hardware, Limited.

DATE.

AMOUNT.

Authorized by Dept. letter No. 151715/4 November 28th, 1911.
datedSUDBURY SAULT STE. MARI^N NORTH BAY LITTLE CURRENT COPPER CLIFF
BOUGHT OF **COCHRANE HARDWARE, Limited**
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HARDWARERetail Dept.
Phone 107

Sudbury, Ont., Dec 15, 191

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Preserve this Bill, as we do not render Itemized Accounts

Sold by

G. I. by

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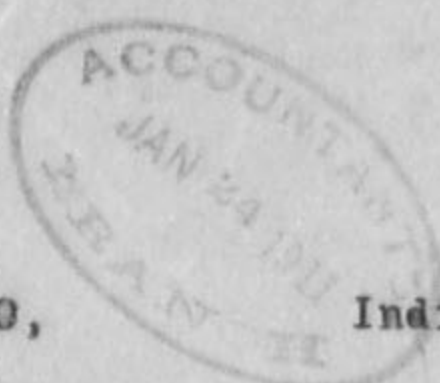
I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

L. L. Osimo
Agent.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,

January, 19th, 1912.

Sir :- *Exc*

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account amounting to .60¢ in favor of Cochrane Hardware Ltd. for slates for Whitefish Lake School. as per Official Letter 151715/4, November 28th, 1911.

Me 82
Recommended *698*
Approved.
24/1/12

Your obedient servant,

L. K. Osine.

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

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ROYAL ARMS.

TENDERS.

Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned and marked on the envelope "Tender for school-house, Whitefish Lake," will be received up to noon of March 11, 1912, for the construction of a frame school-house on the Whitefish Lake Reserve about four miles from Naughton, Ont.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the Post Offices, Sudbury, North Bay and Blind River and at the office of the Indian Agent, Manitowaning.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank for ten per cent of the amount of the tender, made payable to the order of the undersigned, which will be forfeited if the person or persons tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

The unauthorized insertion of this advertisement in any newspaper will not be paid for.

J. D. McLean,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, February 8, 1912.

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151715/5

Ottawa, February 8, 1912.

Sir,

I beg to enclose herewith an advertisement calling for tenders for the erection of a school building on the Whitefish Lake Reserve and I would ask you to have the same inserted in three weekly issues of "The Gazette", Blind River; "The Dispatch" ~~and~~ "The Tribune", North Bay; and "The Mining News", Sudbury.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

The King's Printer,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa, February 8, 1912.

Sir,

I am sending you, under separate cover, copies of the plans and specifications for the erection of a school building on the Whitefish Lake Reserve near Naughton. I would ask you to be good enough to show these plans to any contractors who may wish to tender for this building. I would further ask you to return them to me immediately after March 11, next.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

The Post Master,
Sudbury, Ont.

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Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

The Post Master,
North Bay, Ont.

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Ottawa, February 8, 1912.

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Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

The Post Master,
North Bay, Ont.

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Ottawa, February 8, 1912.

Sir,

I am sending you, under separate cover, copies of the plans and specifications for the erection of a school building on the Whitefish Lake Reserve near Naughton and I would ask you to be good enough to show these plans to any contractors who may wish to tender for this building. I would further ask you to return them to me immediately after March 11, next.

*For
JBM.*

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Your obedient servant,

own

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

The Post Master,
Blind River, Ont.

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Ottawa. March 11. 1912

I estimate the cost
of the school-house and
teacher's residence on the
Whitefish Lake reserve
at \$3,200.00.

L. J. Smith C.E.

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"Tender for school house.
Whitefish Lake"

Recd 9.30
11/3/12

[Handwritten signature]

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa
Ont.

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St. Andrew's East 9th March 1912

*Mr J. D. McLean
Asst. Deputy and Secretary
Department of Indian Aff.*

*Sir,
I, the undersigned, agree to build
The school House of Whitefish Lake
according to plans, and specifications
for the amount of "Three Thousand
eight hundred and fifty Dollars
\$3850.00"*

*J. Lalonde
Contractor.*

*N. B.
I also inclose herewith my tender for
The Golden Lake school house, if one
my tenders is not accepted be kind
to return The two ^{cheques} because it will not
pay me to build only one.
J. Lalonde*

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C.H.M.I.

Lander White - York

School Building

Read 950 am

6/3/12 Lander

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H. D. EVANS
BUILDER AND CONTRACTOR
SUDBURY, ONT.

Department of Indian
Ottawa
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Schools

151715-5
H. D. EVANS
BUILDER AND CONTRACTOR
PHONE 459



SUDBURY, ONT.

Mar 4 1912

Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

399291

Gentlemen

Enclosed please
find tender for School House and
dwelling combined at White fish Lake
near Naughton Ont. My tender to
complete the work in any reasonable
time and to the satisfaction of the Arthur
is \$4000 - four thousand dollars Enclosed
please find certified check on Bank of Mon
for \$400 - being 10 per cent of cost. If tender is not
accepted please return immediately

[Signature]
for

Yours Truly

H. D. Evans
Sudbury

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151715/5



Ottawa, March 12, 1912.

Mr. Pedley,-

The Department called for tenders for the erection of a school-house and teacher's residence combined on the Whitefish Lake Reserve near Naughton Station, Ont., and the tenders, two in number, both accompanied by the required security cheque, were open yesterday. One is from Mr. J. Lalonde, of St. Andrews East, for \$3850.00, but acceptance is made dependent upon his receiving the contract for the Golden Lake School. The second tender is from Mr. H. D. Evans, of Sudbury, for \$4000.00.

The architect's estimated cost of this building is \$3200.00.

This school is only $4\frac{1}{2}$ miles from the railway station and there is a good road leading to it. In view of this fact I consider that Mr. Evans tender is altogether too high and his cheque should be returned. It might be well to hold Mr. Lalonde's tender until the 20th instant, the date on which the tenders are receivable for the Golden Lake building.

W. A. B. Benson

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51715-5

Ottawa, 19th March, 1912.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith for taxation an account rendered at \$8.80 from the "Mining News" of Sudbury, for advertising done for this Department. A clipping of the advertisement is attached to the account.

Your obedient servant,

W. D. McLEAF

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

The King's Printer,
Ottawa, Ont.

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151715/5

Ottawa, March 23, 1912.

With Cheque.

Sir,-

As your tender for the erection of a school-house on the Whitefish Lake Reserve, near Naughton station, has not been accepted I beg to return herewith the cheque for \$400.00 which accompanied the tender.

ABM
H.D. Evans
J. L. Smith
Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean
Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

H. D. Evans, Esq.,
Builder and Contractor,
Sudbury, Ont.

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151715/5

Ottawa, March 23, 1912.

Sir,-

I have to ask you to be good enough to return the plans and specifications for the proposed school on the Whitefish Lake Reserve as requested in official letter of the 8th ultimo.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

The Post Master,
North Bay, Ont.

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Ottawa, March 23, 1912.

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Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

The Post Master,
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Ottawa, March 23, 1912.

Sir,-

I have to ask you to be good enough to return the plans and specifications for the proposed school on the Whitefish Lake Reserve as requested in official letter of the 8th ultimo.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

The Post Master,
Blind River, Ont.

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*1 am
2 keep* *5 letters*
Ottawa, March 23, 1912.

Sir,-

I beg to inform you that the Department received only two tenders for the erection of the school-house on the Whitefish Lake Reserve, one of these was conditional upon the acceptance of another tender and, therefore, was not satisfactory and the second tender was altogether too high. The Department has under consideration the question of calling again for tenders and you will be good enough to keep in the meantime a set of the plans and specifications in your possession.

I have to ask you to be good enough to inform the Department whether, in case the action above mentioned is taken and satisfactory tenders are not received, it would be possible to have this work done by day labour under the supervision of a competent foreman, provided the services of qualified workmen and labourers and a foreman could be had. You might state the possibility of obtaining such.

adm *hms* *hms* *hms*
Your obedient servant,

over
Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

G. L. D. Sims, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Blind River, Ont.,

M *Indian Affairs*

IN ACCOUNT WITH

The Gazette 400039

W. J. White, Publisher *Ac 87*

ACCOUNTS DUE WHEN RENDERED BEST ADVERTISING MEDIUM. PHONE 73.

10 per cent. interest added on all overdue accounts.

Feb 22 Load "Whitefish"
 Feb 29 School House "3"
 Mar 7 issues 44 lines @ 10¢ + 5¢ = \$8.80

DUPLICATE.

Correct at contract rates
 O. H. Parmelee, K.P. & C.S.

PER *[Signature]* A.C.

7102
 Sent Mar 29th



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Duplicate



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Loose Leaf Binders
and Supplies

SUDBURY, ONT.,

March 11 1911
af 82

Indian Affairs Dept
Ottawa

1911		DUPLICATE	
Feb	23	Ad - Tender schoolhouse at Whitefish	4 40
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Correct at contract rates
S. H. Parmelee, K.P. & E.S.
PER.....

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Exp March 29th

Received Payment 191 SUDBURY MINING NEWS,
Per

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Ottawa, March 28, 1912.

WITH CHEQUE.

Sir,-

I beg to return herewith your security cheque for \$400.00 deposited with your tender for the erection of the school on the Whitefish Lake Reserve which would not be accepted as it was conditional upon the acceptance of your tender for the Golden Lake School.

Your obedient servant,
J. D. McLean

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Joseph Lalonde, Esq.,
St. Andrew's East, Que.

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IN REPLY REFER TO
151715/5
ALSO TO THE DATE OF THIS LETTER

PLEASE WRITE ON ONLY ONE SUBJECT
IN EACH LETTER.

ADDRESS REPLY TO THE
SECRETARY DEPT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OTTAWA.



Ottawa, February 8, 1912.

Sir,

I am sending you, under separate cover, copies of plans and specifications for the erection of a school building on the Whitefish Lake Reserve near Naughton and I would ask you to be good enough to show these plans to any contractors who may wish to tender for this building. I would further ask you to return them to me immediately after March 11, next.

Your obedient servant,

L. H. Brown

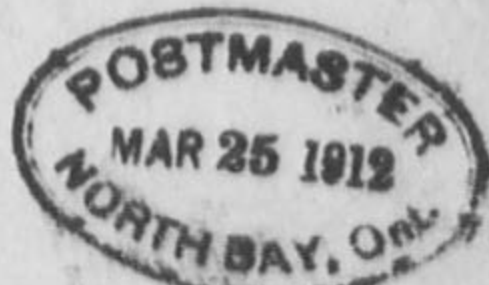
Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Dear Sir

The Post Master,
North Bay, Ont.

*Plans and
Specifications*

*herewith, respectfully returned
I regret not returning them
on the 11th inst, as instructed,*



*Your obt servant
W. McDonald
pm*

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*Plans Received
This letter
cancelled*

Ottawa, March 29, 1912.

Sir,-

*J. M.
H. M.
J. C.*

I have to ask you to be good enough to return the plans and specifications for the proposed school building on the Whitefish Lake Reserve sent you on the 8th ultimo, as requested in official letter of that date.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

The Post Master,
Sudbury. Ont.

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No. of Account

82V 400855

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

Manitowaning Agency,
Whitefish Lake School,

To J. D. Gemmell,

DATE.	AMOUNT.
151715/5, March, 13th, 1911.	
Authorized by Dept. letter No. dated	

Whitefish, Ont. Mar 28th 1912

M. The Dept Indian Affairs

Manitowaning

BOUGHT OF J. D. GEMMELL,

DEALER IN

Dry Goods, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Hardware, Groceries,
FLOUR AND FEED.

TERMS CASH

1911 April 13 To 2 Browns 35 70

Supplied to Miss M. Sweeney
Teacher Whitefish Lake

151715/5 Mar 13/11 -

JWS

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

C. G. O'Sullivan

Agent.

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ack

W. L. O'Brien

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

284 - 20,

April, 1st, 1912.

Sir :-

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account amounting to .70¢ in favor of J. D. Gemmell, for 2 Brooms supplied the Whitefish Lake School, April, 15th, 1911. Reference 151715/5, March, 13th, 1911.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

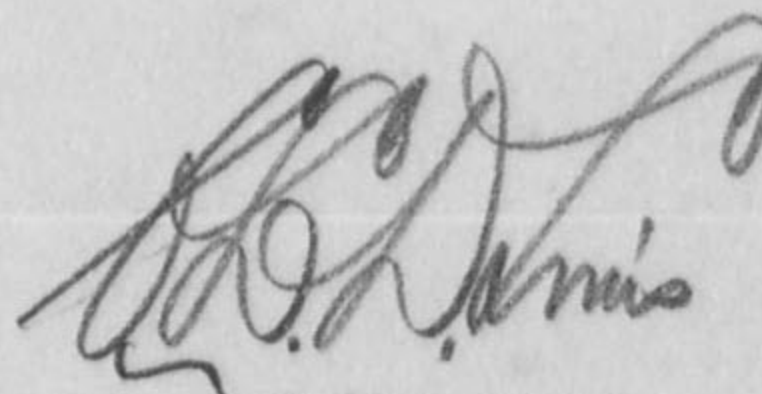
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Sub-Office
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Approved
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Recommended for Payment
D. B. C. G. T. A.

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stumbling block and have the foundations and cellar made from solid concrete, and the cellar floor the same in place of flag stones. It will, in any event be necessary for whoever gets the job to be allowed the use of the old school building to live in while doing the work.

Your obedient servant



Indian Agent.

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INDIAN OFFICE.

Reference No.151715/5

Manitowaning, Ont. April 9, 1912

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Sir:-

Referring to official letter of date 23rd Ultimo regarding tenders received for the erection of the school-house at Whitefish Lake.

In answer to same I beg to state that I think if you would, in calling for tenders, put an advertisement in the Manitoulin Expositor, Little Current, Ont. and send a set of Plans and specifications to John Young, Postmaster, Little Current, for reference by any one who might tender at that place you might receive tenders from there.

I have spoken to one or two contractors on the Manitoulin and they said they would tender for same.

In answer to the final paragraph of your letter I beg to say that no doubt it would be possible to have the work done in the manner suggested, but, it would be a very complicated and expensive undertaking before completion if done in this way. There is no reason why the building at Whitefish Lake should not be put up by tender as there are lots of more out-of-the-way places than it is, in fact, it is nearer the base of supplies than South Bay, not nearly so far to team the material. The hardest part to contend with there, will, I think, be in getting material for the foundation, as building stone is not to be had anywhere in the vicinity. This could be amended, I presume, if it proved a

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa

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Schools



Ottawa, April 16, 1912.

Mr. Pedley,-

In March, last, the Department received tenders for the erection of a school on the Whitefish Lake Reserve, near Naughton, Ont., two in number, but each of them was considered too high. The Agent was written to and asked whether it would be possible to have this work done by day labour. He now replies stating that he does not think it would be practicable and he recommends that tenders be again called for and that plans this time be placed at Little Current and the advertisement inserted in the Manitoulin Expositor of that place. The advertisement appeared before in the papers of Blind River, North Bay and Sudbury, all on the North Shore. Mr. Sims states that there are one or two contractors on the Island who, he thinks, might tender under these conditions. This is no doubt because building operations are not so active on the Island as on the mainland. The Manitoulin Expositor is not, however, on the patronage list. The Agent also suggests that cement be substituted for stone in the foundation, as stone is not available.

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If you will grant the necessary authority I would recommend that a change in the specifications be made and that new tenders be called for, the advertisement to be inserted in the Little Current paper.

AMM

appd

Let me see list of papers

Maackie Benson

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ROYAL ARMS.

TENDERS.

Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned and marked on the envelope "Tender for school-house, Whitefish Lake," will be received up to noon of May ²⁹~~28~~, 1912, for the construction of a frame school-house on the Whitefish Lake Reserve about four miles from Naughton, Ont.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the Post Offices, Sudbury, North Bay, Blind River ~~and Little Current~~ and at the office of the Indian Agent, Manitowaning.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank for ten per cent of the amount of the tender, made payable to the order of the undersigned, which will be forfeited if the person or persons tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

The unauthorized insertion of this advertisement in any newspaper will not be paid for.

J. D. McLean.

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, April 17, 1912.

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Ottawa, April 17, 1912.

Sir,-

I beg to enclose herewith an advertisement calling for tenders for the erection of a school building on the Whitefish Lake Reserve and I would ask you to have the same inserted in ^{two} ~~three~~ weekly issues of "The Gazette", Blind River; "The Despatch and Tribune", North Bay; "The Mining News", Sudbury; and ~~"The Manitowish Expositor",~~
~~"The Current."~~

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

The King's Printer,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa, April 17, 1912.

Sir,-

I am ^{again} sending you, under separate cover, copies of the plans and specifications for the erection of a school building on the Whitefish Lake Reserve near Naughton. I would ask you to be good enough to show these plans and specifications to any contractors who may wish to tender for this building. Kindly return them to the Department immediately after May 20, next.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

The Post Master,
Sudbury, Ont.

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Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

The Post Master,
North Bay, Ont.

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Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

The Post Master,
Blind River, Ont.

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5 letters

Ottawa, April 17, 1912.

Sir,-

I am sending you, under separate cover, two copies of the plans and specifications for the erection of a school building on the Whitefish Lake Reserve, revised as recommended by you in respect to the foundation and flooring of the cellar.

I have to ask you to be good enough to send one ~~extra~~ copy of the plans and specifications to the Post Master at Little Current and at the same time notify in writing any contractors who you think might wish to tender and inform them that they may see these plans at the office of Mr. John Young. The tenders are return-^{able} here up to noon of May 29th, so that you will, that it will be necessary to lose no time in getting into touch with any probable tenderers. Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank for ten per cent of the amount of the tender, made payable to the order of the Secretary of the Department. The cheque of the successful tenderer will be held by the Department as security for the due fulfillment of the work. You might at the same time give these contractors to whom you have made reference any information as to the site, etc., that you may think necessary.

Your obedient servant,

L. D. Sims
JMB
L. D. Sims, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

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END.

Ottawa, April 18, 1912.

Sir,-

The Department has decided to again call for tenders for the erection of the Indian School on the Whitefish Lake Reserve and has substituted cement for stone in the foundation and floor of the basement under the residential portion of the building. It is hoped that this will make it more convenient for builders and I shall be glad to have a tender from you again under these changed conditions. The plans will be on view as before at the post office at Sudbury.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

H. D. Evans, Esq.,
Builder and Contractor,
Sudbury, Ont.

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H. D. EVANS
BUILDER AND CONTRACTOR
PHONE 459
404088
SUDBURY, ONT.



May 17 - 1912

*Dept. of Indian Affairs
Ottawa
Gentlemen*

*In reference to School
House at Whitefish Lake, for which I sent you
tender and check in February 1912. which was returned
I will build the School and dwelling combined
for the sum of Four Thousand five Hundred dollars
\$4500⁰⁰. The difference is in getting in the material
now the ice is gone and the additional cost
of material and labor. If tender is accepted I am
prepared to furnish you with marked check for the
ten per cent of the contract*

*Yours Truly
H. D. Evans*



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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

18th May 1912

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Sir:-

Referring to Official letter under date 17th
Ultimate regarding the proposed new school and
teachers quarters at Whitefish Lake.

I have the honor to report that as soon as
your letter was received I immediately wrote the
different contractors advising them and at the same time
forwarded a copy of the plans and specifications to
Mr. Jehn Young, Postmaster, at Little Current and
requested him to allow any of the contractors to
have access to same.

On the 9th Instant I visited the Whitefish
Lake Reserve and selected a site for the new school
and gave two of the resident Indians a job to clear
the ground for \$5.00.

The site selected is about central for the
families who have children to attend and is in a
nice sheltered spot near the road and can be made
attractive with a little work.

Trusting that your efforts to obtain tenders
satisfactory to you may be successful

Your obedient servant

Indian Agent.

MANITOWANING, ONT

Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa, Ont.



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Blind River, Ont., *May 6/17*

M. Dept Indian Affairs
IN ACCOUNT WITH

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The Gazette
W. B. White, Publisher

KING'S
MAY 7 1917
PRINTED

ACCOUNTS DUE WHEN RENDERED
10 per cent. interest added on all overdue accounts.

BEST ADVERTISING MEDIUM.

April 25 To Leaders for
Whitefish Lake
School House 45' \$ 6.75
May 4 gives 2 issues

DUPLICATE.

Correct at contract rates
G. H. Parmelee, R.F.D. 10.

PER.....A.C.

END.

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Ent. June 1st

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The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted

The unauthorized insertion of this advertisement in any newspaper will not be paid for.

J. D. McLEAN,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, April 17, 1912.

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Sudbury Mining News
Printers and Publishers

Loose Leaf Book
and Supplies

SUDBURY, ONT.

Indian Affairs Department,
Ottawa.



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a/c 82

Apr. 26 45 lines
May 3 46 "

\$ 4 50
2 25
\$ 6 75

EXD.

Correct at contract rates
G. H. Parmelee, K. A. O. S.
PER.....A.C.



Cur-June 1st



Received Payment

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SUDBURY MINING NEWS,

Per

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Loose Leaf Books
and Supplies

Sudbury Mining News
Printers and Publishers

Sudbury Ont.

Indian Affairs Department,
Ottawa.



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Apr.	26	45	lines	—	—	—
May	3	46	"	—	—	—

\$ 4 50
2 25
\$ 6 75

EXD.

Correct all contract rates
C. H. Parnes, K. P. A. S.
PER. A.C.



Curr. June 1st



Received Payment

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SUDBURY MINING NEWS,

Per

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PHONE *3959*

F. A. BOOTH
General Contractor

PLANS AND ESTIMATES FURNISHED

299 LYON STREET

OTTAWA

Room 42 Batterworth Bldg

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all return to school

Ottawa, June 14, 1912.

Sir,-

Referring to your verbal inquiry with regard to the excavation at the proposed school on the Whitefish Lake Reserve I beg to say that the cellar is to be made under the kitchen only.

*Frank
A.M.
H.L.R.
H.B.*



Your obedient servant,

A. D. MOLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

F. A. Booth, Esq.,
General Contractor,
Room 42,
Butterworth Building,
Ottawa.

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ACCOUNTS ARE DUE AND PAYABLE ON THE FIRST OF EACH MONTH

P. O. BOX 85



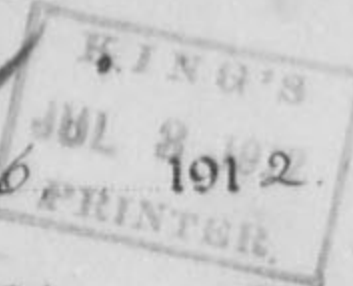
ESPATCH AND TRIBUNE

COMMERCIAL PRINTING 406455

G. H. NEWTON, PROPRIETOR

North Bay, Ont.,

June 26



TWICE-A-WEEK
TUESDAY and
FRIDAY

Sold to Indian Affairs, Ottawa.

Duplicate

Apr. 30 To Advt. 45 lines st. re Tenders
for school house, Whitefish
Lake.

See Aug. 7th

2275

END.

\$6.75

Correct at Contract Rates.
C. H. Parnell & Co. S.

Per *Graceland* A.C.

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F. A. BOOTH
CARPENTER & BUILDER

Ottawa, July 5th. 1912. 191

J. D. McLean, Esq.

Asst. Deputy and Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

457073

Dear Sir :-

I hereby submit offer for construction of school and teachers residence at White Fish Lake, according to plans and specifications submitted, for the sum of "FOUR THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED and SIXTY FOUR DOLLARS and TWENTY EIGHT CENTS, (\$4364.28)

Should spruce V joint be substituted for plaster the price would be, FOUR THOUSAND and THREE HUNDRED and THIRTEEN DOLLARS and TWENTY EIGHT CENTS, (\$4313.28)

Should this offer prove acceptable I am prepared to deposit a marked check for 10% of the contract price according to provision governing same in specification.

Hoping that as the season is advancing, I will hear from you at an early date,

I am,
Respectfully Yours,

F. A. Booth

Room 42 Butterworth Bldg.
197 Spark St,
Ottawa, Ont.

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It is for the Department to say whether it will accept Mr. Booth's offer. The late Agent, Mr. Sims, was not in favour of trying to have the work done by day labour and I think it might be well under the circumstances to accept Mr. Booth's offer.

By a resolution of the Band of November 15th the money is to be taken from the Capital Funds of the Band and an Order in Council will be necessary.

Incarment Benson

*Let Mr. Booth
fully in
to Council - taking
the funds - accepting
Booth's offer*

*Oct.
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Ottawa, July 10, 1912.

Mr. Pedley,-

In February, last, the Department called for tenders for the erection of a combined school-house and teacher's residence at Whitefish Lake. Two tenders were received, one from Mr. Evans of Sudbury for \$4000.00 and one from Mr. Joseph Lalonde of St. Andrew's East, Que. for \$3850.00. Mr. Lalonde's tender was conditional on his receiving the contract for the Golden Lake School, but he did not receive this and of course his tender for Whitefish Lake could not be considered. Mr. Evans's tender was considered too high at the time as Mr. Ghene's estimate of the cost was only \$3200.00.

In April the Department, after making some changes in the specifications, which if they would not lower the price would make it more convenient to get the work done, again

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again called for tenders. The result was that only one was received, from Mr. Evans and his price this time was \$4500.00, \$500.00 more than the first time. This, he stated, was due to an increase in the cost of material and labour and the difficulty in getting in the material when the ice had gone.

About the time these tenders were due Mr. F. A. Booth, carpenter and builder of Ottawa, saw the advertisement and called at the Department. At your direction he was given a set of the plans and specifications and he now submits an offer to erect the building for \$4364.28, or, if spruce V joint be substituted for plaster on the walls, for \$4313.28. Mr. Ohene's estimate of the cost of this work was based upon the assumption that material would only have to be drawn four miles, but the Department understands that it has to be teamed from Sudbury, a distance of 15 miles, and a portion of the road, that on the reserve, is very bad; in fact it is so bad that it will necessitate doubling teams to take in a load of material of any size. In view of this fact it may be that Mr. Booth's offer is a reasonable one!

The day school has not been in operation since the first of this year, as there is no accommodation for a teacher. It is desirable that it should be re-opened at an early date, if it is possible to have the building erected.

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Ottawa, July 12, 1912.

Mr. Pedley,-

Since writing the memorandum to you on the question of the building of the Whitefish Lake school and residence the resident Missionary has nominated for the position of teacher Miss Mary Martha Plean, who is at present teaching a public school at Naughton, about four miles from the reserve. Miss Plean is an experienced teacher and is at present teaching under a permit from the Ontario Government. It is proposed to approve of this nomination and it would be well, if at all possible, to see that proper accommodation is provided for Miss Plean before the cold weather sets in. She has promised the Missionary to remain at least one year.

Markus Rexon

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Ottawa, 19th July, 1912.

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A resolution has been passed by the Whitefish Lake band in favour of the cost of the building being charged to their capital.

In view of the circumstances above mentioned, the undersigned would recommend that the offer of Mr. Booth to erect the building referred to for \$4,313.28 be accepted and that the cost be charged, under section 90 of the Indian Act - as the work when completed will be in the nature of a permanent improvement - to the capital at the credit of the Whitefish Lake band, which amounts to \$56,668.82.

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The Indians have passed a resolution to pay the cost from their capital, and the requirements of Sec. 90 of the Indian Act - governing such expenditures - are met.

Indian Affairs,

19 July, 1912.

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Whitefish, Ont. *Nov 11* 1914

To The Dept of Indian Affairs
Whitefish Lake

To J. D. GEMMELL, Dr.

DEALER IN

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, BOOTS, SHOES, PROVISIONS, ETC.

→ TERMS CASH. ←

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The Indians have passed a resolution to pay the cost from their capital, and the requirements of Sec. 20 of the Indian Act - governing such expenditures - are met.

Indian Affairs,

19 July, 1912.

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Ottawa, July 31, 1912.

Sir,-

Mr. Conley of this Department, who has recently returned from Whitefish Lake, reports that there is no necessity for the erection of a new school building there if the present one is properly repaired. He suggests that a foundation be placed under the building and that some other repairs be made and I have to ask you to be good enough to enumerate the repairs necessary with an estimate of the cost in detail, stating whether you can have this work done by day labour and under what supervision.

The foundation may be constructed as follows:- cement piers 18" by 18", three feet below the grade line, should be placed eight feet apart, with a cement wall 6 inches thick and the same depth between the piers. The cement should come up to the joists above the ground.

A new teacher has been engaged for this school and the Department desires to have the school-house and living quarters made comfortable before the winter sets in.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Wm. McLeod, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,

August, 1st, 1912.

Sir :-

Referring to Official Letter, No. 151715/5 of April, 17th, Last, regarding building a new School at Whitefish Lake Reserve.

I would most respectfully ask, if any tender was accepted by the Department. If not I would most respectfully recommend, that the old school building be raised about two feet and a stone or cement foundation be put under it. The teachers dwelling also needs a general over-hauling. The total cost of the foundation and the repairs to the teachers dwelling should not exceed \$ 250.00. If the above repairs were done this school would compare favorably with any rural school in the District. Mr Conley saw the building when he was at Whitefish Lake with me and can give you any further information required, also in reference to the old and new school sites.

Your obedient servant,

Wm M Lead

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..



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151715/ 5,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

August, 10th, 1912.

Sir :-

In reply to Offical Letter No. 151715/5 of July 31st, last, I have the honor to report that I have consulted different contractors, and men capable of doing the work of repairs at Whitefish Lake School, and none of them are desirous of taking the contract of work, but would go and work by the day. I could get two men who reside here to go there per day work and get the rest of labor required by engaging Indians.

As Whitefish Lake School is in an out of the way place I think it almost impossible to get any one to take the contract, the best way would be take the men over there, and purchase all material they would require, and the work would be done in much less time than waiting to receive any tender.

The men ask \$ 2.50 per day and board and fares to and from Naughton, they would also have to do their own cooking. The total cost of repairs and foundation should not exceed. \$ 250.00.

Your obedient servant,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

Indian Agent,



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1. Adm
2. Sec
3.

Mr Moffat

*Please see rept-15
contain hereunder
S.M.*

Ottawa, August 16, 1912.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst. and in reply I beg to say that the Department approves your recommendation to have the repairs at the Whitefish Lake school done by day labour.

You may engage the two men referred to and the necessary Indian labour. The white men will be paid \$2.50 a day and will be allowed \$4.00 per week each for board. They will also be given transportation to and from Naughton. The Indians should be allowed a fair rate of wages.

The accounts should show in detail all materials purchased with prices, which must be fair, and the total number of days labour of each workman. You should be guided by the patronage list in making the purchases, and the total expenditure should be kept within the estimate. The work should be rushed forward and completed as soon as possible.

Your obedient Servant,

J.D. McLEOD

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

*Wm. McLeod, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.*

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TELEPHONE 235

ACCOUNTS ARE DUE AND PAYABLE ON THE FIRST OF EACH MONTH



TWICE-A-WEEK
TUESDAY and
FRIDAY

ESPATCH AND TRIBUNE

COMMERCIAL PRINTING

G. A. NEWTON, PROPRIETOR

408102
North Bay, Ont., June 20, 1912

Sold to

Indian Affairs, Ottawa.

Feb. 20

To Advt. 14 lines 30. re Tenders
for Schoolhouse Whitefish
Lake.

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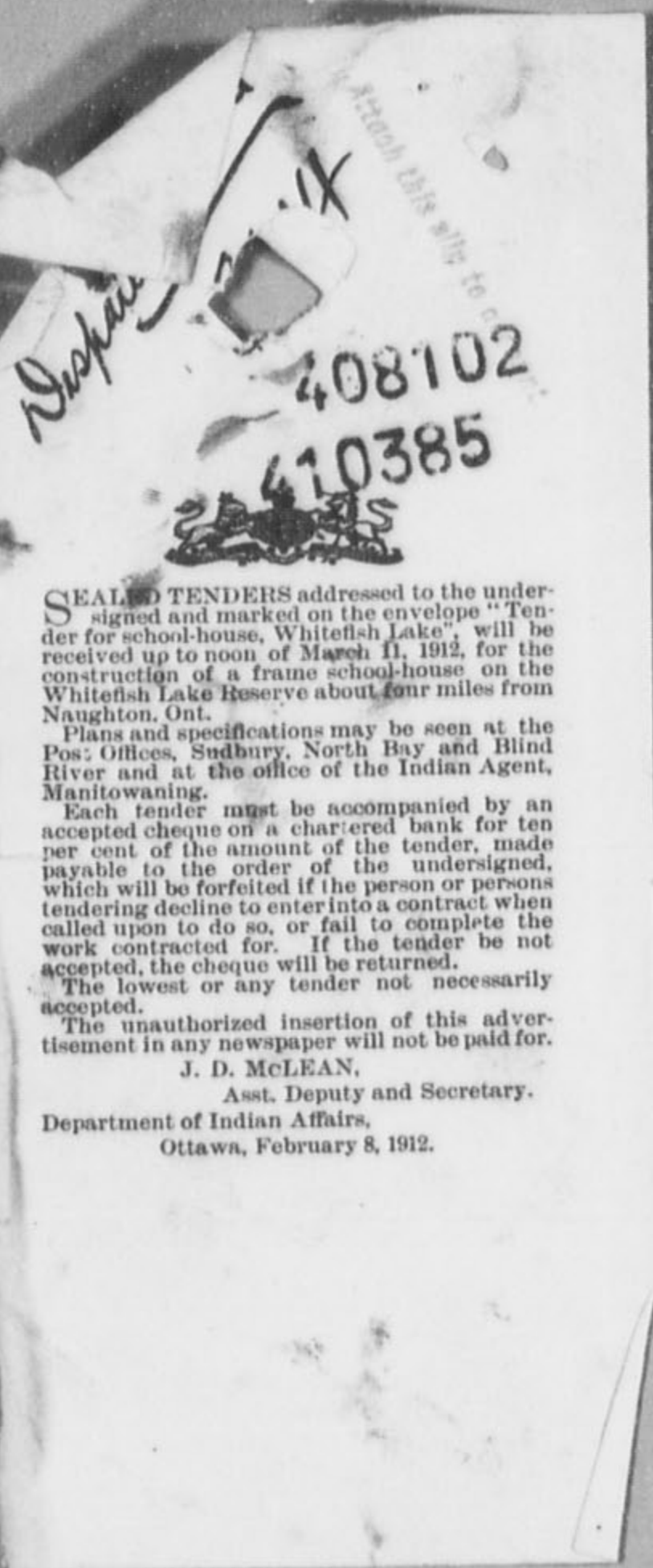
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Per [Signature] A.G.

Please attach the marked order slip Y.B.

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SEALD TENDERS addressed to the under-
signed and marked on the envelope "Ten-
der for school-house, Whitefish Lake", will be
received up to noon of March 11, 1912, for the
construction of a frame school-house on the
Whitefish Lake Reserve about four miles from
Naughton, Ont.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the
Post Offices, Sudbury, North Bay and Blind
River and at the office of the Indian Agent,
Manitowaning.

Each tender must be accompanied by an
accepted cheque on a chartered bank for ten
per cent of the amount of the tender, made
payable to the order of the undersigned,
which will be forfeited if the person or persons
tendering decline to enter into a contract when
called upon to do so, or fail to complete the
work contracted for. If the tender be not
accepted, the cheque will be returned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily
accepted.

The unauthorized insertion of this adver-
tisement in any newspaper will not be paid for.

J. D. McLEAN,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, February 8, 1912.

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*At 82-128, 2033-1-41, 55-988
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284 - 21.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

Sir :-

September, 26th, 1912.

Referring to Official Letter No. 151715/5, of August 16th, last, authorizing repairs to the Whitefish Lake Indian School.

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account amounting to \$ 169.75, in my favor, for expenses in connection with the said repairs. I have not yet received the account for material, but will transmitt same to the Department on receipt.

Your obedient servant,

W. McLeod
Indian Agent,

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont...

*Enclose cheques
and inform agent that
from an examination of the
voucher for \$169.75 it is
observed that \$128.25 of it is
for labour etc in connection
with the repairs to the school
and the balance \$41.55
is for his own travelling
and board expenses. He
should not have included
the latter with the same
voucher on the school expenditure
on the travelling expenses
he was incurred while
the repairs were being
made. A separate voucher
should be forwarded in full
for each of these items.*

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No. of Account 82

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

Manitowaning Agency.
Whitefish Lake School.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Cochrane Hardware, Ltd. 411669

DATE	AMOUNT
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Authorized by Dept. Letter No. 151715/5 dated August, 16th, 1913.

SUDBURY SAULT STE. MARIE NORTH BAY LITTLE CURRENT COPPER CLIFF

Office Phone 107
Store Phone 666

STATEMENT

RETAIL DEPT.

SUDBURY, ONT., Sept. 411669

M^{rs}. Mr. McLeod

IN ACCOUNT WITH

COCHRANE HARDWARE, LIMITED

STOVES, HARDWARE AND TINWARE, PAINTS, OILS AND GLASS

PLUMBING, HEATING AND TIN SHOP IN CONNECTION

DATE	DESCRIPTION	FOLIO	DEBIT AMOUNT	CREDIT AMOUNT	TOTAL
Aug. 20	6 Bags Cement	678	3 75		
	2 Bbls. Lime	"	3 30		
	20# Shingle Nails	"	70		
	10# " 3"	"	30		
	5# " 2 1/2"	"	15		
	7 Window Fasteners	"	45		
	2 Thumb Latches	"	50		
	1 Galv. Roof Pipe	"	75		
	4 1/2 # Cedar Shingles	"	11 38		
	200' Lumber 1"	"	4 00		
	6 Lime Bags	"	30		25 58
Sep. 21	Tramming goods to Naughton, Aug. 20	217	6 00		6 00
					<u>31 58</u>

Factory have not made Sashes yet, but we will ship and invoice same, immediately on receipt.

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KINDLY CHECK THIS STATEMENT AT ONCE.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,

September, 30th, 1912.

Sir :-

Referring to Official Letter No. 151715/5, of August, 16th, last, authorizing repairs to the Whitefish Lake Indian School.

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account amounting to \$ 31.58, in favor of the Cochrane Hardware, Limited, for material and teaming the same to the Whitefish Lake School. There will be still an account for four storm windows which I ordered, but have not been received from the factory. I had to get either storm windows or new windows for the School, and I thought storm windows would be the better.

Your obedient servant,

Wm M Good
Indian Agent,

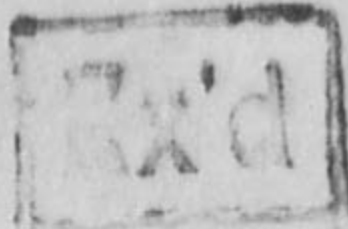
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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Recommended for Payment
Approved
D. E. B.
J. H. L.
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With cheque

Ottawa, 5th October, 1912.

Sir:-

I enclose herewith cheques Nos. 3313 for \$128.20 and 988 for \$41.55 in payment of the account which accompanied your letter of the 26th ultimo relative to repairs at the White Fish Lake Indian School etc. An examination of the voucher for \$169.75 shows that \$128.20 of the said amount is an expenditure for labour in connection with the school, and that the balance (\$41.55) is for your own travelling expenses and board. You should not have included travelling expenses and board in the voucher for expenditure on the school, even when the expense for travelling etc. was incurred in connection with the school. A separate voucher should be submitted for each class of expenditure in future.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Wm. McLeod Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Extract from Report of Inspector J.P.Finn on the Whitefish
Lake Indian School, November, 1912, Original on File
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GENERAL REMARKS.

ETD.

Soap and towels should be supplied.

J.P.Finn,
Inspector

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EXD.

Extract from Report of Inspector J.P. Finn on the Whitefish
Lake Indian school, November, 1912. Original on File
151715-6.

BUILDINGS and PREMISES.

| Blackboards, insufficient.
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| Desks - The desks are poor and broken. New ones are
required.
=====

| Water Closets - The closets need attention.
=====

J.P. Finn,

Inspector



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Ottawa, January 8, 1913.

Sir,-

Mr. Winn, Separate School Inspector, in his report on the Whitefish Lake School states that the black-board accommodation is not sufficient, that more desks should be supplied and that the closets need attention.

Kindly arrange to have the closets attended to and ascertain at your convenience the dimensions of the boards required and also the number of desks, with a diagram of the school floor showing their locations. The Department will then be in a position to order them. You should also give shipping directions so that the black-boards and desks may be sent by freight.

You may also arrange to supply some soap and towelling for this school.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Wm. McLeod, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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No. of Account *82*

INDIAN TRUST FUND. Manitowaning Agency,
Whitefish Lake School,

The Department of Indian Affairs,

419152

To J. D. Gemmell,

DATE	AMOUNT
151715/4, January, 8th, and 10th, 1913.	
Authorized by Dept. Letter No. dated	

Whitefish, Ont., 21st Jan'y 1913
At the Dept of Indian Affairs
Whitefish Lake

BOUGHT OF J. D. GEMMELL, 419152

DEALER IN

Dry Goods, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Hardware, Groceries,
FLOUR AND FEED.

TERMS CASH

To 12 Barb Soap	5	60
" 6 yls Lounging	12 1/2	75
" 1 ymc water pair	35	35
" 1 Brown	35	35
		205

151715/4
Jan 10 - 8

J.D.G.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

W. W. Wood

Agent.

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151718/4,

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,

January, 27th, 1913.

Sir :-

Referring to Official Letters No 151715/4 of the 8th, and 10th, Inst, authorizing supplies for the Whitefish Lake Indian School.

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account amounting to \$ 2.05 in favor of J. D. Gemmell for the same.

Your obedient servant,

Wm Wood

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT
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Massey Station, Ont.,
10th April 1913.



423253
The Secretary of the Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir,
I have the honor to inform you, that, yesterday, I
returned from the Whitefish Lake Reserve, of which I am the
missionary, and where I passed two full days.

I beg to call the attention of the Department - with due respect -
to the deplorable state of the school-house of that locality.
During the Easter vacation, while the teacher, Miss Pleau, was
away in Naughton, the class room was flooded with the melted
snow water. When I arrived there, on the 7th inst, I still saw
the traces of the water. The floor is swollen up and raised con-
siderably, in consequence. There is great dampness in the room, as
the water must be stagnant under the building. It ran in
between the lower log and the cement wall built there last
fall, also in front of the house.

This must be most injurious to the health of both the
teacher and the pupils, and I consider it my duty to inform
the Department of the fact, as more serious damage is done.
The kitchen, which serves also the purpose of a sitting room,
is not damaged by the water.

I send this letter direct to the Department, not to avoid its pas-
sing through the hands of the Indian Agent at Manitowaning,
but simply to insure a quicker remedy to the evil, to which
I respectfully call the attention of the authorities.

Kindly send your answer to me at
Sudbury, Ont..

Yours truly
(Rev) Jos. Specht, S.J.

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Ottawa, April 14, 1913.

Rev. Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th instant, and in reply I beg to say that the Department regrets to learn of the conditions at the ^{School} Whitefish Lake due to flooding. The Indian Agent will be written to and asked to look into the matter.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MCLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. Jos. Specht, S.J.,
Massey Station, Ont.

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2 letters

Ottawa, April 14, 1913.

EXD.

Sir,-

Rev. Father Specht has written the Department advising that during the Easter vacation the school-house at Whitefish Lake was flooded. As a result the floor is swollen and there is great dampness in the room, as the water appears to be staying under the building.

The Department regrets this, although it is a matter for which nobody is responsible. No doubt the water will drain away and possibly the floor also will right itself if the fire is kept on. The Department, would, however, like to know whether anything could be done to prevent a recurrence next spring and would be glad to have your opinion.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Wm. McLeod, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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151715/5

Ottawa, April 17, 1913.

EXD.

Sir, -

284 - 21

Replying to your letter of the 11th instant I beg to say that you may purchase the additional desks required for the Whitefish Lake school.

Your remarks with regard to the closets and blackboards are noted.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Wm. McLeod, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND. Manitowaning Agency,
Whitefish Lake School.

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To The Geo. M. Hendry, Co. Limited.

DATE

AMOUNT

151 715 - 5, April, 17th, 1913.

Authorized by Dept. Letter No. dated

Remittance must be made direct to our order by Bank Draft, P. O. or Express Money Order, payable at par in Toronto

W. and A. K. Johnston's Maps
Atlases and Globes
Rand, McNally & Co's Pocket Maps
of every State and Province
School Wall Maps of every Country
County and Provincial Maps
Natural Slate Blackboards
Hyloplate Blackboards
School Desks, Flags and Bells
Kindergarten Material
Drawing Models
Map Mounting a Specialty
Manual Training Outfits
Harbutt's Plasticine

TERMS NET CASH

TELEPHONE MAIN 4682
4683

215-219 VICTORIA STREET

TORONTO, ONT.

May 5 1913

BOUGHT OF

THE GEO. M. HENDRY CO., Limited

CANADIAN SCHOOL SUPPLIES

IMPORTERS, MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS IN
ALL KINDS OF

PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL APPARATUS, SCHOOL AND EDUCATIONAL SUPPLIES

Via C. P. R. No. of Pieces 3 Order No.

3 Bk. Sp. Desk #3

45

13 05

Shipped to: Mrs. Mary B. Pearson
Naughton, Ont.

Lued. May 22/13

138

just

13 05

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed
and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item
of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

W. M. Hendry

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

423893

Manitowaning, Ont..



IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No.

ALSO

TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

151715/5

April, 11th, 1913.

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284 -- 21.

Sir,—

Referring to Official Letter No. 151 715/5 of January, 8th, last, in regard to blackboard, Desks, and repairs to closets at the Whitefish Lake School.

I have the honor to report that I have taken this matter up with the teacher Miss Mary M. Plean and she informs me that there is three new desks required, that she has all the blackboard that she requires, and that the closets are in first class repair, as they were repaired last fall the same time the repairs was done to the School.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..



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151 715 - 5

284 - 21,



Indian Office, Manitowaning,

May, 12th, 1913.

Sir :-

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account of \$ 13.05, in favor of the Geo M. Hendry Co. Limited, for three desks for the Whitefish Lake Indian School, as authorized by Offl. Lett. No. 151715 - 5, dated the 17th, of April, last.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

See note
Recommended for Payment
1913
Approved.
D. E.
Just
02/15/13

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for No. 5
151715-5-
DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 9 1913
Extract from the Agents Report in the Whitefish Indian
Day School for the Month of May, 1913.
Original on File 151715-7
421528

mm The school which was flooded last Easter week, was
caused by snow being banked up against the sides of the
building, and the Indians in the absence of the teacher
did not open a water course. If that had been done, there
would be no danger of flooding.

W. McLeod,
Indian Agent,



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INDIAN TRUST FUND

Manitowish Agency
No. of Account.....

Whitefish Lake Day School
Sch Vote

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To *J. D. Gemmell*

DATE	AMOUNT
<i>1914</i> <i>Mar 23</i>	<i>444215</i>

Authorized by Dept. Letter No. dated

Whitefish, Ont. Mar 13 1914

M. Dept of Indian Affairs
Whitefish Lake

BOUGHT OF J. D. GEMMELL,

DEALER IN

Dry Goods, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Hardware, Groceries,
FLOUR AND FEED.

TERMS CASH

<i>1/2 Dye Stakes</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>60</i>	
<i>1 Box slab Pencils</i>		<i>25</i>	
			<i>85</i>

JW

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

H. M. Head

Agent.

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284 - 22,

Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont..

March 23rd, 1914.

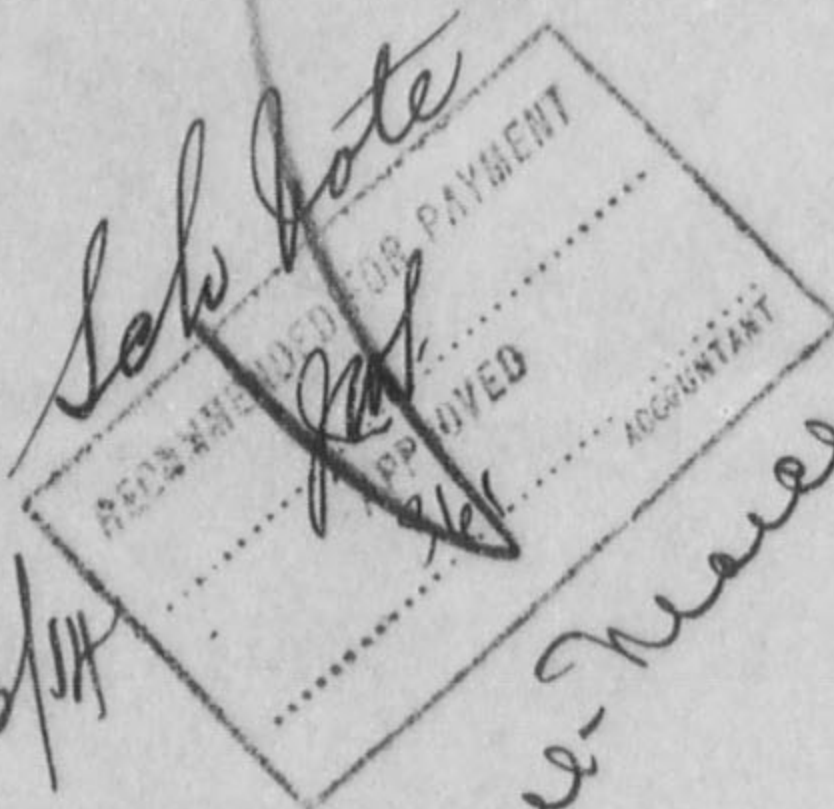
444215

Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 151715/4 dated October the 30th, last, I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in favor of J. D. Gemmell amounting to 85 ¢ for six slates and one box of slates pencils, furnished to the Whitefish Lake Indian School.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.



26-March 28/14

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

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Maintaining a general
No. of account
Whitefish Lake School
UND

To J. D. Gammell

AMOUNT.

Sept

22

Authorized by Dept. Letter No. 15771374 dated Sept 11/14

TERMS CASH Whitefish, Ont. Sept 17 1914

M. *Dept of Int. Affairs*
 THE GILBERT, DENNE COMPANY, LIMITED, TORONTO AND MONTREAL

2 Browns	70
1 water owl	30
2 W. Towhee	73
3 W. W. Blue	130
12 Bar rock	60
	385

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TO CORRECT ERRORS BRING THIS BILL

See Sept. 26/4

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385-

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Tom Lead
Agent.

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284 - 23. Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont..

September 22nd, 1914.



454457

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Sir :-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 151715/4
dated the 17th instant, I have the honor to enclose
herewith an account in favor of J. D. Gemmell
amounting to \$ 3.85 for supplies furnished to the
Whitefish Lake Indian School.

Your obedient servant,

Wm. L. ...
Indian Agent.



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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Winnipeg
No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

Whitefish Lake

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To Joseph Pinac

DATE

1914
Nov 18

Authorized by Dept. Letter No. dated

AMOUNT.

Folio

Whitefish Lake Oct 14 1914

M. Dept of Indian Affairs

In Acct.
with

Joseph Pinac

Terms

1914
Aug 22 To 5 days @ 200 10 00

pulling out furs + waiting
for person
Whitefish Lake

Witness

Joseph Pelahite
Chief

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

W. W. Lead

Agent.

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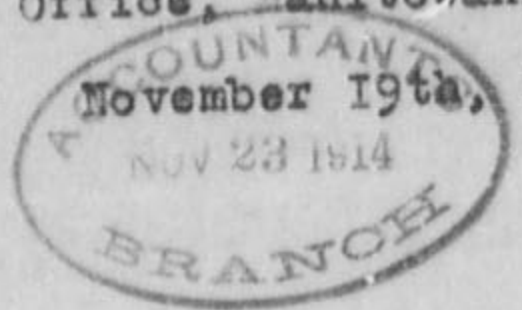
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266-22, Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont..

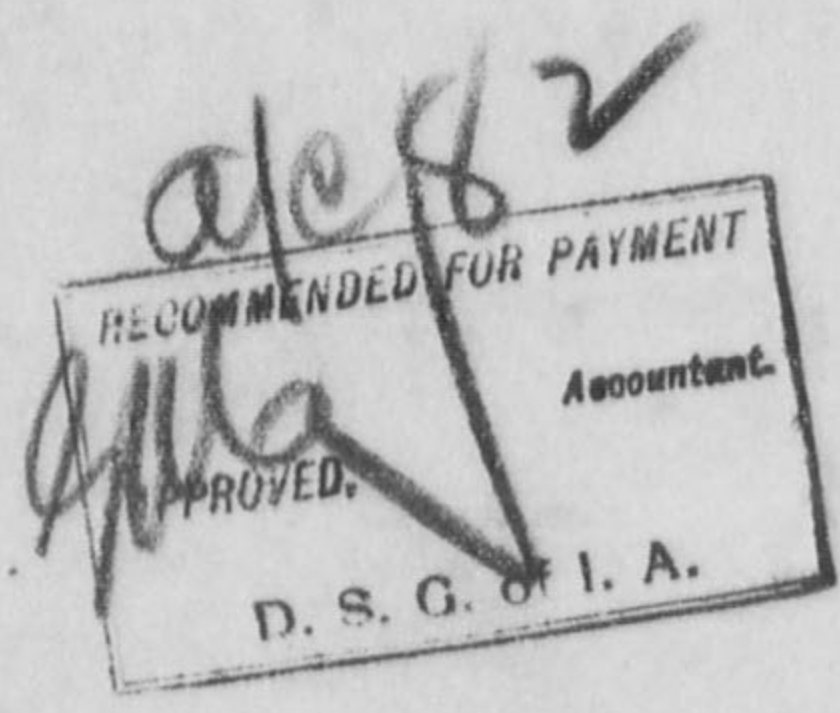


Sir :-

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in favour of Joseph Pinac amounting to \$ 10.00 for five days labour watching and fighting fire on the Whitefish lake Reserve.

Your obedient servant,

Wm L. L.
Indian Agent.



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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No. 7 Account.....
Whitefish Lake School
Manitowaning, Agency.

To.....J. D. Gemmell.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Wm Lead
Agent.

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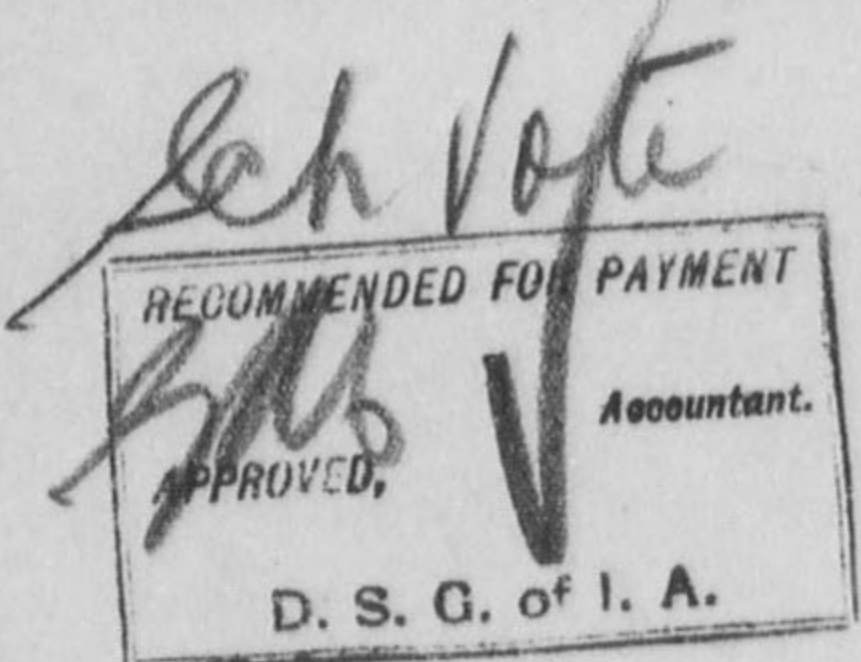
284-23, Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.,
December 30th, 1914.

Acct

Sir :-

Authorized by Official Letter No.
151715/5 dated the 28th of October last,
I have the honor to enclose herewith an
account in favour of J. D. Gemmell amount-
ing to 60 ¢, for slates furnished to the
Whitefish Lake School.

Your obedient servant,



Wm Lusk
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

No. of account
Manitowaning Agency

Whitefish Lake School

461328

Department of Indian Affairs,

To John Pepekawis

DATE	AMOUNT
1915.	
ny 2	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. 151715/4 dated Nov. 25/14.

STATEMENT.

Whitefish Lake Reserve, Jan 2/15

Dept of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

Ina Wisk

John Pepekawis

Dr.

TERMS:
1915

Jany 2 To 12 bars of soap furnished
to Whitefish Lake School

.60

Int. Jan. 16/15

5278

[Signature]

.60

I HEREBY certify that the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent.

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254-24, Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont..
January 11th, 1915.

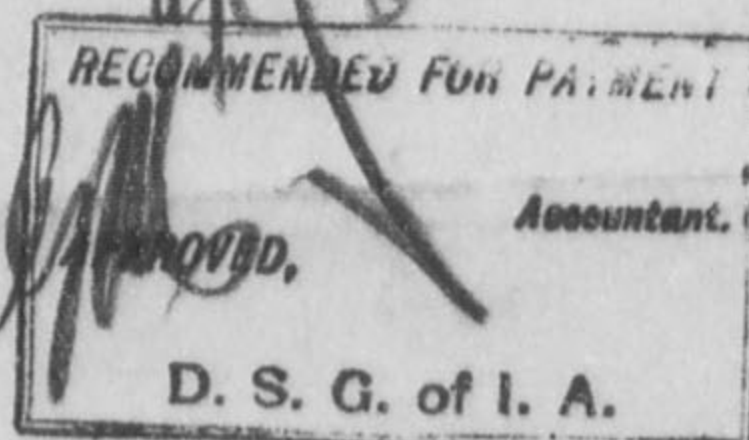
Sir :-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 151715/4
dated the 25th of November last, I have the honor
to enclose herewith an account in favor of John
Pepekewis amounting to .66 ¢ for soap furnished
to the Whitefish Lake Indian School.

Your obedient servant,

W M Lusk
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..



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15-1715-5-
462896

254-24, Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.,

[Signature] February 9th, 1915.

463192

Sir :-

I have the honor to report that the residence at the Whitefish Lake Indian school has been damaged by fire to the extent of about \$ 10.00; a hole being burnt through the roof and ceiling. I would most respectfully recommend that authority be given to have it repaired.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

*authorize
repairs to residence
cost not to exceed 10
JAS*



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151715-5

Ottawa, 15th February, 1915.

284-24

Sir:-

In reply to your letter of the 9th instant,
I beg to say that you may incur an expenditure not exceed-
ing \$ 10.00 in having necessary repairs made to the White-
fish Lake Indian School, which was recently damaged by fire.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

William McLeod, Esq.,
Indian Agent.
Manitowaning, Ont.

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*Records
please file 220.*

15-1715-5



Extract from Agent's Report on the Whitefish Lake Day
School for the month of January, 1915.

Original on File 151715-7.

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There was a fire which damaged the roof and ceiling of
the teacher's residence a few days before my visit.
It will cost between eight and ten dollars to repair,
and for which I made arrangements for the same, as the
teacher could not live in the dwelling until it was re-
paired.

W. McLeod,
Agent

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Manitowaning Agency
No. of account 82

INDIAN TRUST FUND Whitefish Lake School

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To James Shawbanoquet

DATE		AMOUNT
1915		
March 15	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. 151715-5 dated Feby 15/15	

STATEMENT.

Whitefish Lake, March 10th, 1915

Dept of Indian Affairs

Ottawa, Ont..

Invoice With

James Shawbanoquet

Dr.

TERMS:

March 10	To I. V. Shingles	1.25
"	" Nails	.25
"	" Labour	2.50
"	" Total	4.00
For repairs to the Whitefish Lake Indian School		

2115

See Mar. 19/15
6365

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

W. M. Leonard
Agent.

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15-1715-5-1
Accountant
ACCOUNTANTS
MAR 19 1915
FRAN H
DEPARTMENT OF IN
MAR 18 1915
284-24, Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont., 464950
March 15th, 1915.

Sir :-

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in favour of James Shawbwonoquet amounting to \$ 4.00, for repairs to the Whitefish Lake Indian School, Authority Official Letter No. 151715-5 dated the 15th of February last.

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Leod

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..



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EXTRACT.

ORIGINAL ON 151715-6A.

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REPORT OF INSPECTOR J.P. FINN ON THE WHITEFISH LAKE DAY SCHOOL.

WATER CLOSETS,-111,- Teacher should see that the pupils keep them clean.

GROUNDS,- 11,- The play grounds could be made very good, with some care and cleaning up in general.

VENTILATION,-1V,...-, No attention paid to this all important matter by the teacher.

Date of Inspection,- May 18th, 1915.



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471517

284-24, Indian Office, Manitowaning,
August 3rd, 1915.

Sir,-

I have the honor to report that the Kitchen part of the residence at the Whitefish Lake Indian school requires some repairs, such as having the cracks filled with fresh mortar, and it should be whitewashed, also a piece of new oilcloth is required for the floor, as the shape it is in at the present time is enough to discourage a new teacher. I would most respectfully recommend that I be given authority to have the necessary repairs made, and to purchase a piece of oilcloth, which will cost approximately \$ 25.00.

Your obedient servant,



Wm. C. L. L.

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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151715-8

P.M.

Ottawa, August 6, 1915.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 3rd instant, regarding the condition of the Whitefish Indian day School, and requesting that some repairs be made.

In reply I beg to say that you may have the necessary repairs made to this school and you may also purchase the oil cloth required for the floor, the cost not to exceed the sum mentioned in your letter.

Your obedient servant

S. STEWART

[Signature] Assistant Deputy and Secretary

W. McLeod, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
Ont.

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Ottawa, August 6, 1915.

Sir,-

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Your obedient servant

S. STEWART

[Signature] Assistant Deputy and Secretary

W. McLeod, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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No. of account.

INDIAN TRUST FUND. Whitefish Lake school.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To James Shawabwonoquet.

DATE		AMOUNT.
August 28	151715-5	August 6/15
Authorized by Dept. Letter No.		dated

STATEMENT.

Naughton, Ont. Aug. 24 1915.

M Dept of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

Major Wish James Shawbwonwquet *Dr.*

TERMS:

TERMS:			
1915			
	Putting down Oilcloth		65
	Whitewashing school inside	2.50	
	Plastering Kitchen	2.50	
	Lime		.80
	Flour		.30
	Salt		.10
	Blue		.05
	Scrubbing	1.00	
	Cartage on Oilcloth		.50
		\$	8.40

2826

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS VOUCHER IS CORRECT, THAT THE RECEIPT HAS BEEN SUPPLIED, THE WORK PERFORMED AND THE CHARGES ARE FAIR AND JUST; ALSO THAT THE EXPENDITURE HAS BEEN INCURRED LEGITIMATELY AND THAT EACH ITEM OF THE SAME IS A FAIR AND JUST CHARGE AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA.

Wm Lloyd

Ag

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151715-5

284-24, Indian Office, Manitowaning,
August 28th, 1915.

Sir,-

Referring to Official Letter No. 151715-5
dated the 6th Instant, I have the honor to enclose
herewith an account in favor of James Shawbwonoquet
amounting to \$ 8.40, for repairs, scrubbing, putting
down floor oilcloth and whitewashing at the White-
fish Lake Indian school.

Your obedient servant,

Wm. L. Lott
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..



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Whitefish Lake School

To..... J. C. Irving & Co.

11.95

R. J. Lewis
Ex. Ag

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MANITOWANING, ONT.

Oct. 14th 1915.

MANITOULIN ISLAND

Messrs The Department of Indian Affairs

BOUGHT
OF

J. C. IRVING & CO.

For Whitefish Lake School

DEALERS IN

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Gents' Furnishings
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE, ETC., ETC.

1915									
Aug 10	Dr	11 yds	Deer Oil cloth	1 ⁰²		11	00		
-	-	-	Freight charges prepaid				95		
			Total			\$	11	95	
			Copy						
			Ans. M. 10/15 - 2625						

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224-25. Indian Office, Manitowaning,
November 3rd, 1915.

Sir,-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 151715-5
dated August 6th last, I have the honor to enclose
herewith an account in favour of J. C. Irving & Co
amounting to \$ 11.95 for floor oilcloth furnished
to the Whitefish Lake Indian School.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
For Indian Agent.



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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151,715

Ottawa, 10th November, 1915.

Sir,-

I am in receipt of your letter of the 3rd instant, with which you forwarded an account in favor of Messrs. J. C. Irving & Co. for floor oil cloth furnished for the Whitefish Lake Indian School; and in reply I beg to point out that when there is a charge in an account for freight prepaid, the receipt for the prepaid freight charges should be attached to the account. In the present instance the Department desires a receipt for the freight charge of .95 cents charged for in the firm's account.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLeary

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Extract

Original on 151715-6 A.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR J.P.FINN ON THE WHITEFISH LAKE SCHOOL.

Water Closets, 1V)
Desks and Seats, 111) In a very bad state and should
be attended to at once.

Date of Inspection, - October 27th, 1915.



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151715-5.

Ottawa, November 11th, 1915.

Sir,-

In a recent report on the Whitefish Lake day school, Inspector Finn states that the closets are in a very bad state and should be attended to at once.

Kindly have the closets cleaned and repaired as soon as possible, but no unnecessary expense should be incurred.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

R.J.Lewis, Esq.
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency

No. of account

INDIAN TRUST FUND

Whitefish Lake School

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J. D. Gemmell

DATE

AMOUNT

Whitefish, Ont. Nov 2 1905

At the Dept of Indian Affairs
Whitefish Lake School

In account with J. D. GEMMELL,

... DEALER IN ...

Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots and Shoes, Hats, Caps, Etc.

TERMS CASH

To 12 slates	10	120.
" 12 Bars sock	5	60.
" 2 Browns	30	60.
" 1 water pair	40	40.
" 1.7. shoe pair	40	40.
		320.

4293
J.D.G.

Sw. 17/5

\$ 3.20

that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Ag

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Co. 1st

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
November 13th, 1915.

Sir,

Authorized by Official Letter No. 151715/4
dated October 21st last, I have the honor to en-
close herewith an account in favour of J. D.
Gemmell amounting to \$ 3.20, for supplies furn-
ished to the Whitefish Lake Indian School.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT
[Signature]
Accountant.
D. S. G. of I. A.

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Aug 10 1915

Account *Froming & Co*

NEILSON'S WHARF

The undermentioned Goods have been received at this Wharf and are held entirely at owner's risk from any cause whatever, subject to charges as under

No. of Packages	Description of Goods	Weight and Rate	Steamer's Charges	Wharfage	TOTAL
	1 Roll oil cloth				95
Prepared to James Shawbanoquet Naughton ent					
<i>Paid Assessment</i>					

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151715-5
284-25, Indian Office, Manitowaning,

November 18th, 1915.

475721

Sir,-

With reference to Official Letter No. 151,715 dated the 10th Instant, I have the honor to enclose herewith the receipt from Mr Alex Neilson, Wharfinger at Manitowaning, shewing that the freight charged of .95 were paid on the floor and cloth, shipped to the Whitefish Lake Indian School, by J. C. Irving & Co.

Your obedient servant,

R. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..



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151715/5

Extract from Requisition for School Material
for the Whitefish Lake Indian School, dated January 17,
1916. Original on 151715/4.

As you are aware the roof of the school kitchen
has been burned, and it leaks very much and is rusting
and wearing out all the stove pipes and floors as well.
It would be very advisable to have it repaired at an
early date.

Signed

Tillie Fitzpatrick, Teacher
R. J. Lewis, Indian Agent.

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151715/5

Ottawa, February 1, 1916.

Sir,-

Referring to the remarks of the teacher of the Whitefish Lake School on the requisition recently forwarded for supplies for that school in which she states that the roof of the school kitchen has been burned and leaks very much and that it would be advisable to have it repaired at an early date I have to ask you to be good enough to submit an estimate of the probable cost of repairing this roof.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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254-26, Indian Office, Manitowaning,
February 17th, 1916.

Sir,-

With reference to Official Letter No. 151715/5
dated 1st instant, I have the honor to report that
the cost of repairing the kitchen roof at the White-
fish Lake School, also the closet, will probably be
\$20.00.

Your obedient servant,

Shuoio
Indian Agent.



The Secretary,
Department of "Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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15715/5

Ottawa, February 22, 1916.

Sir,-

284-26

In reply to your letter of the 17th instant I beg to say that you may have the necessary repairs made to the closet and kitchen roof at the Whitefish Lake school and the cost should not exceed your estimate of \$20.00.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency,
No. of account.....

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

For Whitefish Lake School.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To..... J. D. Gemmell.

DATE	AMOUNT
1916 Feb. 25	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. 151715/4 dated Feb. 1st.
<i>Folio</i> Naughton, Ont. Feb. 14 1916. <i>M</i> Dept. of Indian Affairs, <i>In Act:</i> Ottawa, Ont. <i>with</i> J. D. Gemmell. <i>Terms</i> For Whitefish Lake School.	
To	5 Tin stove-pipes C. 15
"	2 Yls. Table oil-cloth 30
"	12 Bars Soap C. 5
"	6 Yls. Toweling C. 12
"	1 Enamel Pan C. 15
"	2 Cans C. 15 and 25
"	3 Cans C. 12
"	1 Deer Lock C. 20
4232 sent m.v. 7/16 <i>just</i>	
3 70	

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. K. Lewis
Agent.

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284-26,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
February 25th, 1916.



BR

Sir,-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 151715/4 dated
February 1st, I have the honor to enclose herewith an account
amounting to \$ 3.70, in favour of J. D. Gemmell, for supplies
furnished to the Whitefish Lake Indian School.

Your obedient servant,

A. J. Lewis.
Indian Agent.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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ORIGINAL ON FILE....151715/6A.

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See p. 10

REPORT OF INSPECTOR FINN ON THE WHITEFISH LAKE DAY SCHOOL.

WATER CLOSETS, -1V.....The closets are in a disgraceful
condition, broken seats, etc.

Report dated, -May 10th, 1916.



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151715/5

Ottawa, May 31, 1916.

Sir,-

Mr. Inspector Finn in a recent report on the Whitefish Lake Day School states that the closets are in a disgraceful condition, broken seats, etc.

You will be good enough to see that the necessary repairs are made to these outbuildings at once.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]
STEWART

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

[Handwritten initials]
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency

No. of account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

Whitefish Lake School

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The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J. D. Gemmell

DATE	AMOUNT
1916	
July 6	151735/4 April 18/16 Authorized by Dept. Letter No.dated

STATEMENT.

Whitefish Lake, May 15th. 1916

M Dept of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

Inaf With J. D. Gemmell

Dr

TERMS:

1916			
May 8	To 1 Broom	.30	✓
	" 1 Scrub Brush	.15	✓
	" 1 Clock	3.00	✓
	" 4 Window Shades .50	2.00	✓
	" 6 Slates .15	.90	✓
	" 2 Dz. Lead Pencils	1.00	✓
		7.35	✓

7.35
3.75
3.60

830 (3.60)
805 (3.75)
sent July 19/16
JWT

7.35

I HEREBY certify that the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis

Agent.

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254-26,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

July 6th, 1916.

Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 151715/4 of the
18th of April last, I have the honor to enclose here-
with an account in favour of J. D. Gemmell amounting
to \$ 7.35 for supplies furnished to the Whitefish Lake
Indian Day School.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. Gemmell
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..



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No. of account.

Whitefish Lake School

To.....The Evans Co., Sudbury.

151715/5 May 31st, 1916.
Authorized by Dept. Letter No. dated

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STATEMENT.

Sudbury, August 15th, 1946

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Dept of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

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The Evans Co., Limited. *Dr.*

TERMS:

\$5.15

I HEREBY _____ the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

P. Hewitt

Agent

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Copy

284-27,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

August 31st, 1916.

Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 151715/5 of May 31st last, I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in favour of The Evans Co., Limited, Sudbury, amounting to \$5.15 for lumber, shingles and lime furnished to Michael Faillie to repair the Whitefish Lake school.

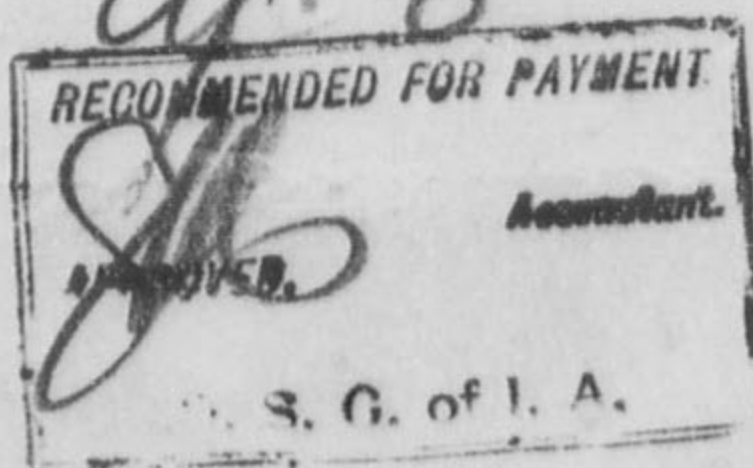
Your obedient servant,

R. Hewitt
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.



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Manitowaning Agency

No. of account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND Whitefish Lake School

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To.....Michel Faillie

DATE	AMOUNT
1916	
Aug 31	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. 151715/5 dated May 31st last.

STATEMENT.

Whitefish Lake, Aug. 28th/1916

M. Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Inaf With Michel Faillie *Dr.*

TERMS:

1916					
Aug 28	To 11 1/2 days labour rebuilding closets, plastering, white-washing, repairing and scrubbing the Whitefish Lake school at \$2.50 per day			28 75	
" 1	day drawing lumber			1 25	
"	Pluing			1 50	
"	Flour			.05	
"	Salt			.25	
"	1 bg lime			.05	
				.75	
	Total.			32 10	
				1 00	
				31 10	

I HEREBY and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. Lewis

Agent.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
August 31st, 1916.

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Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 151715/5
of May 31st last, I have the honor to enclose
herewith an account in favour of Michel Faillie
amounting to \$32.00 for labour performed and
material furnished in connection with repairs
to the Whitefish Lake school and closets.

I have found it necessary to have new
galvanized chimneys erected on the school and
residence, as the ones in use at the present
time are in a very bad condition, which en-
dangers the teacher and pupils lives.

Your obedient servant,

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[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

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RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT
[Signature]
Accountant.
D. C. G. of I. A.

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250-27,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

August 31st, 1916.

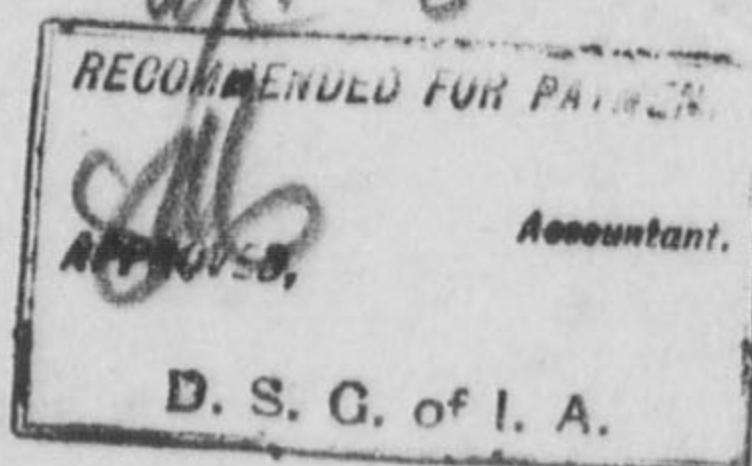
Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 151715/5 dated May 31st last, I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in favour of Robert Horne, of Sudbury, amounting to .85 for nails and a whitewash brush furnished to Michael Faillie.

Your obedient servant,

P. Lewis
Indian Agent.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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Accepted

EXTRACT

Original on file.....151715-6.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR FINN ON THE WHITEFISH LAKE DAY SCHOOL.

The waterclosets have been patched up.

It would be better to have a job properly done when it is attempted at all. The water closets, for example, are improved somewhat, but, shingles have been used to patch up the seats, while the doors have no fasteners and flap back and forth and in all probability will be open when the first snow storm comes along.

3. Class-room, - lv. The floor is very poor and rotten in places

4. Blackboards, -lll.. Rather poor and too small.

5. Heating, - The stove is not up yet.

I allowed the teacher to take a half holiday to day and to come with me as far as Naughton to look after the getting of stovepipes so that the heating of the school room might be made satisfactory.

Date of Inspection, -October 11th, 1916.



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151715-5.

Ottawa, November 3rd, 1916.

Sir,-

In a recent report on the Whitefish Lake day school, Inspector Finn states that the closets were repaired in a very poor manner, as shingles were used to patch the seats and no fasteners were placed on the doors, which flap back and forth and, in all probability, will be open when the first snow comes.

When repairs are authorized, the Department expects to have the work properly done, but, judging from the Inspector's report, this job was, certainly, slighted. Under the circumstances, you will be good enough to have the closets suitably repaired as soon as possible.

The Inspector, also, reports that the floor is very poor and rotten in places. Kindly submit an estimate of the cost of repairing this floor.

Your obedient servant,

S. STEWART

Assistant Secretary.

R.J. Lewis, Esq.
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Handwritten note:
5/17/16
m. B. M.

Manitowaning Agency
No. of account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

Whitefish Lake School

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J. D. Gemmell

DATE		AMOUNT	
1916		Authorized by Dept. Letter No. 151715/4 dated Sept. 30th last.	
Oct	12	To 6 stove pipes .15	.90
"	"	2 brooms .35	.70
		24 bars of soap .05	1.20
		1 mirror .25	.25
		2 window glass 12x24 .20	.40
		1 window glass 10x12 .10	.10
		1 # Putty	.05
"	15	1 window glass 10x12	.10
		2 window glass 12x24	1.20
"	28	6 stove pipe elbows .25	1.50
		2 # putty .05	.10
		1 window glass .10	.10
Total			6.60

2833
sent Dec. 27/16

[Signature]

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent.

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284-27, Indian Office, Manitowaning,
December 19th, 1916.

Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 151715/4
of September 30th last, I have the honor to enclose
herewith an account in favour of J. D. Gemmell
amounting to \$6.60 for supplies furnished to the
Whitefish Lake Indian Day school.

Your obedient servant,

R. Lewis
Indian Agent.

*Sch. Dist.
Pay
12/19/16*

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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284-28, *Mr. Poirer*
Indian Office, Manitowaning,
January 8th, 1917.

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Sir:-

With reference to Official Letter No. 151715-5 of November 3rd last, with regard to the estimate cost of repairing the floor at the Whitefish Lake school, I have the honor to report that the school requires a new floor, which cannot very well be put in without having a new foundation and new sleepers under the floor, as the old ones are rotten, and the building appears to be sinking.

It would cost over \$100.00 to have the floor put down properly, but the teacher advises me that the floor will do as it is until the spring.

Your obedient servant,

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS.
JAN 16 1917
ARCHITECT.

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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151715-5.

Ottawa, January 17, 1917.

Sir,-

In your report in connection with repairs to White Fish Lake school you state that the new floor which is necessary, cannot very well be put in without having a new foundation and new sleepers, also that the building appears to be settling.

As a new concrete foundation was authorized and built in the Summer of 1912, and new flooring, etc., as well as the building being overhauled, the Department cannot understand why a new foundation and new sleepers should be required at this time particularly as the building was to be raised up from the ground about two feet to prevent rotting of sills, etc.

I have to request that you will report fully on this matter so that consideration may be given at an early date.

Your obedient servant,

S. STEWART
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.
Manitoulin Island.

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Manitowaning Agency

No. of account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

Whitefish Lake school

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Ricard Bros.

DATE		AMOUNT
1917		
Jany 29	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. 151715/5 dated May 31/16.	
June 10/16	To 1 galv. wh. pipe & Cap	5.50
	2 only 7" Pipes 7 caps 30" long	2.00
		7.50

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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CANADA

284-28,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

January 29th, 1917.

Sir:-

With reference to Official Letter No. 151715/5 of May 31st last, I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in favour of Ricard Bros. of Sudbury, amounting to \$7.50 for a galvanized chimney, pipes and caps furnished to the Whitefish Lake School and teacher's residence.

When I visited this school last spring I found that there was not any chimney on the school or teacher's residence, only the pipes running through the roof, and the teacher complained that they both leaked badly, which I could see as the pipes were very rusty, therefore it was necessary for me to purchase the chimney, pipe and caps.

Your obedient servant,

R. Lewis
Indian Agent.

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8/2/17*
The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.



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264-28,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

March 30th, 1917.

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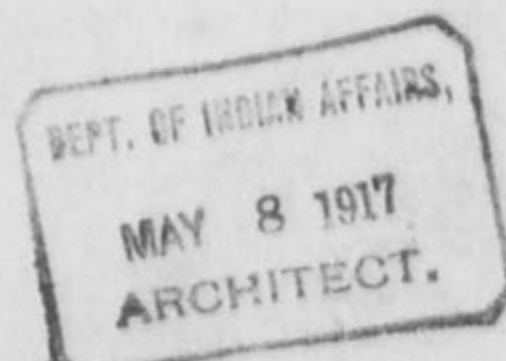
Sir:-

With reference to Official Letter No. 151715-5 of January 17th last, I have the honor to report that I visited the Whitefish Lake Indian School on the 24th Instant, and found this building in a very bad condition, on account of so much rain and the building being situated on low ground the water soaked through the walls of the class-room and ~~xxxxx~~ over the floor. Upon raising a loose board in the floor I found two feet of water under the class-room, and some of the sleepers so decayed that they will not hold the nails. No concrete foundation can be seen above the ground, and the sills appear to be still below the surface, and are sprung out of place with the frost. I should judge by the hole underneath the class-room that the building has been raised two feet since it was first erected, but no new sleepers or floor were put in.

I might say that this building is situated below the hill on the level with the Whitefish Lake and cannot be drained, the water lies under the school room nine months in each year, which causes it to be very unsanitary. During the winter months the frost heaves the building which breaks the plaster between the logs and twists the doors in such positions that they will not close, therefore the building has to be repaired quite often.

I authorized the chief, Michael Paillie, to patch the floor for the present time. //

Your obedient servant,



R. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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No. of account.....
Whitefish Lake School

INDIAN TRUST FUND

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The Department of Indian Affairs,

To.....Joseph Nootchtai

DATE		AMOUNT	
1917			
March	30	Authorized by Dept. Letter No.....dated.....	
1916			
November	14	To 8 hours labour repairing doors and chimneys @ .25	\$ 2.00
"	15	" 8 " " Glazing storm windows and putting on school and residence @ .25	2.00
"	16	" 8 Hours labour cleaning stove pipes and piling fire-wood @ .25	2.00
			6.00

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Sent 10/4/17

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. Lewis
Agent.

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284-28,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

March 30th, 1917.

Sir:-

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in favour of Joseph Nootchtai amounting to \$6.00 for 24 hours labour in connection with repairing doors and chimneys, glazing and putting on storm windows, cleaning stove-pipes and piling wood at the Whitefish Lake Indian School during last November.

Your obedient servant,

D. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



*See note
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4/14/17*

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18-1715-8



284-28,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

May 18th, 1917.

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Sir:-

I have the honor to report that Miss Tillie Fitzpatrick, teacher at Whitefish Lake School, informed me that the school and residence was burned to the ground on the 15th Instant, and as there is not any place for her to stop on the reserve she has to go home for the present.

The stove, children desks, new bed and spring and some of the teacher's clothes were burned also.

There is another ~~xxx~~ building close to where the school was situated, which would do for a class-room, if repaired some and seated, until a new building could be erected.

Your obedient servant,

R. Hewitt
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

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151715/5

*Noted
J. D. McLean*

Ottawa, May 29, 1917.

Sir,-

284-28

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 18th instant reporting that Miss Tillie Fitzpatrick, teacher of the Whitefish Lake School, informed you that the school and residence was burned to the ground on the 15th instant and that, as there is not any place for her to stop on the reserve, she has gone home for the present and stating that there is another building close to where the school was situated which would do for a class-room until a new building could be erected.

In reply I beg to say that this school may remain closed for the present. The Department has under consideration the question of rebuilding.

You will be good enough to instruct Miss Fitzpatrick to forward a return for the number of days she taught during this quarter and upon receipt a cheque for the quarter's salary will be sent her. If the Department requires her services after the summer holidays she will be notified. Kindly advise the Department of her address.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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151715/5

Ottawa, May 31, 1917.

Sir,-

In further reference to the destruction of the Whitefish Lake Day School by fire on the 15th instant I beg to say that the Department is afraid that it will be unable to provide funds for the erection of a new building so long as the war continues. It would, therefore, like you to examine the building referred to in your letter of the 18th instant and state whether there would be accommodation for the number of children enrolled at this school. If so, kindly submit an estimate of the cost of putting it in fit condition for opening school after the summer holidays. You should also advise the Department as to who is the owner of this building and on what terms it could be secured for school purposes and also whether suitable accommodation could be found for the teacher in the neighbourhood. Any school property that was saved from the fire should be stored in the meantime.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAM

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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264-28,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

July 28th, 1917.

Sir:-

With reference to Official Letter No. 151715/5 of May 31st last, I have the honor to report when I visited the Whitefish Lake Reserve on the 13th Instant, making Robinson Treaty payments to the Indians, I examined the building referred to in my letter of the 15th of May and found it in very bad condition, as it is situated in very low ground without any foundation and only an old tarpaper roof on it. This building is owned by Alexander Ozawagosh, but he only occupies it for a few months during the summer, and his reason for moving out during the colder months is, I should judge, because that it is not in a fit condition for occupation.

I did not try to secure this building for school purposes from the owner because I thought that it would have to be all repaired before it could be used for a class room, such as a new floor, roof, closets, and replastered, also a portion built to it to accommodate the teacher on account of there not being any suitable accommodation in the neighbourhood.

Your obedient servant,

P. Hewson
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.



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Sudbury Aug. 3 1917

Mr Martin Benson
Ind. School Department
Ottawa,

Dear Sir,

The Indians of the
Whitefish Lake reserve would be pleased to know
if it is the intention of the Department to open their
school next month. They expected a new school would
be built this summer, but so far they heard nothing
of it. In case the school will not be built, they would
be satisfied with having the school opened in some
house of the village. There is a scho house that can
be turned, with few repairs, into a good school house,
and Miss Filly Fitzpatrick, the last year teacher
will accept teaching in that temporary school
house.

Mrs Alex. Lamoureux, Thessalon, Ont. previously
teacher at Garden Village school, Mississauga
Reserve would accept teaching in any school.
She mentions the Saginaw school, Spanish
River res., in case that school would reopen.
She has been a successful teacher at Garden
Village. She had some trouble with a few Indians

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of the reserve, but it was a matter of board.
I heard no complain against her teaching.

Very truly yours

T. A. Desautels, S. J.

Missionary.

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151715/5



Ottawa, August 4, 1917.

Rev. Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 3rd instant addressed to Mr. Benson of this Department, in which you state that the Indians of the Whitefish Lake Reserve would be pleased to know if it is the intention of the Department to open their school next month and that there is a house that can be turned, with a few repairs, into a good school-house.

In reply I have to ask you to be good enough to advise the Department of the name of the owner of the house you refer to. Mr. Agent Lewis advised the Department that there is ^a house belonging to Alexander Ozawagosh that could be secured, but th-at it is in very bad condition. Kindly state whether this is the house you have reference to.

In reference to the last paragraph of your letter in which you state that Mrs. Alex. Lamoureux, Thessalon, Ont., previously teacher at the Garden Village school, would accept teaching in any school I beg to say that it is presumed you mean Mrs. Alex. Ladoucer, who taught at Garden Village last year. As far as the Department is aware she intends to continue in charge of this school. Mr. Agent Cockburn is being written to in regard to this matter.

Your obedient servant,

Rev. T. A. Desautels, S.J.,
Sudbury, Ont.

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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*See No. 1
for letter*

157415-5-

Mule's Lake day school
14 Boys 3 Total pupils 25 -
11 Girls }
average attendance (13)

The school + Teacher's residence
was burned May 15-1917
The school has been closed
since that date.

Lyndhurst School

21/2/18

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Established 1869

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PULPIT FURNITURE, ALTARS, VESTMENT
CASES, ALTAR RAILS, LECTURNS, CHOIR
FURNITURE, ALSO SCHOOL FURNITURE,
OPERA AND ASSEMBLY CHAIRS



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Binder Folio...

Ledger Folio...

Our Order No. 4373

Your Order No.

WATERLOO, ONT., Sept. 24, 1911

SOLD TO Department of Indian Affairs,
c/o R.J. Lewis, Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

SHIPPED BY
CPR Ppd.

TERMS CASH

Form 151

To	8	#3	Globe	Steel	Auto.	Double	Desks	5.30	42.40
	6	#4	"	"	"	"	"	5.30	31.80
	6	#5	"	"	"	"	"	5.15	30.90
									105.10
							Advance 25%		26.28
								\$	131.38
							Less 10%		13.13
								\$	118.25

E. & O. E.

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142-54 SPARKS ST., 33-35 O'CONNOR ST., 137 QUEEN ST.

OTTAWA, Oct. 19th, 1918.

Department of Indian Affairs,

BOUGHT OF

Whitefish Lake School
BRYSON-GRAHAM, LIMITED

DEPARTMENTAL STORE *Sch vate*

TERMS CASH
NO SECOND PRICE

ACCOUNTS RENDERED MONTHLY
PHONE QUEEN 1100 PRIVATE EXCHANGE CONNECTING ALL DEPARTMENTS

FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS,
MANTLES,
CROCKERY,
FURNITURE,
WALL PAPER,
HARDWARE, CUTLERY, TINWARE,
CARPETS,
OILS,
PAINTS,
HATS AND SHOES,
MILLINERY, HATS, FURS,
CLOTHING,
WOODENWARE,
STATIONERY,
GENTS' FURNISHINGS,
TRUNKS,
VALISES,
GROCERIES.

DATE	ARTICLES	PRICE	CREDIT AMOUNT	DEBIT AMOUNT	TOTAL
	To amount of account rendered Order #151715/1.				
Oct. 2	To 1 Sauce Pan			1 35	✓
	" 1 " "			1 00	✓
	" 1 " "			95	✓
	" 1 Fry Pan			75	✓
	" 1 Dish Pan			55	✓
	" 1 Kettle			1 65	✓
	" 1 Pot			1 65	✓
	" 1 Toaster			15	✓
	" 1 Spoon			25	✓
	" 1 Roasting Pan			95	✓
	" 1 Teapot			85	✓
	" 55 Lengths Pipes			14 85	✓
	" 3 Elbows			1 05	✓
	" 1 Stove			23 50	✓
	" 1 Key Pipe			45	✓
	" 2 Rolls Wire			10	✓
	" 1 Bed & Spring			11 50	✓
	" 1 Mattress			6 50	✓
17	" Freight on Same			3 72	✓
				71 77	✓

Goods ordered, prices fair and just.

21/10/18

In charge of Schools Branch.



Sent 24/10/18

Whitefish Lake School

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FUND
82

MINUTE NO.....

To The Globe Furniture Company.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

\$118.25

legitimately and that each it

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 28 1918
RECORDS

284-29,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

October 21st, 1918.

Sir:

Authorized by Official Letter No. 151715/1 of the 1st Instant, I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in favour of The Globe Furniture Company of Waterloo, Ont., amounting to \$118.25 for twenty double desks furnished to the Whitefish Lake Indian school at Naughton.

The desks arrived in good order and are placed in the class-room.

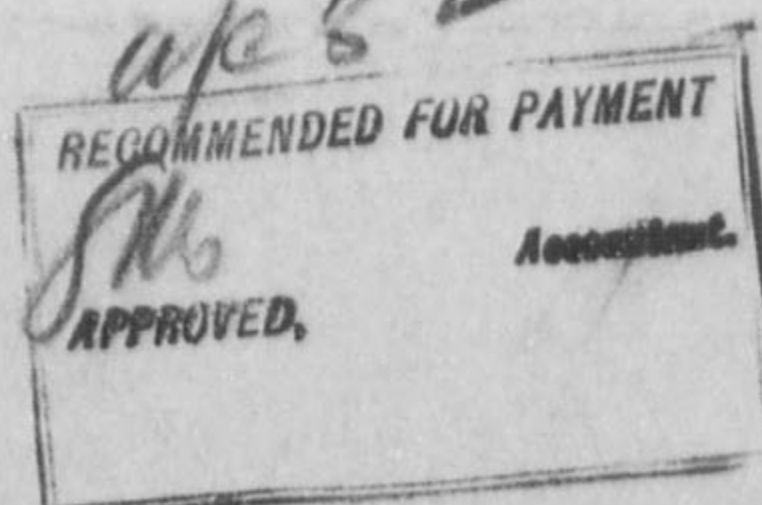
Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.



Send copy direct
to Co. Waterloo

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BRYSON-GRAHAM LIMITED
DEPARTMENTAL STORE
OTTAWA, ONT.



Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Manitowaning Agency
White Lake School.
REPORT NO. 99

MINUTE NO. No. of Account 82

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J.D. Henry Limited.

DATE		AMOUNT.	
1918		October 11th, 1918.	
Nov.	17	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 151715/4 dated	
Nov.	23	To I Dresser	15.75
"		I Wash stand	6.50
		2 Chairs @ 1.50	3.00
		I Rocker	2.85
		6 Window shades .85	5.10
		I Mirror	.65
		Total	\$33.85

5352
Sent Dec 26/18

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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284-29,



Indian Office, Manitowaning,

December 17th, 1918.

Sir:-

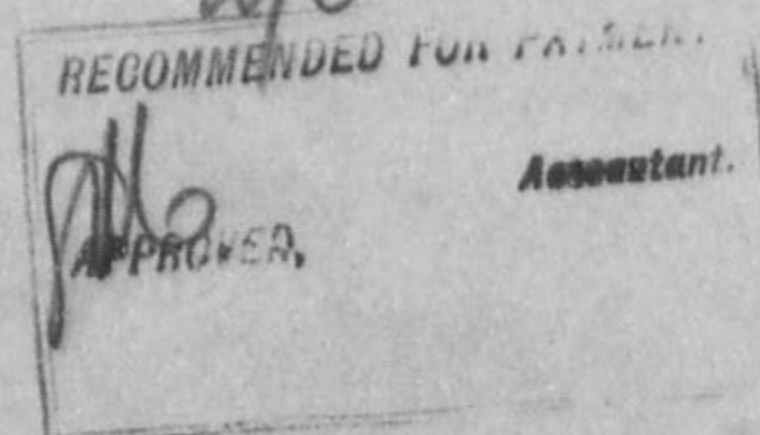
Authorized by Official Letter No. I5I7I5/4 of October 11th, last, I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in favour of J.D. Henry Limited, of Copper Cliff, amounting to \$33.85 for dresser, wash stand, 2 chairs, rocker, 6 shades and mirror furnished to the Whitefish Lake day school.

With regard to purchasing these articles in accordance with instructions given in circular letters of the 8th of May and the 24th of August, last, I have the honor to report that this is the only firm in Copper Cliff that sells furniture, this town being in the vicinity of the school.

Your obedient servant,

R. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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THIS LABEL IS A GUARANTEE OF QUALITY

Waterloo, January 24, 1919.

Mr. L. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

ALL STATEMENTS, AGREEMENTS OR QUOTATIONS CONTAINED IN THIS LETTER ARE CONTINGENT ON STRIKES, ACCIDENTS, FIRES, OR ANY OTHER CAUSES BEYOND OUR CONTROL AND ALL CONTRACTS ARE SUBJECT TO APPROVAL BY THE SIGNATURE OF A DULY AUTHORIZED EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF THIS COMPANY. CLERICAL ERRORS SUBJECT TO CORRECTION.

Dear Sir:

We acknowledge with thanks receipt of
order for one Teacher's Table #123, for the Whitefish
Lake School, Naughton, Ont.

We are pleased to advise that the ship-
ment will go forward to-day.

Yours truly,

THE GLOBE FURNITURE CO. LTD.

J. H. Bahnsen
GENERAL MANAGER.

JB/S.

PLEASE ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS
TO THE COMPANY AND NOT TO INDIVIDUALS.

JAN 25 1919

MANUFACTURERS OF

Artistic Church Furniture

Pews, Pulpit Furniture, Altars,
Vestment Cases, Altar Rails,
Recturns, Choir Furniture.

ALSO

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Manitowaning Agency.
Whitfish Lake school.

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No. of Account 82

MINUTE NO. 11111111
INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To R. J. Lewis

DATE		AMOUNT	
1919			
Jan'y	23	151715/4 October 11th, 1918: Authorized by Dept. letter No. dated January 2th, 1919:	
1918			
Dec.	13	To paid Cochrane Hardware Limited, for	
		2 brooms @ \$1.10	2.20
		1 ax and handle	2.00
		2 scrub brushes .30	.40
		2 wash basins .35	.70
		2 galv. pails .70	1.40
		2 dust pans .30	.60
		Express charges to Naughton	.50
"	13	" paid J.R. McKinnon & Sons, for	
		12 bars of soap @ .09	1.08
		Express charges to Naughton	.15
1919			
Jan'y	19	" paid Cochrane Hardware Limited, for	
		1 galv. Wash tub	1.90
		1 fire shovel	.35
		Express to Naughton	.40
			\$11.68

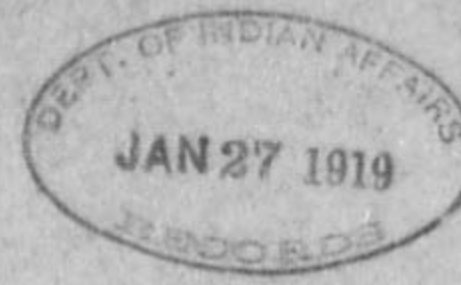
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Agent.

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384-30, Indian Office, Manitowaning,
January 23rd, 1919.

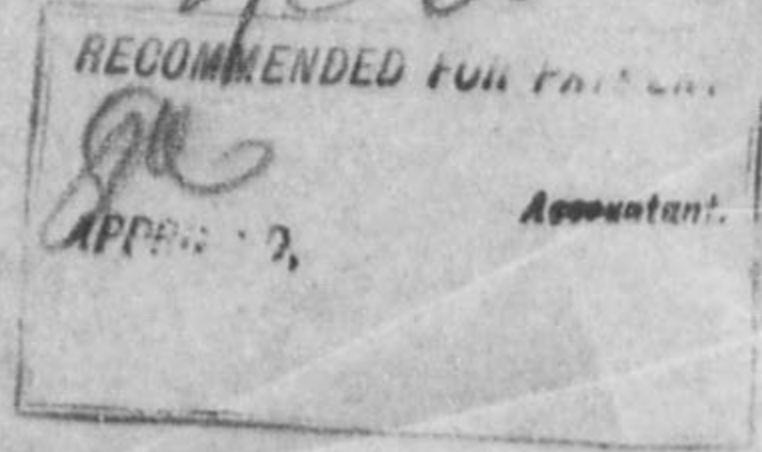
Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letters No. 151715/4 of
October 11th, last, and the 2nd Instant, I have the
honour to enclose herewith an account in favour of
myself amounting to \$11.68 for two brooms, one ax
with handle, two scrubbing brushes, two wash basins,
two galvanized water pails, two dust pans, twelve
bars of sunlight soap, one galvanized wash tub and
one fire shovel purchased for the Whitefish Lake
day school.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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Whitefish Lake School.

REPORT NO. 6-7-1944

No. of Account

MINU INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To.....The Globe Furniture Co.,.....Waterloo,.....Ont.

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that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item is a just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent.

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Established 1869

MANUFACTURERS OF
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CASES, ALTAR RAILS, LECTURNS, CHOIR
FURNITURE, ALSO SCHOOL FURNITURE,
OPERA AND ASSEMBLY CHAIRS



Binder Folio.....

Ledger Folio.....

Our Order No. 4570

Your Order No.

WATERLOO, ONT., Jan. 24,

SOLD TO Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Form 151

SHIPPED BY G.P.R. Prepaid.

TERMS

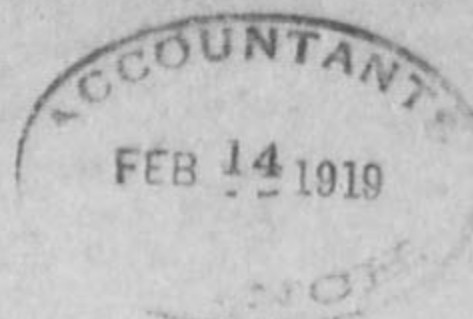
Cash

Shipped to Whitefish Lake School, R. J. Lewis, Agent.

To 1 #123 Teacher's Table	\$11.00
Less 10%	1.10
	<u>\$9.90</u>

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151715-5



284-30,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

February 10th, 1919.

W. H. Lewis
Sir,-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 151715/4 of
January 20th, last, I have the honor to enclose herewith
an account in favour of The Globe Furniture Co., Waterloo,
Ont., amounting to \$9.90 for a teacher's table furnished
to the Whitefish Lake School.

Your obedient servant,

W. H. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

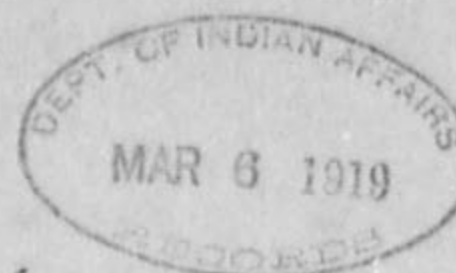
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RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT

W. H. Lewis
APPROVED, Accountant.

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RETRACT

ORIGINAL ON FILE...151715-6.

Revised
MB

REPORT OF INSPECTOR FINN ON THE WHITEFISH LAKE DAY SCHOOL.

520668

The water closets are in the one building.,
only a ^{slight} ~~light~~ partition.

These should be separate.

Date of Inspection, -February 21st, 1919.



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Manitowaning Agency.
Whitefish Lake School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To..... J. G. Henry Limited.

DATE		AMOUNT
1919		
Mar 5	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 151715/5 dated January 2nd, 1919.	
Jan'y 18	To I # 43015 Cabinet Kitchen	37.50
	I 4 Table "	6.40

		\$43.90

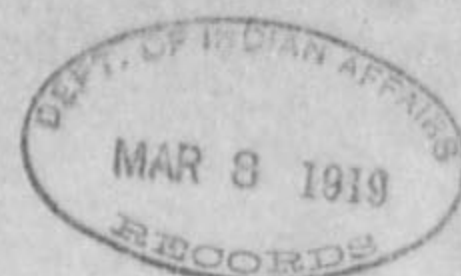
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Agent.

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Act
-29,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
March 5th, 1919.

Sir,-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 151715/1
of January 2nd, last, I have the honor to enclose herewith
an account in favour of J.B. Henry Limited, of Copper Cliff,
amounting to \$43.90 for a kitchen cabinet and table furnished
to the Whitefish Lake Indian School.

Your obedient servant,

R. Kewin
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency
Whitefish Lake School
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No. of Account 82

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J. C. Irving & Co.

DATE		AMOUNT
1919		
March 6	151715/4 October 11th, 1918. Authorized by Dept. letter No. dated	
ACCOUNT NUMBER MANITOWANING, ONT. March 5th, 1919. MANITOULIN ISLAND M Dept. of Indian Affairs. BOUGHT OF J. C. IRVING & CO. DEALERS IN Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Gents' Furnishings CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE, ETC., ETC. 1918. Dec. 2 To 2 Feather Pillows at \$1.75 each \$3.50 To Naughton, Ont. \$3.50		

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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151715-5



284-30,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
March 6th, 1919.

Sir,-

Authorized by Official Letter No. I5I7I5/4
of October 11th, last, I have the honor to enclose here-
with an account in favour of Messrs J. C. Irving & Co.
amounting to \$3.50 for two feather pillows furnished to
the Whitefish Lake Indian School.

Your obedient servant,

R. Hewes
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT
[Signature]
APPROVED,
Accountant.

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15-1715-5-



Extract from Teacher's Annual Report on the Whitefish Lake
Indian Day School for the year ended Decem ber 31, 1918.
Original on 160370-25F.. ONTARIO

Cch.

REMARKS.

the class-room is not at all suitable for
school purposes, so I would ask you to have a school
erected at once as the inhabitants of this reserve are
very anxious for a school. I guess you have their
petition they sent in sometime ago have you not.

Teacher reports that there are no closets.

Tillie Fitzpatrick

Teacher.

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Maritowning Agency.
Whitfish Lake School.

No. of Account

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To R. J. Lewis.

DATE		AMOUNT
1919		
March 7	151715/4 January 29th, 1919. Authorized by Dept. letter No. dated	
Feb'y 12	To paid freight charges on 1 Crate Hyloplate and 1 bundle Moulding to Little Current	\$1.33
" 12	" prepaid freight on these articles from Little Current to Naughton -----	1.13
		\$2.46

sent March 15/19.
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that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed
and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item
charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent.

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284-30,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

March 7th, 1919.

Sir;-

Referring to Official Letter No. 151715/4 of January 29th, last, and previous correspondence in connection with blackboards for the Whitefish Lake Indian School, I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in my favour amounting to \$ 2.48 for freight charges paid by me on one bundle of Hyloplate and one bundle of Moulding shipped by Copp Clark Company of Toronto to my address at Manitowaning.

These articles should have been addressed to Naughton. By addressing them to Manitowaning they came to Little Current by railroad, which is eighty miles past their destination and I had to have them shipped back to Naughton.

Your obedient servant,

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
MAR 17 1919
ARCHITECT.

RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT
APPROVED.
Accountant.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

*Miss Goulet
to Mr. Goulet
to Mr. Goulet*

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1. Acts
2. missing
3. Please return to
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284-30,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

February 24th, 1919.

Sir, - 520316

I have the honor to enclose herewith a document by the Chief and Principal Men of the Whitefish Lake Band of Indians requesting the Department to have a new school and teacher's residence erected on their reserve.

As the war is now over and these Indians are in need of a new school, I would most respectfully recommend that if the Department can see its way clear to appropriate enough money to build a new building, that a combined school and residence be erected.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

Capital

\$ 61,884

25



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Whitefish Lake Ont.
Feb 18 1918
520318

Mr. R. J. Lewis, I.A.
Manitowaning Ont.

Dear Sir.

Since our school was burned down in May 1917. We have all been extremely anxious to have a new one. On account of the war we have patiently waited to ask your Department, the necessary funds, to erect a suitable building for the education of our dear children.

Now that the war is happily over, the undersigned Members of the Whitefish Lake Band, Ontario, come to you with the greatest insistence and most earnestly supplicate you to build us a school, worthy of the sublime function of preparing our children to be noble citizens of Canada. We place education above everything else, and we are cheerfully ready to make the sacrifices required for this great work.

A good school is the best heritage we can leave our posterity. We wish the new school to be a monument unsurpassed by any other Reserve of our zeal for learning and

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Our practical love for our children.

Michael Taillie Chief.

Joseph Pine.

x Joseph Petahlegoose.

x Raphael "

x Angus Omiskosins.

Exavier Nootchtai

James Nootchtai.

x Michael Napsuse.

x David Beshigwan

x Joseph Beshigwan.

x George Ahimanens

Joseph Nootchtai

x Simon Massonguiskang

Ambrose Ahlneonguit.

x Alex "

x John "

x Steven "

x Alex Osaragesh.

x Julian Masinigijig

x Peter "

x Frank "

x John "

x Angus "

x Esabriel Masinigijig

x Jacob Kamassogahow.

x James Pamaginagijig

x Alex Bappegoshe

Andrew Mayonesse

Michel Mayonesse

Matthias Osaragesh.

James Shankonguit

x George Pepiguis

John Pepiguis.

x Peter Mixanin.

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March 6, 1919.

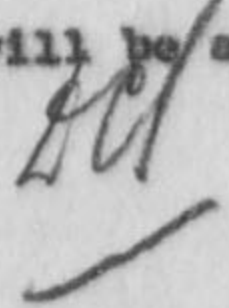
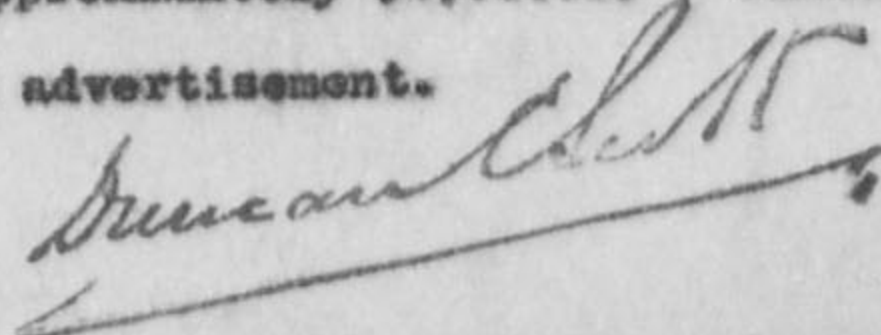
Memorandum,-

Hon. Mr. Meighen.

Application has been made to the Department by the Indians of the Whitefish Lake reserve, Ont., to have a new school and a teacher's residence erected on their reserve. The old building was destroyed by fire in May, 1917, and the school is now being conducted in temporary quarters in the Roman Catholic church.

This band have \$61,884.25 to their credit in Capital Fund, and there are between 25 and 30 children of school age on the reserve.

I would ask your authority to expend the requisite amount from the Indians' funds for the erection of a school and a teacher's residence. It is expected that the cost will be approximately \$4500.00. Tenders will be asked by public advertisement.



Deputy Superintendent General.

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MINISTER OF THE INTERIOR
CANADA

A.S. PRIVATE SECRETARY'S OFFICE

Ottawa, Ontario,
22nd March, 1919.

Memorandum:-

Mr. Scott.

The Minister approves of the suggestion contained in your memorandum of the 6th March that a new school and a teacher's residence should be erected at the Whitefish Lake Indian Reserve.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

March 24, 1919.

OFFICE OF THE
DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL
OTTAWA

MEMORANDUM

Mr. *McGilvie* -

Anten
21/3/19

You may proceed to prepare plans and specifications for the school building at Whitefish Indian reserve. As this is an isolated district, the building should be the plainest style possible and should not be any more elaborate than the schools of white settlers in the surrounding district of Algoma.

I do not think a furnace should be installed. They have plenty of wood and there will probably be no one in the neighbourhood who understands a furnace. A jacketed wood-stove for heating should suffice.

Duncan
24/3/19
D. S. G. I.A.

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Royal Arms.

TENDERS WANTED.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, registered and endorsed on the envelope, "Tender for school, at Whitefish Lake Indian Reserve, Ont.," will be received up to noon of the 28th day of May next.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Indian Agent, Manitowaning, Ont., and at the Post Offices at Sudbury, North Bay, Blind River, and at the Department at Ottawa.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank for ten per cent of the amount of the tender, payable to the order of the undersigned, (War Loan Bonds of the Dominion will also be accepted as security or war bonds and cheques if required to make up an odd amount), which amount will be forfeited if the person or persons tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for.

The building to be fully completed and ready for occupation by the 1st day of September, 1919.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

The unauthorized insertion of this advertisement in any newspaper will not be paid for.

DUNCAN C. SCOTT,
Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, April 22nd, 1919.

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Ottawa, April 22nd, 1919.

Sir,-

I beg to enclose an advertisement asking tenders for the erection of a school at Whitefish Lake Indian Reserve, Ont., and to request that you will be good enough to have it inserted in the following papers, with as little delay as possible.

The Mining News,	W.,	Sudbury, Ont.
The Star.....	W.,	Sudbury, Ont.
Despatch & Tribune	S.W.,	North Bay, Ont.
The Gazette.....	W.,	Blind River, Ont.
The Contract Record	W.,	Toronto, Ont.
Canadian Labour Press	W.,	Ottawa, Ont.

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~~Six~~ copies of the advertisement referred to *are*

enclosed herewith.

Your obedient servant,

J.D. McLEAM

Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

The King's Printer,
Advertisement Branch,
Ottawa, Ont.

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151715-5A.

Ottawa, April 24, 1919.

Sir,-

rm
I am sending you, under separate cover, copies of plans and specifications for the erection of a school and teacher's residence on the Whitefish Lake Indian reserve, near Naughton, Ont.. I would ask you to be good enough to show those plans to any contractor in your vicinity who may wish to tender for this building.

For L.D.
The plans and specifications to be returned to the Department immediately after May 28th next, when the tenders close.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MCLEAM

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

The Postmaster,
Sudbury,
Ont.

Also to,
The Postmaster, North Bay, Ont.
" " Blind River, Ont.
R. J. Lewis, Indian Agent, Manitowaning, Ont.

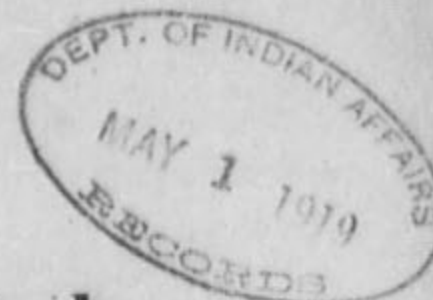
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TELEPHONES
NORTH 438
SOUTH 108



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The Dominion Plumbing Company Limited,
Port Arthur and Fort William.

Mr. D. J. O'Brien
SANITARY HEATING AND VENTILATING ENGINEERS.
SHEET METAL WORKERS.

Fort William, Ont. April 28th, 1919.

The Dominion Government,
Department Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Canada.

Attention of Duncan C. Scott, Deputy Supt.

Dear Sir:-

We understand your Department are about to call for tenders for a new school on the Indian Reserve at Whitefish, Ontario. Assuming that the Department will be calling for separate tenders on the Plumbing, Heating and Ventilating, we would appreciate an opportunity of being allowed to submit tender on same, and would thank you to favor us with set of Plans and Specifications.

Yours very truly,

THE DOMINION PLUMBING COMPANY, LIMITED,

Per.....
Manager.

WBS-CLS.

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151715-5A

May 2nd, 1919.

Sirs,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated the 28th ultimo in reference to Whitefish Lake School, and in reply to say that this is a small building and heated by stoves. Plan and specifications will therefore be unnecessary.

Should it be decided to place plumbing or heating in the building at a later date, you will be further communicated with.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Handwritten signature
The Dominion Plumbing Company, Ltd.,

Fort William,

Ont.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,

April 29th, 1919.

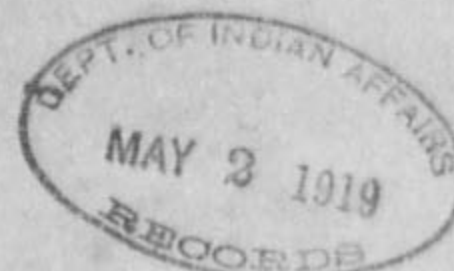
Sir;-

With reference to Official Letter No. 151715-5a dated the 24th. instant, relative to the plans and specifications for the erection of a school and teacher's residence on the Whitefish Lake Reserve, near Naughton, Ont., I have the honor to report that I have this day received these plans and specifications and will return them to the Department as requested immediately after May 28th next, when the tenders close.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..



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Mr. Lewis

151715-5
 524771
 Department of Indian Affairs
 Ottawa
 Dear Sirs;-
 Am returning, as requested,
 plans and specifications
 for the school house and
 teacher's residence at
 Whitefish Lake Reserve.
 Yours Sincerely,
 A. S. P. M.

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 MAY 30 1919
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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
 MAY 30 1919
 ARCHITECT

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BOYNTON & WILLIAMS

Manufacturers' Representatives

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FITTINGS, PLUMBER'S SUPPLIES

PHONES M. 6788-6769
NATIONAL LIFE BUILDING
25 TORONTO STREET
TORONTO

524651



Toronto, Ontario,
May 22nd., 1919.

Boytone

Duncan C. Scott Esq.,
Deputy Superintendent General of Indian Affairs,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,
Ontario,
Canada.

Dear Sir,

We understand that you are in charge of the
work of placing specifications for the erection of
a school at Whitefish, Indian Reserve.

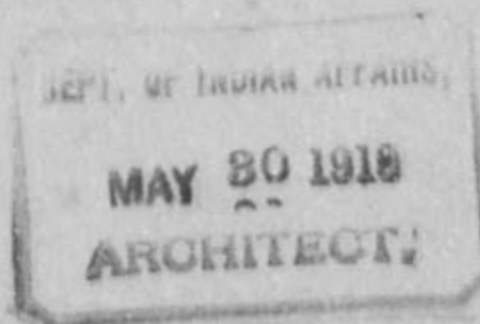
We are representing the Philip Carey Company
who are the largest producers of Asbestos materials
on the continent. We would consider it a great
favor if you would submit us plans and in all probability
we might be of valuable assistance to you in the select-
ing of the various materials.

Trusting to have the pleasure of a communication
from you, we are,

Yours very truly,

B.L.

E. S. Boynton
per L



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151715-5.

Ottawa, May 30, 1919.

Sir,-

Handwritten signature
I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 22nd instant in reference to White Fish Lake school, and in reply to say that as the Tenders for this closed on the 28th instant, plans, etc., of the building will be unnecessary and are, therefore, not being sent.

Your obedient servant,

Handwritten signature
J. D. MOLEAM

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

E. S. Boynton, Esq.,
Boynton & Williams,
25 Toronto St.,
Toronto, Ont.

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June 5, 1919.

Memorandum,-

Hon. Mr. Meighen.

On the 22nd of March, last, you approved of the erection of a new school and teacher's residence at the Whitefish Lake Indian reserve, Ont., the expenditure to be made from the funds of the band.

Incl.

I beg to submit herewith a report from the Architect, and I would recommend the acceptance of the tender, which, under the circumstances, appears to me to be reasonable. It is in the interests of the band that a new building should be erected, and I do not think they could expend their money in a better way.

*400 acres
Lumber Permit*

SC

Deputy Superintendent General.

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Whitefish Lake
Sch. ~~old~~ burned May 15/17

Re-opened Nov/18
31 pupils enrolled
18 average attendance

4 miles from Railway

Sch. at present conducted
in Church

36 children (R.C.) 7 sch age on
reserve

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June 7.

See about
Log Building
for School and
Teacher's Residence

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
MAR 6 1919
ARCHITECT.

Ottawa, March 3, 1919.

MEMORANDUM.

Mr. Scott, -

Mr. Agent Lewis encloses a letter addressed to him by the Chief and principal men of the Whitefish Lake Band of Indians requesting the Department to have a new school and teacher's residence erected on their reserve.

The old building was destroyed by fire in May, 1917, and the school is now being conducted in temporary quarters in the Roman Catholic church.

The Whitefish Lake Band have \$61,884.25 to the credit of the 4th Capital Fund and, as they are anxious to have an up-to-date school building, I do not see that their money could be expended to better advantage. There are between 25 and 30 children of school age on the reserve and a building after the plan of the one erected at Kaboni in 1916 would meet their requirements. The Kaboni school cost \$3,765.00, but the price would likely be higher now. It would be well to obtain an Order in Council for enough to cover the probable cost, say about \$4500.00 or \$5000.00.

now \$7,530

Robert Benson

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151715-1

March 26th, 1919.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated the 24th ultimo in reference to erection of a new school on the Whitefish Lake Reserve, and in reply to say that the Department approves of the erection of this school. Before preparing plans, however, it will be necessary to know the nature of the soil there, stating if sand, clay or rock; also if the ground is such as to permit of proper drainage of a cellar if provided. A sketch showing the dimensions of the ground with fall for drainage and the distance to which this must be carried should be sent. You should also state if stone and lime are available for the foundation or if a concrete foundation will be more economical in that position.

As the Department desires to make an early commencement on the plans, the information requested should be forwarded as soon as possible.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLENNAN

Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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White Fish Lake Feb. 10. 1919
Messrs. D. McLean Esq.
Deputy Supt. of Indian Affairs
Indian Department
Ottawa, Canada.

521615

Dear Sir - We the undersigned
members of White Fish Lake Re-
servation. Do hereby assert our
grievance concerning the ineffi-
ciency of our day public school.
I. - The present system in the teaching
of our children is out of date, & the
prayers and the rudiments of
our Catholic Church is being taught
by our school teacher Miss Tillie
Patience, and that is in our In-
dian tongue, consequently ^{our children} do not
at all make any progress to attain
the English language: which is
our ^{main} object to learn in establishing
the school among our children.
II. - The houses are not regular
in calling the children to school
when the bell rings, some times
10 o'clock in the morning and
dismissing

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them at the hour of 11 o'clock
(a.m.). In the After-noon at
the hour of 2 o'clock the bell rings
they are dismissed again at the
hour of 3 o'clock.

III. - No proper school text
books are used in teaching
the children: It is all about the
Catholic religion: We must have
the regular course of Ontario
Public School instruction pro-
scribed for the Ontario Protestant
schools.

IV. - The school teacher
shall be an English person
purely, protestant need neces-
sarily not be barred: He should
not teach religion in the
school. of course orderly he
should read the form of prayer
established in the Indian School
Register, both at the opening and
the closing of the school, in
each day. Our present teacher
Miss Patrick must be removed for
incompetency.

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I. — We Indians of this White
Fish Lake Reserve exclude
the Roman Catholic Priest in
the appointment of School Teacher
that He does not in any form
or shape interfere with our
Public School:

VI. — Henceforth, We give
the Indian Department of
Ottawa in the appointment
of School Teacher for
our Public School.

VII. — Considering our present
surroundings, all English
speaking neighbors, therefore
our tribe must be anglicized
eventually absorbed into the
English race. We become as
now a band of Indians in Council
called in due form to adopt
the foregoing ideas.

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moved by James Nootchtai
seconded by Joseph Penay
that we as Band of White Fish
Lake Reservation adopt the
foregoing clauses and items
in their respective form and
meaning: In doing so we
do not fight against our
Catholic religion; only the
sole intent to establish an
efficient public day school
for our children. Therefore
we entrust the entire confidence
upon the Indian Department
to possess the sole power in
the appointment of our school
teacher. Therefore our
Council humbly pray
that this shall be ratified by
The Department of Indian Affairs
unanimously Carried

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Signatures

1st. Col.

Ex-Chief J. P. Patahtegooch

John X Mahgunukyluk

James X Netanawogait

Louise Nootahitai

James Shauobwaseguit

David X Pishegomabe

Ambrose Nebeniquet

2nd. Col.

Raphael Patahtegooch

Alphon X Netanawogait

George X Tchemanence

Michel Napours

Witnesses.

Contable J. Nootahitai

" Joseph Berne

Chief Michael Fillion

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PHONE 233.

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ROOMS 11-12 BAIKIE-GILL BLOCK

R. R. McKessock, M.B.
CLERK OF THE PEACE DISTRICT CROWN ATTORNEY

McKessock & Miller,
Barristers, Solicitors,
Notaries, etc.



Sudbury, Ont.
March, 25th, 1919.

John D. McClean, Esq.,
Deputy Minister of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Canada.

521613

Dear Sir:-

We enclose herewith document handed to us by Jim
Nootchae, which speaks for itself.

M/D.

Enc.

Yours truly,
McKESSOCK & MILLER

PER. D

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151715/1

Mr. Ogilvie

Ottawa, March 29, 1919.

Gentlemen,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 25th instant enclosing a document handed to you by Jim Nootchae making complaints in regard to the school on the Whitefish Lake Reserve.

In reply I beg to say that the Department received a copy of the document on the 18th ultimo and the Indians have been written to direct in regard to the matters complained of.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

8/13
[Signature]
Messrs. McKessock & Miller,
Barristers, Solicitors, Notaries,
Sudbury, Ont.



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151715-5.

Ottawa, June 9, 1919.

MEMORANDUM:

Mr. Scott.

Plans and specifications have been prepared for the erection of a school building at White Fish Lake Reserve, Ont., to replace the building destroyed by fire, and tenders for the erection asked for by advertisement in newspapers circulating in that district. Plans and specifications were placed in the several post offices in that vicinity and were also available on application to this Department.

One tender only has been received, that of the Laberge Lumber Company, of Sudbury, Ont., at \$ 6055.00.

Amended
This tender is somewhat in excess of the Department's estimate of cost, but as the school site is difficult of access and materials and labour constantly advancing in price, it is questionable if a lower tender can be obtained at a later date.

I would, therefore, recommend that the Laberge tender be accepted for the erection of the building.

The Department's estimate of cost of building is \$5600.00.

Amended

Architect.

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WHITE FISH LAKE SCHOOL.

Log Building 38' x 25'6" x 12' ceiling.

Floor, sub, 1000 ft. @ \$50,-----	\$ 50.00
" finish, 1500 ft. @ \$60,-----	90.00
Ceilings, 1500 " " @ \$60,-----	90.00
Partitions, 500 " " @ \$60,-----	30.00
Rafters, pole,-----	20.00
Roof boards, 1500 @ \$50,-----	75.00
" "gables, 500 " \$50,-----	25.00
1 outside door frame, \$ 18,-----	18.00
3 inside " " @ \$ 20,-----	60.00
5 window frames @ \$20 with sash,-----	100.00
2 " " cloak-rooms @ \$10,-----	20.00
Felt under floor and shingles,-----	25.00
Shingles, roof and gables @ 20 M,-----	100.00
Labour taking out logs 95 @ 2.50,-----	250.00
" erecting frames, &c.,-----	175.00
" chinking and plastering same,-----	35.00
" finishing building,-----	200.00
Paint, hardware, glass, etc.,-----	200.00
Freight, etc.,-----	50.00
Boarding men,-----	200.00
Sundries,-----	187.00
	\$2000.00

Teacher's residence 18 x 24, two rooms say,----- 1200.00
\$ 3200.00

If foundation of concrete is built for school, 20 yds. " @ \$11,-----	\$220.00
Excavating,-----	30.00
If foundation for cottage is built, of concrete, 14 yds. @ \$11,-----	154.00
Excavating,-----	25.00
	429.00
	\$ 3629.00

One year after erection of school,
sheeting up of interior should be done,
as shrinkage of the green logs will permit
of this.

1764 ft. of V joint sheeting @ \$70 per M \$123.48	
labour erecting same, 14 days @ \$5,-----	70.00
painting, 168 yds. two coats @ \$40,-----	67.20
	260.68

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Register

June 11, 1919.

Sir,-

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Enclosed please find security cheque sent with tender for the White Fish Lake Indian School, which is being returned to you as it is not intended to proceed with the work at this time, the tenders being considerably in excess of the estimated cost.

Your obedient servant,

SA AF MCK

for Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

[Signature]

J. A. Laberge, Esq.,
Sec.-Treasurer,
The Laberge Lumber Co.,
Sudbury, Ont.

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Mr. J. Laberge
BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS

SUDBURY, ONT.

June 12th, 1919.

Mr. Duncan S. Scott,

Deputy Superintendent of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa., Ontario

Dear Sir:-

On May 23rd we sent you our tender Re. School for
White Fish Lake and we would be obliged if you would let us
know if you propose going ahead with the work.

Yours very truly,

THE LABERGE LUMBER CO. LIMITED.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
June 11th, 1919.

Mr. [Signature]

Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 151715-5A of April 24th, last, I have the honor to report that I am returning under separate cover the plans and specifications for the erection of a school and teacher's residence on the Whitefish Lake Reserve, as requested by the Department.

I might say for the information of the Department that on account of Whitefish Lake Reserve being remote the contractors in this vicinity would not tender for the building.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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June 20, 1919.

Sir,-

I beg to inform you that the Department contemplates the erection of a log school and teacher's residence at the Whitefish Lake Reserve, instead of the frame building on which tenders have recently been taken. There is an abundance of logs on the reserve suitable for the work. It is proposed to have these taken out by the band and a log frame erected, using logs and poles for the ceiling joists and rafters to as great an extent as possible. The lumber and frames necessary for the finishing would have to be purchased outside as economically as possible.

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The work can no doubt be successfully carried out by the band, as I am informed that there are many skilled workmen there. Before authorizing the work, however, it is considered advisable to have you report and advise on the best method of carrying this out.

It is proposed to use the plan of the frame building on which tenders have been taken, and arrange the specifications for the log building. The walls to be erected on sleepers or on a stone or concrete bed, as would in your opinion be most advisable.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
J. D. MOLEAN

Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,

Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Sudbury, Ont., May 16th

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Account of... Dept. of Indian Affairs

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By Whom Ordered...

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Toronto
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Royal Arms
TENDERS WANTED.



SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, registered and endorsed on the envelope, "Tender for school, at Whitefish Lake Indian Reserve, Ont.," will be received up to noon of the 28th day of May next.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Indian Agent, Manitowaning, Ont., and at the Post Offices at Sudbury, North Bay, Blind River, and at the Department at Ottawa.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank for ten per cent of the amount of the tender, payable to the order of the undersigned, (War Loan Bonds of the Dominion will also be accepted as security or war bonds and cheques if required to make up an odd amount), which amount will be forfeited if the person or persons tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for.

The building to be fully completed and ready for occupation by the 1st day of September, 1919.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

The unauthorized insertion of this advertisement in any newspaper will not be paid for.

DUNCAN C. SCOTT,
Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, April 22nd, 1919.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,

June 29th, 1919.

Sir,-

I am in receipt of Official Letter No. 151715-6 of the 20th instant, in connection with the Department having under consideration the erection of a log school and teacher's residence at the Whitefish Lake Reserve, instead of the frame building on which tenders have recently been taken, and it is proposed to the work carried out by the band; in reply I have the honor to report that a log building would be quite suitable for the purpose, and it should be erected more economically than a frame structure.

There is an abundance of logs on the reserve suitable for the work just across the lake from where the proposed school is to be erected.

It is my opinion that the work can be carried out by the Indians, but there will have to be a whiteman, who is a skilled workman, in charge, in order that the building may be erected in accordance with the plan, and to keep the Indians at work.

A stone or concrete bed would be better than sleepers to erect the walls on, as the sleepers rot too quickly when the building is banked with earth.

I must say that the only way the Department can have the Indians do this work is to have some whiteman in charge and pay him a wage by the day to look after the work for if the building is left to the Indians to erect alone, it will never be completed.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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151715-5

June 30, 1919.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated 29th instant in reference to Whitefish Lake School, and in reply to ask if you can recommend a reliable person capable of carrying out the work on this building as suggested, and who could be employed at a reasonable rate of payment.

Your obedient servant,

J. B. MOLEAN

Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

[Signature]
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.



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White Fish Lake Reserve

July 5th 1919.

Return to
Mr. Duncan Scott
Ottawa



Dear Sir,

We learn through the Laberge Lumber Co. that the Department has suddenly refused to erect on our Reserve the school which was officially promised us last May. We are deeply grieved at this refusal and we beg to protest with the utmost vehemence against this change of mind. At the request of Mr. agent Lewis we had voluntarily cleared a nice piece of land and were waiting for the contractor to begin the works.

This refusal is very strange indeed. The Department knew very well last May that the materials are costly. Why this change? The Government is spending millions and millions to erect Parliament Buildings and other constructions and we are refused a few thousand dollars of our own money to build a decent shelter where our children could receive comfortably a reasonable sum of instruction.

Again; splendid and costly schools, and sometimes roads grants have been given to many Reserves and we are denied equal

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treatment with others. We have never asked for any grant of any kind. road grants, farm implements etc. etc. the Department has never spent one cent for any school building on our Reserve. the old school was a log building put up by the Indians.

For nearly two years we had no teaching at all. last year our children were taught in a church too large for a class room as Inspector Finn has declared. Is not all this provoking? last year we refused joining a General Union of all Indians of Canada to vindicate our rights and obtain justice because we trusted the Department. now the Department deceives our hopes by not fulfilling its promise. We therefore appeal to you Mr Scott and beg you to build our school this summer.

your humble servants
for all the whitefish
lake Band. —

Michel Faillie, Chief,
Joseph + Petatgoose, Councillor
Jin Mootstai, Councillor
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151715-5A.

July 15, 1919.

Dear Chief -

I have a letter signed by yourself and several Indians regarding the erection of a school-house on your reserve.

In reply I would state that the Department would not accept the only tender that was received for the construction of this building, because it was not considered advisable to expend so much of your funds for a new school-house. We are in communication with the agent and we hope to be able to erect you a comfortable log building at an early date.

Yours very truly,

Duncan Chas H

Deputy Superintendent General.

Chief Michel Paillie,
Whitefish Lake Reserve,
Naughton, Ont.

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Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, April 22nd, 1919.

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151719-5



284-31,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

July 9th, 1919.

526792

Sir,-

In reply to Official Letter No. 151719-5 of the 30th Ultimo, I have the honor to report that Mr. Neil McMartin of this village has offered his services to carry out the work of the Whitefish Lake School and Residence at a wage of \$5.00 a day and board himself, the Department to pay his fare to Whitefish Lake and return.

I might say for the information of the Department that Mr. McMartin is the person who erected the Kaboni school.

Your obedient servant,

R. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

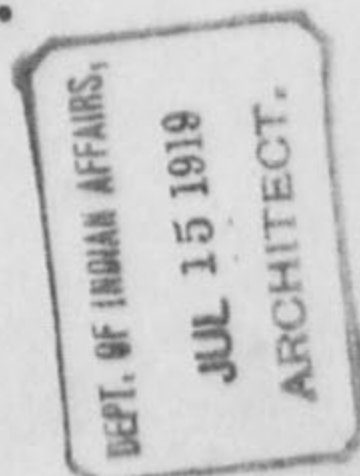
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Ottawa, Ont.

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~~General Meschant,~~

~~Manitowaning, Ont.~~



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July 17, 1919.

Memorandum:

Hon. Mr. Meighen.

Plans and specifications were prepared and tenders asked for the erection of a combined school and teacher's residence for the Whitefish Lake Band, Ont.

The only tender received was very much above the estimated cost, and as suitable materials for the erection of a log building are plentiful on the reserve and skilled labour in the band available for the rougher work, it is now proposed to erect the building of logs which will answer their purpose and be more economically constructed.

H.M.C.
It will be necessary to engage the services of one competent working carpenter to supervise the Indian labour and insure its thoroughness. The Indian Agent recommends Mr. Neil McMartin of Manitowaning for this purpose, who will be paid \$5.00 per day which includes all expenses except fare to and from Whitefish Lake. Mr. McMartin is reliable and has satisfactorily completed other work for the Department. I would therefore ask your authority to proceed with the work.

The building will be erected from band funds.

J.C.H.
Duncan Chisholm
Deputy Superintendent General.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

OFFICE OF THE
DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL
OTTAWA

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Deputy Superintendent General.

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151719-5A

July 22nd, 1919.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated 9th instant in reference to the erection of a log school and teacher's residence for the Whitefish Lake Band on their reserve, and in reply to inform you that Mr. Neil McMartin may be employed as a working foreman in the erection of this building at the rate of \$5.00 per day for each working day, he to pay all his own living and other expenses except fare from Manitowaning to Whitefish Lake and return.

It will be necessary for you to arrange for the taking out of the logs and procuring the other materials necessary for the completion of this building. Prices for all materials to be obtained from dealers in that vicinity, and purchased from the lowest, etc., as previously instructed. The rate of wages to be paid for the Indian labour should also be arranged, and their time carefully kept and time-sheets sent in to the Department duly certified when accounting for each cheque. Time books and time-sheets for the purpose are being sent you by concurrent mail, the receipt of which should be duly acknowledged.

Accountable cheques will be sent you for the payment of wages on request. Mr. McMartin's cheque will be issued on receipt of his monthly or by-monthly time-sheets certified by yourself at the rate stated, together with his boat and railway fare to Whitefish Lake and return.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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The work should be proceeded with at once and completed as soon as possible.

It is not intended to sheet up the inside walls of the building at this time, but to allow the logs to shrink for one year, when the walls will be sheeted up with narrow sheeting or plastered as may be directed.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLENNAN

Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

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284-31.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

August 6th, 1919.

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Sir,

Referring to Official Letter No. I5I7I9-5A of the 22nd Ultimo, authorizing Mr. Neil McMartin to be employed as a foreman in the erection of log School and teacher's residence at Whitefish Lake, I have the honor to ask the Department to forward to me a plan of the building as Mr. McMartin is ready to commence the work.

I have not received the time-books and time-sheets which the Department were mailing on the 22nd Ultimo, for the purpose of keeping the Indians time when working at the building.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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151719-5

August 12, 1919.

Sir,-

Herewith under separate registered cover please find duplicate copies of plans and specifications for Whitefish Lake Indian Boarding School. The building as you were previously instructed is to be erected of logs of the size and general design as shown for the frame building, and as instructed in my letter of July 22nd.

By me
It is intended to erect the building as plainly and economically as possible consistent with good construction.

Additional copies of the time-book and time-sheets are ^{also} being sent you herewith under separate registered cover.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
E. D. MCLEAN

Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
August 5th, 1919.

Sir,-

I have the honor to report that Reverend Father Papineau, Missionary in Charge of the Whitefish Lake Indians, has asked a compensation of \$50.00 for the use of the church building at Whitefish Lake reserve for a class-room and teacher's residence during the school term of 1918-19, ending June 30th, 1919.

As he has gone to quite an expense to make comfortable quarters for the teacher I would most respectfully recommend that I be authorized to issue a voucher in favour of the Reverend Gentleman for \$50.00.



Your obedient servant,

R. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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HEAD.

Ottawa, August 26, 1919.

Sir,-

284-31

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 5th instant, in which you state that the Rev. Father Papineau asks compensation to the amount of \$50.00 for the use of the church building at Whitefish Lake for a class-room and teacher's residence during the school year ending June 30th, last.

In reply I beg to say that you should forward a properly certified voucher for this expenditure. It is considered that, as he made certain expenses in order to provide comfortable quarters for the teacher, rent should be paid for the use of the church building. As soon as the voucher is received payment will be made.

Your obedient servant,

Sgd A. J. MacKenzie

For Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency

No. of Account 52

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Rev. E. A. Papineau, S. J.

DATE		AMOUNT
1919		
August	30	
Authorized by Dept. letter No. 151715/5 dated August 26th. 1919.		
To rental for use of church building at Whitefish Lake for a class-room and teacher's residence during school year ending June 30th. last.		\$ 50.00

[Signature]

Sent 10/9/19

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
August 30th, 1919.



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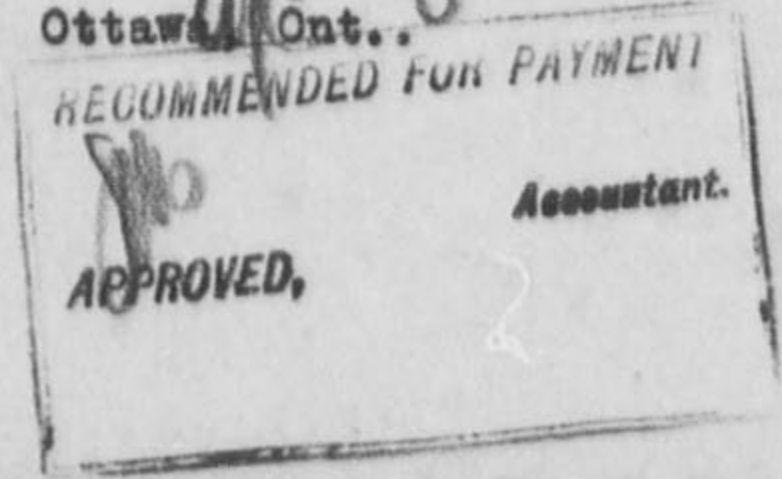
Sir;-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 151715-5 dated the 26th, instant; I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in favour of Rev. E. A. Papineau, S. J. amounting to \$ 50.00 as compensation for the use of the church building at Whitefish Lake for a class-room and teacher's residence during the school year ending June 30th. last.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..



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[Handwritten signature]
Sir,-

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
September 18th, 1919.

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With reference to Official Letter I5I7I9-5A of July 22nd, last, and previous correspondence in connection with question of erecting a new school and teacher's residence on the Whitefish Lake Indian Reserve, I have the honor to report that Mr. McMartin who was employed to look after the erection of this building has been ill and unable to go to Whitefish Lake until now he is feeling some better and is ready to make a start.

On account of it being so late in the season, the days getting short and the wet weather beginning to set in I would most respectfully recommend that the erection of this building be postponed until next spring, as arrangements can be made with the Missionary in charge of the Band to use the church building for another school term.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]
Indian Agent.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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151715-5.

Handwritten: H.A.D.

Ottawa, September 27, 1919.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 16th instant in reference to the erection of a new school and teacher's residence on the Whitefish Lake Indian reserve, and in reply beg to inform you that the Department approves of your recommendation that the erection of the school be postponed until next Spring.

Your obedient servant,

Handwritten: R. J. Lewis
Stamp: R. J. WOLEAN

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Building, Equipment, etc.
Whitford Lake School.

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DUE AND PAYABLE ON THE FIRST OF EACH MONTH

DESPATCH and TRIBUNE

FINE COMMERCIAL PRINTING

G. H. NEWTON, PROPRIETOR

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North Bay, Ont.,

July 12th 1915

to *Dept. Indian Affairs*

Ottawa.

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	Genders for School at								
	Whitefish Lake								
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Whitefish Lake Reserve.

Dear Sir:-

We beg to inform you that we intend to build up a new school by ourselves. We have found two good houses that we want to break out and use up for building our new school. These houses are presently at the gold mine behind Whitefish Lake. The price of the two houses would be \$900.00. No stranger will work in the construction of that new school, only the Indians of the Reserve will work at it. They will ask only for a little payment.

Signed, Jos. Bitatogons.
Joseph Bine.
Jim Nootchtai.
Stephen Nibenonoquet.
Xavier Nootchtai.
John Mahzenekezhik.
Michel Faillie.
James Shawabwonoquet.
Alex. Mahzenekezhik.
Peter Mahzenekezhik.
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Jos. Mahzenekezhik.

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284-32,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
July 26, 1920.

Sir:-

I have the honor to enclose herewith
a copy of a resolution by the principal men of the
Whitefish Lake Band requesting the Department to purchase
two buildings situated at the gold mine about six miles
from Whitefish Lake for \$900.00 and the Indians will
move them to Whitefish Lake Village and re-erect them
for a school and teacher's residence.

I might say that I have not seen these
buildings but I have heard that they are very good build-
ings and would be suitable for a school and residence if
moved to Whitefish Lake. I have also been informed that
they can be taken down without much damage to the material.

It appears that the Indians wish to do the
work themselves.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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19-8-5



DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

CANADA

Ottawa, August 4, 1920.

MEMORANDUM.

Mr. Scott, -

Mr. Agent Lewis, Manitowaning, has forwarded a request from the principal men of the Whitefish Lake Band requesting the Department to purchase two buildings situated at the gold mine, about six miles distant, and have them moved to Whitefish Lake Village and re-erect them for use as a school and teacher's residence. The agent states that he has not seen these buildings but has been informed that they are in good condition and would be suitable for the purpose. He also states that they can be taken down without much damage to the material and that the Indians will do all the work themselves in connection with the removing and rebuilding.

The school at this point was burned on May 15th 1917, and classes have been conducted since that time in the church building which has been used as a school room and teacher's residence for which a rental of \$50.00 per annum is paid.

The summer of last year tenders were called for the erection of a log building and only one tender was received which was considered too high. The amount of the tender was \$6,055.00. It was then decided, as there was an abundance of logs on the reserve, to have the work done by Indian labour under the oversight of a competent foreman. As the foreman engaged took ill it was considered that it would be too late in the season to begin the work and the agent was informed that it was to be postponed until the following spring (1920).

The Indians of this band have to their credit in Capital Account \$62,438.00, and the entire cost, if the two buildings mentioned above are purchased, removed and fitted up as a school and residence, could be paid from the capital at the credit of the band.

I would suggest that Agent Lewis be instructed to inspect the buildings and if he considers that they would be suitable for the purpose and can be removed, that he be

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authorized to have the Indians proceed with the work and also if he considers that the price asked for, namely, \$900.00 is reasonable, that the cost of the purchase be paid from the capital funds of the band.

In view of the communication from the principal men of the band authorizing the expenditure it would not be, I think, necessary to receive a resolution from the Band-in-Council to provide the funds required. It would, no doubt, be a great deal cheaper to purchase these buildings and have them removed than to erect a new school building.

I shall be pleased if you will inform me as to what reply to make to the above request.

J. S. Patterson

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19-8-5

Ottawa, August 7, 1920.

284-32

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 26th ultimo, enclosing a resolution from the Whitefish Lake Band requesting the Department to purchase two buildings for use as a school and teacher's residence at Whitefish Lake.

In reply I beg to say I would request you to inspect these buildings as soon as you are able to do so and report fully if you consider that the cost of them is reasonable and that they would be suitable for the purpose and can be removed.

In forwarding your report you should state definitely whether the Indians will move these buildings without cost. If there is likely to be any expenditure other than the cost of the buildings, you should state so in your report.

Your obedient servant

Assistant Deputy and Secretary

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
ONT.

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Whitefish Lake Band Aug. 23, 1920

19-8-5

McFadden Indian Affairs
Ottawa

John

we are still waiting
to Reply about the School
at Whitefish Lake to Build the
new School we had been writing
you, and never answer, and
to Buy the two Building at
the same Price Nine Hundred
Dollars



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yours Truly

Chief Joseph Petahtagoose
Naughton P.O.
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19-8-5

Ottawa, August 26, 1920.

Chief,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 23rd instant regarding the purchase and fitting up of two buildings for use as a school and teacher's residence at Whitefish Lake.

In reply I beg to say that Mr. Agent Lewis forwarded the request made by the principal men of the band regarding this matter and he has been requested to inspect these buildings and report as to whether the price asked is reasonable and if they would be suitable for the purpose and can be moved. You should consult Mr. Agent Lewis in the matter.

[Signature]
Your obedient servant,

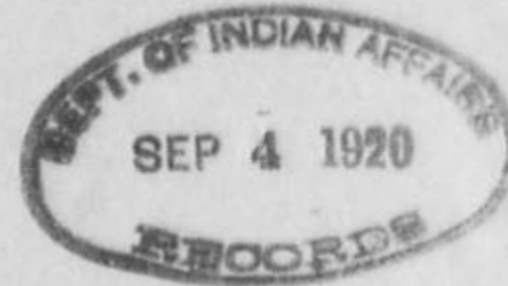
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19-8-5



284-32,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
September 2nd, 1920.

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Sir:-

In reply to Official Letter No. 19-8-5 of the 7th ultimo, in regard to the question of purchase of two buildings at the Gold Mine near Whitefish Lake Reserve for use as a school and teacher's residence at Whitefish Lake, I have the honor to report that I inspected these building on the 31st ultimo, and found one of the buildings, which is built of logs, not suitable for a teacher's residence, as the logs are found pine with the bark on them and are beginning to decay. The cost of moving these logs would be above their value.

With regard to the other building which is a frame cottage of one storey ready cut type. Inside dimensions are length 31 feet, width 23 feet, height of ceiling 10 feet; outside of building is finished with clapboards over layer of mineral-hair felt fastened to half inch boards; roof is covered with two layers of heavy tar paper and hair felt in between. Interior is finished with beaver board and hardwood floors throughout; all windows and doors are finished with white enamel. There are six windows 33 inches by 62 inches, upper and lower sashes each containing one sheet of glass, and storm sashes are complete for all windows. Entrance door is 2 feet 10 inches by 6 feet 10 inches and contains one sheet of glass 25 inches by 32 1/2 inches.

This building is situated at the present time seven miles from Whitefish Lake Indian Village, and I consider it suitable for a school if moved to the Village, but the Indians cannot move it free of charge as they cannot afford to work for nothing and let their families suffer. I consider that it will cost at least \$800.00 to have the building moved, and rebuilt, as the Indians will have to get some wages in order to board themselves while working, and the cost of team work moving the material, and also nails and new roofing paper will have to be purchased.

The owner, Mr Rowley, asks \$700.00 for the building it stands at the Gold Mine, which is quite reasonable for a building of its appearance, and the Indians claim that they can take it down, move it to the village at Whitefish Lake and re-erect it in two weeks time.

As there will have to be a school erected at Whitefish Lake and the cost of erecting a modern school in such backward place will be very high, therefore, I would recommend the building in question be purchased and have the Indians take it to the village.



Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa, September 7, 1920.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 2nd instant with reference to the purchase of the buildings at the gold mine near Whitefish Lake Reserve for use as a school and teacher's residence at Whitefish Lake.

In reply I beg to say that it is noted that one of these buildings, which is built of logs, would not be suitable for the purpose of a teacher's residence and the Department could not, therefore, consent to the purchase of this building.

With regard to the frame cottage, which it is proposed to use for school purposes, I have to request that you will be good enough to state how the Indians propose to move this building, also whether they have the equipment necessary and are competent to do the work of removing and fixing up the building. It is considered that it would be large enough for the purpose of a class-room. It will be necessary to secure the Minister's consent for obtaining the funds required, which will be taken from the interest at the credit of the band, namely, \$700.00 to purchase the building and also for the \$600.00 estimated by you as being required for having the building removed and rebuilt and for any material required to fit up the building. You should state when the Indians propose to undertake this work and the probable length of time they would be in moving the building and having it fitted up for school purposes.

The Department is disposed on your recommendation to authorise the purchase of this building and its removal, but, before doing so, would like to have further information, as requested above.

You should state whether, if the work is gone on with, you would require an accountable cheque besides the amount to purchase the building, to pay the Indians while they are doing the work of moving and fitting it up, also whether the Indians would guarantee to have the building placed in a satisfactory condition for school purposes without further expense other than the equipment, such as desks, blackboards, etc. You should also state under whose supervision the work would be carried on, as it is thought that the Indians themselves would not be likely to carry out the work satisfactorily.

An early reply, giving full information, is requested.

Your obedient servant,

J. F. Macdonald
For Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Yours, etc.

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284-32,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
September 10th, 1920.

Sir:-

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I am in receipt of Official Letter No. 19-8-5 of the 7th instant, with further reference to the question of purchase of the buildings to be removed from the Gold Mine to Whitefish Lake for the use of a school, and in reply I have the honor to report that the frame cottage which I recommended the purchase of to the Department will have to be taken down and drawn on waggons to Whitefish Lake and re-built, which the Indians claim they are capable of doing, and that they have the horses and waggons. The Indians are ready to start the work at any time and are now waiting for the Department to purchase the building; they claim that they can take the building down, move it to Whitefish Lake and set it up again and have it ready for use as a school in two weeks from the time they start to work, but while at work they would like to have a little money to purchase supplies for their families.

The Indians wish to do all the work themselves as they consider that they are capable of moving the building in question and rebuilding and placing it in a satisfactory condition for school purposes without further expense other than the equipment.

As the Indians are quite handy with carpenter tools and build all their own houses without any person to supervise the work, therefore, I imagine that they should be capable of moving this building and placing it in a fit condition for a school themselves. If there is a man taken in to supervise the work the cost will be much higher.

If the work is gone on with, I will require an accountable cheque besides the amount to purchase the building, to pay the Indians for their work, as they will have to have supplies while at work.

I might also state that Mr. Rowley, the owner of this building, is waiting the department's decision in this matter, as he has a chance to dispose of the building to a party residing near Sudbury.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Memorandum

Re: James A. Longhead,
I.C.M.G.

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I consider that this building would be suitable for school purposes, that the price asked is reasonable and would be much cheaper than erecting a new building. I would therefore, submit for your approval that this building be purchased, that Agent Lewis be authorized to instruct the Indians to proceed with the work and that an accountable cheque for \$1300.00 to cover the cost thereof be forwarded to the Agent.

Acting Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

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September 17, 1920.

MEMORANDUM.

Sir James A. Lougheed, K.C.M.G.,

The school building on the Whitefish Lake Reserve in the Manitowaning Agency, Ont., was destroyed by fire on May 15, 1917, and classes have, since that time, been conducted in the church building, which is used as a school-room and teacher's residence and for which a rental of \$50.00 per annum is paid.

In the summer of 1919 tenders were called for the erection of a log building to be used as a combined school and teacher's residence, one tender only being received. The amount of the tender was \$6,055.00. This was considered too high and the matter was dropped.

The Agent now forwards a request from the principal men of the band to purchase the building situated at the gold mine, about seven miles distant, and have it moved to Whitefish Lake Village and re-erected for school purposes. This building is a frame cottage, 31 by 23 feet; the outside is finished with clapboards over a layer of mineral hair fastened to half inch boards and the interior is finished with beaver board and hardwood floors throughout. The owner, Mr. Rowley, asks \$700.00 for the building as it stands at the gold mine, which the Agent states is quite reasonable for a building of its appearance, and the Indians would perform the work of taking it down, moving it to the village at Whitefish Lake and re-erecting it. They have the necessary waggons and horses to move the building and are capable of doing the work, which they are ready to commence at any time. They claim they can take the building down, move it and set it up again and have it ready for use as a school in two weeks from the time they start work. There are about 35 children of school age on the reserve.

Besides the cost of the building, it would require \$600.00 to pay the Indians for moving it and in purchasing material required to fit it up, or a total of \$1300.00.

The Indians of this band have to their credit capital

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OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL
OTTAWA

September 15, 1920.

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L. A. Lewis

Acting Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

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19-8-5

Ottawa, September 21, 1920.

With Cheque

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th instant furnishing a report regarding the frame cottage, which you recommend the purchase of to the Department to be used for school purposes at Whitefish Lake.

In reply I beg to say that, as you state the Indians are ready to start the work of taking this cottage down and moving it to Whitefish Lake and re-building it and that they are capable of doing the work, the approval of the Superintendent General has been given to purchase the building at the price of \$700.00 and have it removed to Whitefish Lake and re-erected as a building for school purposes.

As you have estimated that, besides the cost of the building, it will require a further amount of \$600.00 to have it moved and rebuilt, as the Indians will have to get some wages in order to board themselves while working and the cost of the team work moving the material will have to be paid and also nails and new roofing paper will have to be purchased, an accountable cheque for \$1300.00 is enclosed herewith to pay for the building and the cost of having it removed and fitted up.

You should arrange to purchase the house from Mr. Rowley and obtain a receipt, in duplicate, from him for the amount of the purchase price paid, and you should then prepare a properly certified voucher, in duplicate, to which the receipt should be attached and this should be forwarded to the Department.

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You should see that the Indians undertake the work of taking down the building, removing it to Whitefish Lake and having it re-erected and made ready for school purposes. Any material required to refit the building should be purchased by you, such as nails, roofing paper, lumber, etc., but, before making any purchase, you should obtain competitive prices and purchase from the firm quoting the lowest price. When the work of removing, rebuilding and fitting up the building is completed by the Indians you should forward properly receipted vouchers, in duplicate, covering the amount paid for the purpose and in the purchase of any material required. Receipts should be obtained from each of the Indians to whom any payment is made and you should also forward the quotations received by you for any material purchased. The above work should be under your supervision as far as possible and it should be performed to your satisfaction. It is hoped that the Indians will be able to successfully perform

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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form the work of removing the building and placing it in a condition suitable for school purposes and that this work will be commenced at once and rushed to completion without delay.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie

A. F. MacKenzie
For Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

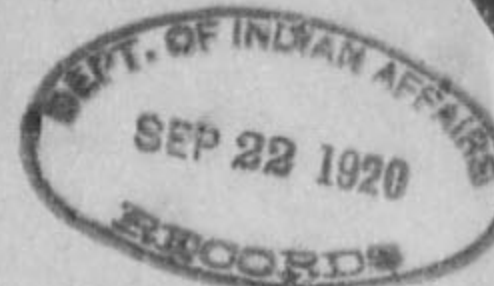
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ORIGINAL ON
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19-8-5



Toronto,
September 18th, 1920.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Canada.

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Dear Sir,-

I am sending you the school reports on the
Catholic Indian Schools of Whitefish Lake, West Bay,
Barnah, South Bay, Kaban, Wilmanikong.

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Now regarding Whitefish Lake School five miles from
the C.P.R. Station at Naughton. This school is being held
in the Indian church and the teachers rooms are in a "lean
to" at the back. This is my first visit here. Last year
I had very little time to spare. I will not say very much
except that you know the situation well and no doubt agree
that it is not suitable to hold school in the Indian church
here. I urgently call this to your attention. When could
the Department arrange to build?

X X X

J. E. Bennett,

Inspector of Separate Schools,
Northern Ontario.



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19-8-5

Ottawa, September 24, 1920.

Sir,-

Mr. Inspector Bennett, who recently visited the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School, states that three bars of comfort and three bars of life buoy soap also three boxes of matches are required.

You will be good enough to purchase these articles and have them sent to the teacher.

Your obedient servant

A. F. Mackenzie

A. F. Mackenzie
for Assistant Deputy and Secretary

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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4343 advance 7 1300
Manitowaning Agency.
Whitefish Lake Band.

No. of Account 82

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To T. Rowley.

DATE		AMOUNT	
1920.		19-8-5	September 21st, 1920.
November	3	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
		To one frame cottage purchased at Gold Mine to	
		be removed to Whitefish Lake Reserve for the	
		use of a school building\$700.00.	
October	29	By payment made to Mr. T. Rowley by R.J. Lewis... 700.00	
		=====	

Naughton. Oct 29 1920
Received from R. Lewis
the sum of Seven Hundred - 00 Dollars
for Frame cottage at Gold Mine
T. Rowley

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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284-32,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

November 3, 1920.

Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 19-8-5 of September 21st, last, with regard to the purchase of a frame cottage at the Gold Mine to be removed to Whitefish Lake Reserve to be used as a school, and enclosing an accountable cheque for \$1300.00 to purchase the building and have it moved and fitted up, I have the honor to enclose herewith a voucher in duplicate, with receipt in duplicate attached, showing payment of \$700.00 made to Mr. T. Rowley for the building.

The Indians are through with the work of taking the building down and have it removed to Whitefish Lake. They are busy erecting it at the present time.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Workers removed for Audit Office
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RECOMMENDED FOR

Accountant.

APPROVED,

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Manitowaning Agency.
Whitefish Lake School.

REPORT NO. 989
MINUTE NO. 1
INDIAN TRUST FUND

No. of Account 82

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Annie T. Ladouser.

DATE	AMOUNT
1920. November 18	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 151715/4 dated September 28, 1920.
1021-1 5812 1021-1 5812	
	\$5.30.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed, the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]

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The Department

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AMOUNT

ember 28, 1920.

Date Oct 12 1920

M. P. H. Anderson

Bought of T. W. Hollenbeck

4 granite cups	60
6 slates	90
3 1/2 Bay soap	45
10 slates	30
	90
	150
	390

Paid

1021-1

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\$5.30.

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R. J. J.

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HARDWARE
SHIELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE, PAINTS, OILS, GLASS AND
BUILDERS' SUPPLIES, PLUMBING, HEATING AND
ELECTRICAL WORK

PHONES:
Retail . . . 666
Office . . . 207
Plumbing . . . 529
Warehouse . . . 529

Sudbury, 19

Sold to

Amie L. Ladouceur

Sold by

Got by

COVELAND CHATTERSON SYSTEMS MANUFACTURING CO. 24526-11

2	Lin. Pails	70
1	Doz. hoes	25
1	@ Lamp chimney	15
		110

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\$5.30.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed
the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item
same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. [Signature]

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284-33,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

November 18, 1920.

Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter No.

151715/4 of September 28, 1920, I have the honour to enclose herewith an account in favour of Annie T. Ladouser amounting to \$5.30 for payments made for slates, pails, cups, hooks, soap, and matches for the use of the Whitefish Lake School.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

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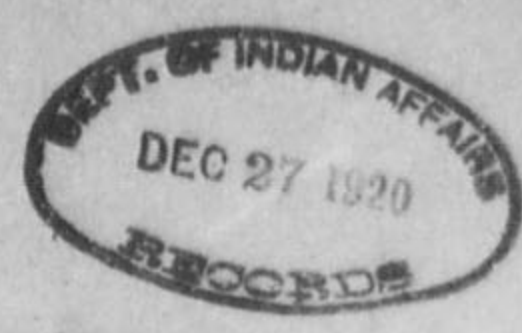


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284-33,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
December 23, 1920.

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Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 19-8-5 of September 21, last, in regard to the purchase of the frame cottage at the Long Lake Gold Mine to be moved to the Whitefish Lake Reserve and rebuilt to be used for school purposes, I have the honour to report that this building has been moved and rebuilt at Whitefish Lake, and will be in use as a school and teacher's residence after the Christmas holidays. There will have to be some furnishings purchased for this building, such as a heating stove, pipes, elbows, zinc for under the stove in the class-room. The stove that has been in use is the property of the Mission and will have to remain in the church which has been in use as a class-room.



Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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19-8-5

Ottawa, December 28, 1920.

Sir,-

284-33

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 23rd instant, in which you inform the Department that the frame cottage which was purchased at the Long Lake Gold Mine to be moved to the Whitefish Lake Reserve and rebuilt, to be used for school purposes and teacher's residence, will be ready for occupation after the Christmas holidays.

In reply I beg to say that you may purchase a suitable heating stove and the necessary pipes and elbows and the zinc required for under the stove. Before making the purchase, however, you should obtain competitive prices from a number of dealers and purchase the stove, etc., from the firm quoting you the lowest price. You should give this matter your prompt attention, in order that the stove may be set up in time for the re-opening of the school. You should forward properly certified accounts, in duplicate, covering the expenditure incurred, to which should be attached a memo. showing the firms asked by you for prices and the prices quoted by them. As soon as the work of re-erecting the building is completed you should also forward proper vouchers covering the balance on hand from the accountable cheque for \$1300.00 which was sent you for the purpose.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Whitefish Lake Band.

No. of Account.....*87*

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To R. J. Lewis.

DATE		AMOUNT	
1921.		19-8-5 September 21, 1920.	
January	31	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
1920.			
October	29	To paid Mr.T.Rewley for Cottage	700.00 ✓
"	29	" " Cochrane Hardware for material	69.64 ✓
"	"	" " " " " "	42.20 ✓
December	15	" " " " " "	521.47 ✓
"	15	" " Indian and team labor	-----
		TOTAL:-	\$1333.31 ✓
September	21	By Official Cheque No.4343	-----1300.00 ✓
		Balance	33.31 ✓

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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Return of Labour on the Whitefish Lake Indian School
 moving the building from the Gold Mine.
 For week ended December 16th, 1920

All payments to be made in presence of person signing as witness.

NAMES	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thur.	Fri.	Sat.	No. days worked	Price per day.	Amount of wages.	RECEIVED PAYMENT.
Jos. Nootchtai							138 hours labour at 35 ¢ per hour		48.30	Jos Nootchtai
Jos. Pine		4 1/7	"	"	"	"	35 ¢	"	43.95	Josep Pine
Jas. Shawbwonoquet		112	"	"	"	"	40 ¢	"	44.80	Jos Shawbwonoquet
Mrs. Jos. Petahtegoose		4	"	"	"	"	10 ¢	"	4.40	Mrs Jos Petahtegoose
Michael Paillie		166	"	"	"	"	35 ¢	"	58.10	M. Paillie
Geo Tohemenance		4	"	"	"	"	35 ¢	"	1.40	Geo Tohemenance
Mrs. Jos. Pine		42 1/2	"	"	"	"	10 ¢	"	4.25	Mrs Jos Pine
Mrs. Louise Deschamps		31 1/2	"	"	"	"	10 ¢	"	3.15	Mrs Louise Deschamps
Michael Napouse		87 1/2	"	"	"	"	35 ¢	"	30.62	Michael Napouse
Harriette Nootchtai		54 1/2	"	"	"	"	10 ¢	"	5.45	H. Nootchtai
Mrs. Michael Paillie		28	"	"	"	"	10 ¢	"	2.80	Mrs Paillie
Jas. Nootchtai		24	"	"	"	"	35 ¢	"	8.40	J Nootchtai
Steve Paishegwonabe		31 1/2	"	"	"	"	35 ¢	"	9.45	Steve Paishegwonabe
Steve Nebenaionoquet		25	"	"	"	"	35 ¢	"	8.75	S. Nebenaionoquet
Ambroise Nebenaionoquet		18	"	"	"	"	35 ¢	"	6.30	A. Nebenaionoquet
William Osawagosh		55 1/2	"	"	"	"	30 ¢	"	16.65	Wm Osawagosh
Mrs John Mahzenekezhik		26 1/2	"	"	"	"	10 ¢	"	2.65	Mrs Mahzenekezhik
Antoine Paillie		53	"	"	"	"	25 ¢	"	13.25	A. Paillie
Jos. Petahtegoose		124 1/2	"	"	"	"	40 ¢	"	49.80	Jos. Petahtegoose
Xavier Nootchtai		31 days with team					5.00	" day	155.00	Xavier Nootchtai
T. Rowley & heavy team		1	"	hauling			8.00	"	8.00	T. Rowley
									551.47	

Cheque No.....

Balance

WITNESS:

Joseph Petahtegoose
 Peter Mahzenekezhik
 Alex Nebenaionoquet

I hereby certify that the services have been performed and that the prices are fair and just.

[Signature]
 Agent.

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MEMO-Covering Purchase of Supplies, the Cost of which
exceeds \$10.00

SUPPLIES for which prices obtained including quantities.

Material required to refit the cottage re-built at Whitefish Lake for school purposes, as follows,-

11 rolls of roofing, 5# putty and points, 2 glass, 4 rolls tar paper, 2 rolls plain paper, 25# 2 1/2" nails, 25# 2" nails, 15# 2 1/2" finishing nails, 10# 2" finishing nails, 15# 5" nails, 1 bag cement.

Name of Firms or Person asked to quote.

Cochrane Hardware, Limited, the only place in Copper Cliff where I could purchase these articles.

Name of Firm or Person quoting lowest price, giving prices quoted.

I had to purchase articles at Cochrane Hardware, Limited, as there is not another hardware in Copper Cliff.

Name of Firms or Persons who quoted.

Cochrane Hardware, Limited, Copper Cliff.

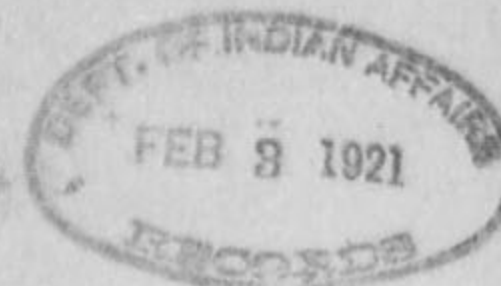
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Indian Agent.

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19-8-5



284-33,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
January 31, 1921.

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Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 19-8-5 of September 21st, last, authorizing the purchase of the frame cottage at the Gold Mine to be re-moved to the Whitefish Lake reserve to be used for school purposes, and the Department enclosing therewith an accountable cheque of \$1300.00 to pay for the building and the cost of having it removed and fitted up, I have the honor to enclose herewith a voucher in duplicate showing the amount paid for the building, the cost of material purchased and the amount paid for Indian labor and team hire, and the amount of \$33.31 in my favor as I paid \$1333.31 in connection with this building.

The voucher and receipt, in duplicate, covering the purchase of the building went forth to the Department on the 3rd of November, last.

I enclose herewith information asked for by the Department in connection with the purchase of material.

I beg to say for the information of the Department that the Indians made a complete job of moving this building and they have now a comfortable classroom and residential quarters for the teacher.

On account of the bad condition of the road between the Gold Mine and Whitefish Lake the team work cost much higher than I expected.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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384-33,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
February 10, 1921.



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Sir:-

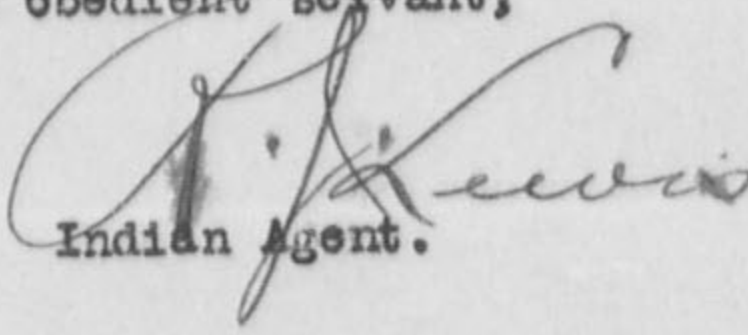
I have the honour to report that Reverend L. Porcheron, Roman Catholic Missionary, in charge of the Indians at Whitefish Lake Reserve, has requested that he should receive compensation for the church for the time it was in use as a class-room before the new school was erected.

Reverend Father Papineau, Missionary in charge of these Indians previous to Reverend Porcheron, was paid the sum of \$50.00 for the use of the church as a class-room and teacher's residence for the school year ending June 30th, 1919.

Since payment has been made to Reverend Father Papineau the church has been in use for a class-room and teacher's residence for ten months ending December 31st, last.

I would most respectfully recommend that payment of \$5.00 per month be made to Reverend Father Porcheron for the use of the church for the ten months.

Your obedient servant,


Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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19-8-5

Ottawa, February 15, 1921.

Sir,-

284-33

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th instant, in which you state that the Catholic missionary in charge of the Indians at the Whitefish Lake Reserve requests compensation for the use of the church building during the period it was ~~was~~ used as a class-room before the new school was erected.

In reply I beg to say that you may forward a properly certified voucher, in duplicate, for the amount of the rent due at the rate of \$5.00 per month for the period this church building was used for school purposes. As soon as this voucher is received consideration will be given to its payment.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN
J. D. McLean
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Whitefish Lake School.

No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To James Shawbwonoquet.

DATE		AMOUNT
1921		
February	10	
Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-8-5 dated December 28, 1920.		
To 1/2 day with team taking stove, pipes, etc., from Naughton Station to Whitefish Lake Reserve		2.00 ✓
" Putting up stove and pipes, and screwing down the desk to the floor in the class- room		2.00 ✓
TOTAL:-		4.00 ✓

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent.

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284-33,

[Handwritten signature]

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
February 10, 1921.

[Handwritten initials]

Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 19-8-5
of December 28th, last, I have the honour to enclose
herewith an account in favour of Mr. James Shawbwon-
oquet amounting to \$4.00 for transfer of stove, pipes
and etc., from Naughton Station to the Whitefish Lake
Reserve, and labour in connection with putting up
the stove and pipes, and fastening the desks to the
floor in the class-room.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]
[Handwritten initials]

[Handwritten signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Whitefish Lake School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

REPORT NO. *319*

MINUTE NO.

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To Cochrane Hardware, Limited.

DATE		AMOUNT	
1921		19-8-5 Of December 28, 1920.	
February	10	Authorized by Dept. letter No. dated	
January	31	To I Box Stove	18.00 ✓
		" II Stove Pipes .35	3.85 ✓
		" 2 Elbows .40	.80 ✓
		" I Damper Pipe	.75 ✓
		" I Stove Board	3.25 ✓
		" I Box of Screw Nails to fasten down seats <i>48</i>	.55 ✓
		" Freight paid to Naughton	.50 ✓
		TOTAL:-	<u>\$27.60</u> ✓

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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MEMO--Covering Purchase of Supplies, the price of
which exceeds \$10.00.

Supplies for which prices obtained including quantities.

Box stove, 11 stove pipes, 2 elbows, damper pipe,
and stove board for the class-room at Whitefish
Lake School.

Name of Firms or Persons asked to quote.

When I visited the Whitefish Lake Reserve on January
26th last, I purchased these supplies at the Cochrane
Hardware, Limited, at Copper Cliff, as this is the only
hardware store in the town which is in the vicinity
of Whitefish Lake Reserve.

Name of Firm or Person quoting lowest price, giving price.

Cochrane Hardware, Limited, of Copper Cliff, it being
the only hardware store in the town quoted as follows:-
box stove \$18.00, 11 stove pipes .35¢ each, 2 elbow
pipes .40¢ each, damper pipe .75, stove board \$3.25
and 1 box of screw nails .45.

Name of Firms or Persons who quoted.

Cochrane Hardware, Limited.

Your obedient servant,

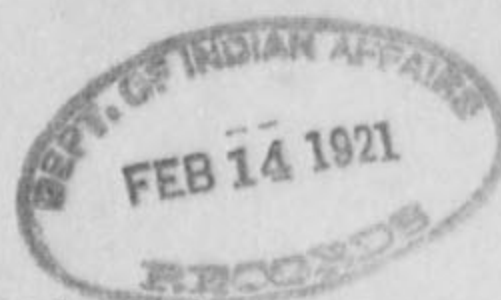
R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

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284-33,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

February 10, 1921.

Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 19-8-5 of December 28th, last, I have the honour to enclose herewith an account in favour of the Cochrane Hardware, limited, of Copper Cliff, amounting to \$27.60 for box stove, pipes, elbows, stove board, screws and pipe damper furnished to the Whitefish Lake day school.

I enclose herewith information asked for in connection with the purchase of supplies where the price exceeds \$10.00.

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Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

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No. of Account.

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To.....Rev. L. Percheron, S. J.

DATE		AMOUNT
1921 February 18	Authorized by Dept. letter No <u>19-8-5</u> dated <u>February 15th, 1921.</u> To rental for use of Church Building at Whitefish Lake for a class-room and teachers residence for 10 months at \$5.00 per month from January 1st - December 31st, 1920. \$ 50.00	

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

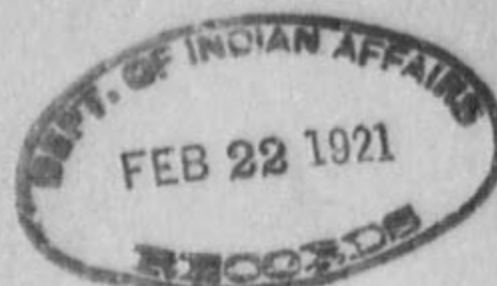
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Ins Agent.

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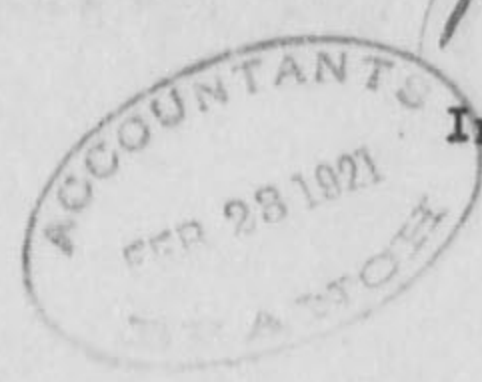
Indian Office, Manitowaning,
February 18th, 1921.

Sir;-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 19-8-5 dated the 15th. instant, I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in favour of Reverend L. Percheron, S. J., amounting to \$ 50.00 as compensation for the use of the church building at Whitefish Lake for a class-room and teacher's residence during the school year from January 1st until December 31st, 1920.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

Whitefish Lake School

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To Miss Annie Ladouser, Naughton.

DATE		AMOUNT
1921		
May 14	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 151715-4 dated January 12th, 1921.	
" 4	To I Tin of Stove Polish	\$.10
"	" 3 Bars of Soap @ 10¢	.30
"	" I Lamp Chimney	.20
"	" I Bar of Bon Ami	.15
"	" I Broom	1.15
	Total	\$ 1.90

Ant 23/5/21
1421

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,

May 14th, 1921.

Sir;-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 151715-4 dated January 12th, last, I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in favour of Miss Annie Ladouser amounting to \$ 1.90 for payments made to Mrs. R. Jalbert of Naughton, for supplies purchased for the Whitefish Lake Day School.

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Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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19-6-5

Ottawa, May 8th., 1921.

Sir,-

I beg to transmit herewith an account amounting to \$10.50 from E.N.Moyer Co., Limited, of Toronto, for a clock shipped to you. If the clock reached you in good order, you should attach this account to voucher forms in duplicate, to which you should certify and forward to the Department with a view to payment being made.

Your obedient servant,

J.D. McLean
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R.J. Lewis Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Whitefish Lake School.

No. of Account.....

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To R. J. Lewis.

DATE			AMOUNT
May	18	Authorized by Dept. letter No 19-6-5 dated May 9th, 1921.	
April	18	To paid George Morrow Stage charges on Clock from Little Current to Manitowaning	.75
May	16	" Paid Express on Clock from Little Current to Naughton	.60
			\$1.35

Ant May 25/21
1456

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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284-33,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

May 18, 1921.

Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 19-6-5 of April 11th, last, I have the honour to enclose herewith an account in my favour amounting to \$1.35 for freight charges paid by me on the clock shipped by E.M. Moyer Company, Limited, for the Whitefish Lake School.

This clock was shipped to my address at Manitowaning instead of shipping it to Miss Ladouser at Naughton. I had to pay the freight charges on the clock from Little Current to Manitowaning, then had to take it back to Little Current and re-express it to Miss A. Ladouser at Naughton. By shipping it to my address it passed through Naughton on the way here and had to be sent back which is a distance of 110 miles.

Your obedient servant,

A. J. Hewson
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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REPORT NO. 17 Manitowaning Agency

MINUTE NO. No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND

Whitefish Lake School

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To E. N. Moyer Co., Ltd., Toronto.

DATE	AMOUNT
19 21 May 18	19-6-5 Authorized by Dept. letter No. dated May 9th, 1921.

Phone
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E. N. Moyer Company, Limited

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Department of Indian Affairs

Toronto, April 13/21

P.O. Ottawa, Ont.

F.O.B.C.
TERMS.

All Claims against this Bill must be made upon Receipt of Goods.

Agents are not authorized to collect

1 Drop Octagon Clock

10 50

To be shipped to Mr. R. J. Lewis,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

IF PAYMENT IS MADE BY CHEQUE EXCHANGE MUST BE ADDED

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

\$ 10.50

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R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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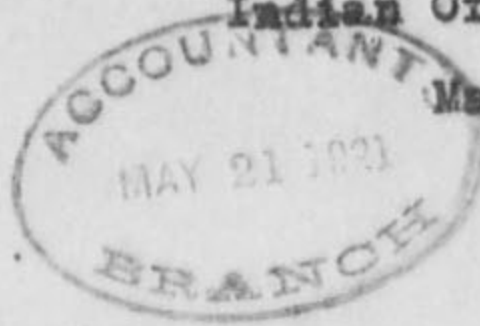
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Indian Office, Manitowaning,

May 18th, 1921.



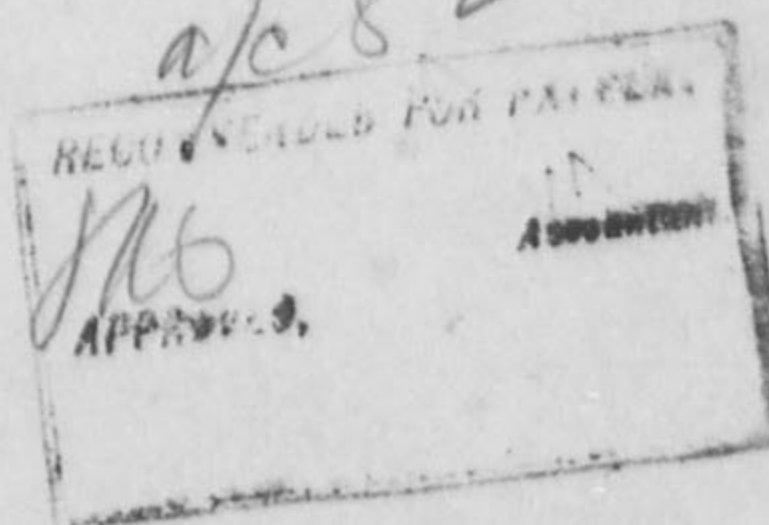
Authorized by Official Letter No. 19-6-5 dated the 9th, instant, I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in favour of the E. N. Moyer Company, Ltd, Toronto, amounting to \$ 10.50 for a clock furnished for the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..



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284-34, Indian Office, Manitowaning,
July 20th, 1921.

Sir:-

I have the honour to report that the school house at Whitefish Lake Reserve is in need of painting in order to protect the building from the weather, and the inside walls and ceiling should also be painted as they are in a dismal condition.

I estimate that it will cost \$150.00 to have the painting done.

*Board
4 weeks
5-12*

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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19-8-5.

OTTAWA, July 26th, 1921.

Sir, -

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 20th instant with reference to the painting of the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School building.

In reply, I beg to say that the Department will approve of an expenditure not to exceed your estimate of \$150 in having the building painted both inside and outside. The painting and oil required, which should be of a good quality, should be purchased by you after obtaining competitive prices and the purchase made from the firm quoting the lowest price. You can arrange to have the work performed by day labour. When this work is completed, you should furnish properly receipted vouchers, in duplicate, covering the expenditure incurred for paint and labour, and a memorandum should be attached to the vouchers showing the firms asked to quote a price on the material and the prices quoted.

The Department will leave this matter in your hands to see that a good job is performed, and at the lowest possible cost.

This work should be carried out during the present summer holidays, and should therefore receive your immediate attention.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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No. of Account.....

Whitefish Lake School

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To....R. J. Lewis

DATE		AMOUNT
1921		
August	24	Authorized by Dept. letter No <u>19-8-1</u> dated <u>June 15th, 1921.</u>
"	19	To payment made to J. C. Chalmers, Copper Cliff, for repairs to clock from Whitefish Lake Indian Day School\$ 2.75

chk. 3583
Sent 30/8/21.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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19-8-5

284-34,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

August 24th, 1921.

Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 19-8-I dated June 15th, last, I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in my favour amounting to \$ 2.75 for payment made to Mr. J. C. Chalmers, Jeweler of Copper Cliff, for repairs made to the clock belonging to the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School.

9/28/21
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RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT
Accountant.
APPROVED.

Your obedient servant,

ACCOUNTANTS
AUG 29 1921
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R. J. Lewis.
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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Memorandum Covering Purchase of Supplies, the Cost of which exceeds \$10.00.

Supplies for which prices obtained including quantities.

8 1/2 gallons of paint, 1 gallon of boiled oil,
1/2 gallon of turps., 3 paint brushes, 1 quart
of shellac and 4 pounds of putty.

Name of Firms or Persons asked to quote.

Cochrane Hardware Company, Limited, at Copper Cliff,
the only place where I could purchase to goods in
this town.

Name of Firm or Person quoting lowest price, giving prices quoted.

Cochrane Hardware Company, Limited, Copper Cliff.

White paint, outside,	@	5.35	per gal.
White paint, inside,		5.15	" "
Green Paint, outside,		5.15	" "
Boiled Oil		1.50	" "
Turpetine		1.80	" "
Putty		.10	" Pound

The only hardware store at Copper Cliff.

Names of Firms or Persons who quoted.

Cochrane Hardware, Limited, Copper Cliff.

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

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19-8-5
384-24,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

September 6th, 1921.

SEP 10 1921

Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 19-8-5 of July 26th, last, I have the honour to enclose herewith an account in favour of the Cochrane Hardware, Limited, Collier Cliff, amounting to \$83.40 for paint, shellac, brushes, boiled oil, paint brushes and putty furnished to paint the Whitefish Lake Indian School.

I enclose herewith information ask for in regard to the purchase of supplies.

Your obedient servant,

Account to be returned for Sept 11
Received
R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Whitefish Lake School.

No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To...James Shawbanoquet.....

DATE		AMOUNT	
1921			
September	6	Authorized by Dept. letter No 19-8-5 dated July 26th, 1921.	
		To 80½ hours labour painting school at	
		Whitefish Lake reserve at .40 per hour	32.20 ✓
August	20	" I trip to Naughton from Whitefish Lake	
		with horse and waggon after paint	1.50 ✓
"	27	" I trip to Copper Cliff after a supply	
		of paint with horse and waggon, 12 miles,	4.00 ✓
		TOTAL:-	\$37. 70 ✓

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent.

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Whitefish Lake School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To Joseph Petahtegoose.

DATE		AMOUNT
1921		
September	6	
		19-8-5 July 26th, 1921.
		Authorized by Dept. letter No dated
		To 36 hours labour painting Whitefish Lake School at .40 per hour 34.40 ✓
		" cartage on box of paint from Naughton station to Whitefish Lake Reserve, four miles50 ✓
		<u>\$34.90</u> ✓

3815
Sent Sept. 13/21

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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284-34,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

September 6th, 1921.

SEP 10 1921

Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 19-8-5 of July 26th, last, I have the honour to enclose herewith an account in favour of Joseph Petahtegoose amounting to \$34.90 for eighty six hours labour painting at the Whitefish Lake school and cartage charges on a box of paint from Naughton station to Whitefish Lake Reserve a distance of four miles, and also an account in favour of James Shawbwonoquet amounting to \$37.70 for eighty and one half hours labour painting, a trip with horse and waggon to Naughton station after paint, and a trip to Copper Cliff after a further supply of paint a distance of twelve miles.

The painting of this building is completed, both inside and outside, with the best of paint and oil, and the Indians have done the work in a satisfactory manner.

Your obedient servant,

R. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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19-8-5 A

Ottawa, September 14th, 1921.

Sir:-

Referring to your letter of the 6th instant,
I re-enclose herewith voucher amounting to \$83.40 which
you submitted in favour of the Cechrane Hardware, Limited
in order that you may attach thereto a receipt for the
freight charges prepaid to Naughton for which a charge
appears in the voucher.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie

A. F. MacKenzie.
Acting Assistant Deputy
& Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
MANITOWANING, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency,
Whitefish Lake School.

REPORT No. 58

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MINUTE No.

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To Cochran Hardware, Limited,
Copper Cliff, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT	
1921.			
September	6	Authorized by Dept. letter No 19-825 dated July 26th, 1921.	
August	20	To 3 gals. White Paint	5.25
		" 1 gal. #592 do	5.15
		" 1 gal. #539 do	5.15
		" 1 gal. Boiled Oil	1.50
		" 1 gal. Turps.	1.80
		" 1 qt. Shellac	1.10
		" 2 # 310-3 Paint Brushes	1.50
		" 1 Ovel do	1.20
		" 4 # Putty	.10
		" Freight prepaid to Naughton	1.00
"	23	" 4 gals. #539 Paint	5.15
"	27	" 4 gals. White Paint	5.25
		" 1 gal. #592 do	5.15
		" 1 qt. Orange Shellac	1.10
		" 4 # Putty	.10
		TOTAL:-	83.40

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent.

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Sent Sept 30/21.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
September 23rd, 1921.

Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 19-8-5
of the 14th, instant, I have the honour to re-
enclose herewith the account in favour of
Cochrane Hardware, Limited, Copper Cliff, amount-
ing to \$83.40, with receipts attached for freight
charges prepaid to Naughton, for paint, oil, putty,
brushes etc. furnished to paint Whitefish Lake
School.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Hewitt
Indian Agent.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

ACCOUNTANTS
SEP 27 1921
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Manitowaning Agency.
Whitefish Lake School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To R. J. Lewis.

DATE		Whitefish Lake School	AMOUNT
1921			
December	17	Authorized by Dept. letter No dated	
"	14	To paid Cochrane Hardware, Limited, Copper Cliff.	
		" 6 Green Window Shades @ 98 each	5.88 ✓
		I Window Glass 28x28 inches	1.42 ✓
			\$7.30

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
December 17th, 1921.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in favour of myself amounting to \$7.30 for six window shades and one large pane of glass purchased from the Cochrane Hardware, Limited, at Copper Cliff, for the Whitefish Lake Indian School.

When I visited the school on the 14th instant I found that there was not a shade on any of the windows, and a large pane of glass out of one of the windows in the class-room which caused a lot of fuel to be consumed in order to keep the room warm, and on my return to Copper Cliff I purchased these articles and sent them to Whitefish Lake.

Your obedient servant,

q/c 82
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R. H. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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BANK RECEIPT No. 1615

Amt. \$38.73 chg

Date DEC 21 1921 191

Entered Journal No. 71 Folio 278 JAG

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The oil was left over after the school was painted during last summer and it was returned to the Cochrane Hardware Limited, at Copper Cliff, where the material was purchased for the painting of the school.

Your obedient servant,

R. Kewin
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottwa, Ont.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
December 17th, 1921.

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DEC 22 1921
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Sir:-

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I have the honour to report that when I visited the Whitefish Lake Reserve recently I found that there were a number of doors left over after the cottage had been re-moved from the Gold Mine and rebuilt into a school and as there was not any place to store them from the weather I disposed of them to the Indians at Whitefish Lake to repair their houses, and I enclose herewith my cheque for the amount received from the sales,-

5 common doors at \$5.00 each	\$25.00.
2 small " " 2.00 "	6.00
1 1/2 gals. of oil returned to	
Cochrane Hardware at 5.15 per	
gal.	7.73
	<u>\$38.73</u>

The oil was left over after the school was painted during last summer and it was returned to the Cochrane Hardware Limited, at Copper Cliff, where the material was purchased for the painting of the school.

Your obedient servant,

R. H. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Whitefish Lake School.

No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Annie T. Ladouser

DATE		AMOUNT
I 1922		
February 9	Authorized by Dept. letter No. <u>151715-4</u> dated <u>November 29th, 1921.</u>	
January 24	To paid L. Jalbert for,-	
	3 bars of soap	.30 /
	1 lamp chimney	.18 /
	1 can stove polish	.15 /
	3 boxes of matches	.45 /
" 24	" " T. Eaton Company, Limited, for,-	
	12 slates @ .25 each	3.00 /
	3 lifebouy soap	.21 /
	1 box tacks	.07 /
	2 cups @ .12 each	.24 /
	1 pail	.27 /
	TOTAL:-	\$4.87 ✓

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

P. J. Lewis
Agent.

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284-34,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

February 9th, 1922.

Sir:-

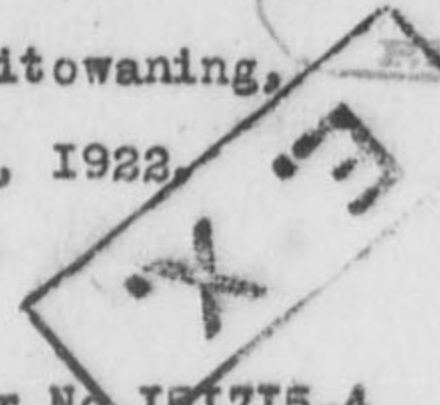
Authorized by Official Letter No. 181715-4
of November 29th, last, I have the honour to enclose
herewith a voucher, accompanied by receipts, in favour
of Miss Annie T. LaBoussier amounting to \$4.87 for
payments made to L. Jalbert and T. Eaton Company
for slates, matches, lamp chimney, stove polish,
soap, cups, pail and tacks for the Whitefish Lake
School.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Whitefish Lake Band.

No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To R. J. Lewis.

DATE			AMOUNT
1922			
May	31	Authorized by Dept. letter No. <u>19-8-I</u> dated <u>May 16th, 1922.</u>	
"	23	To paid J.J.Morrow fare to Little Current	1.50/
"		" " Dinner at Little Current	.75/
"		" " Buss fare to station	.25/
"		" " A.E.R. fare and return Sudbury	6.40/
"		" " Buss fare at Sudbury	.25/
"	24	" " Car hire to Naughton	6.00/
"	25	" " Telegram to Department	.75/
"	26	" " Car Hire to Naughton	6.00/
"		" " Jos. Petahtegoose horse hire	1.50/
"	27	" " Hotel Bill at Sudbury	12.00/
"		" " Buss fare to station at Sudbury	.25/
"		" " Buss fare at Little Current	.25/
"		" " Dinner at Little Current	.75/
"		" " Stage fare to Manitowaning	1.50/
TOTAL:-			\$38.15
Expenses removing Mrs Ladousen teacher from the Res 614 Sent June 9/22.			

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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34-35,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
May 31st, 1922.



Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 19-8-I of the 16th instant, I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in my favour amounting to \$38.15 for expenses paid by me in connection with removing Mrs. Ladouser, teacher at Whitefish Lake School, to Naughton Station.

In order to have this lady removed from the reserve I had to pay her the second visit. On my first visit she absolutely refused to be removed and closed herself in the residential portion of the school building, but when I paid her the second visit she re-considered the matter and was quite willing that I should escort her safely to Naughton Station, which I did promptly.

Your obedient servant,

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R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 22 1922
RECORDS

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
July 20th, 1922.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher, in duplicate, in favour of Mr. Xavier Nootchtai amounting to \$20.00 for erecting two closets complete at the Whitefish Lake School.

I did not have any authority from the Department to have these closets built. When I visited Whitefish Lake last spring I asked this Indian how much he would take and erect two closets at the school, but he would not quote a price. I visited the reserve again on the 18th instant to pay Robinson Treaty and found the two closets completed. The Indian asked twenty dollars for erecting the two, which is a very reasonable price, therefore, I would most respectfully recommend that payment be made to him, as these closets had to be erected on account of there not being any at the school.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

*Do you approve of this account
Acct. These closets were a necessity as
the school and I consider the price charged for
the work very reasonable. I would recommend the amount to be paid*

SCHOOLS BRANCH
JUL 24 1922

ACCOUNTANTS
JUL 24 1922
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Whitefish Lake School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J. C. Irving & Co. 153479

DATE	AMOUNT
1922	
October 18	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-5-1 dated September 20th, last.

MANITOWANING, ONT. October 18th, 1921
MANITOULIN ISLAND

M Dept. of Indian Affairs,

BOUGHT
OF

J. C. IRVING & CO.

DEALERS IN

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Gents' Furnishings
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE, ETC., ETC.

1922

October 6	To 1 pair of white blankets, all wool,	7.90	✓
	" 1/2 dozen knives and forks	2.00	✓
	" 1 enamel tea pot	.80	✓
	" 1 " " kettle	1.75	✓
	" 8 yards of towelling @ .25	2.00	✓
	" 24 cloth bound slates .30	7.20	✓
	1/2 Express charges from Manitowaning to Naughton	1.28	✓
		\$22.93	✓

4460
sent 25/10/22

\$22.93

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Whitefish Lake School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To... H. W. McLaughlin

DATE		AMOUNT	
1922			
October	18	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-8-1 dated September 20th, 1922.	
"	6	To 1 comforter 3.50, 1 toilet set 2.95	6.45 ✓
		" 1/2 doz. cups & saucers	1.25 ✓
		" 1/2 doz. plates 1.50, 1 zinc pail .50	2.00 ✓
		" 3 yards of table oil cloth @ .45	1.35 ✓
		" 1 case .50, 1/2 freight charges prepaid 1.27	1.77 ✓
		TOTAL:-	\$12.82 ✓

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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LOCAL PURCHASE—ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Tent. called October 3rd 1922 by letter phone Due October 3rd 1922 Opened October 3rd 1922 by R. J. Lewis

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NOTED
 UNDERLINE TENDER
 DO NOT USE THIS SPACE
 Minute No. 15-3479
 OCT 28 1922
 The Purchasing Commission of Canada.

I recommend that lowest tenders, as underlined, which have been accepted, be approved—
tenders marked with circle not satisfactory, for reasons given in remarks column.

Signed _____

Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Winnipeg.

DATE October 18/33.

City or town Manitowaning Province Ontario

19-8-5

284-35

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
October 18th, 1922.



Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 19-8-1 of September the 25th, last, I have the honour to enclose herewith accounts in favour of Messrs. J.C. Irving & Co. and Mr. H.W. McLaughlin amounting to \$22.93 and \$12.82 respectively for supplies furnished to the Whitefish Lake School.

I also enclose abstract of tenders, in duplicate, showing the dealers who were asked to quote.

No quotations were asked for on the slates as the letter of authority to purchase them was received after tenders were asked on the other articles. I purchased them and had the same packed with the other goods.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Whitefish Lake School.

No. of Account.....*82*

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To M. A. McDermott.

DATE 1923		AMOUNT	
February	22	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
<i>1922</i>		To paid <u>Mrs. Joseph Pinea.</u>	
September	6	Scrubbing class-room floor	3.00 ✓
October	18	Washing bed clothes	1.00 ✓ 4.00 ✓
October	18	" " <u>James Shawbanoquet.</u> Putting up stove and pipe in class-room and putting on storm windows	2.00 ✓
December	15	" " <u>Official Letter No. 15171504 Nov. 13/22.</u> <u>Louis Jalbert.</u>	
		2 water pails 1.00	2.00 ✓
		2 brooms .90	1.80 ✓ 3.80 ✓
		TOTAL:-	\$9.80 ✓

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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284-55,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
February 22, 1923.

Sir,-

I have the honour to enclose
herewith a voucher, in duplicate covered
by receipts, in favour of Miss M.A. McDermott
amounting to \$9.80 for payments made to the
different Indians for necessary labour per-
formed at Whitefish Lake School, and payment
made for two brooms and two pails for the
use of the class-room.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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The Department of Indian Affairs,

To... Angela Toner

DATE		AMOUNT	
1933			
Authorized by Dept. letter No. dated			
October	1		
Sept	10	To 2 Boxes Matches .15	
		1 Gall Oil .35	
		1 Gallon keros oil .45	.83
"	12	1 Wash Board .90	
		1 Clothes line .50	
		2 Clothes Pegs .08	1.43 - 2.33
			\$ 1 48

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sub 5/10/23.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. Lewis

Agent.

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284-36,

afk Indian Office, Manitowaning,
October 1st, 1923.



Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in favour of Miss Angela Toner, of Naughton, amounting to \$2.31 for payments made for matches, coal oil, ~~XXXXXX~~, wash board, clothes line and clothes pegs for her use at the Whiterish Lake Day School.

Miss Toner made these purchases herself as she was in need of them and ask me to forward the accounts to the Department requesting payment in her behalf.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa 8th October, 1923.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 1st instant, I have to inform you that the voucher therewith submitted in favour of Miss Angela Tonar has been paid at \$1.48. The charges for matches and coal-oil have not been allowed, as the Department does not furnish such articles to teachers. The other articles charged for in the voucher submitted have been paid, as is understood that they will be left in the residence when the teacher moves away.

Your obedient servant.

A.F. MacKenzie.
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R.J. Lewis Esqr.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Extract from Inspector's Report on the WHITEFISH LAKE
Day School. October 22, 1923.

There is no woodshed. I was wondering what the teacher
will do to keep the wood dry in winter. A woodshed should
be built.

I doubt if there is sufficient wood to last the winter.

There is no well and the teacher has to get water from
the lake down a rather steep hill, some 300 feet. Some-
thing should be done. It means real work to get water
for washing and household use.

A pair of blankets and a bed spread, if possible, are
urgent. I blame lack of good bed blankets as contribut-
ing cause of the teacher's cold.

The stove is in urgent need of repair. The ash pan cannot
be closed properly and it cannot even be forced in. The
result is no way of checking it from below.

This teacher should be sent a coffee pot of some kind.

J. M. Bennett, Insp.

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19-8-5.

Ottawa, Nov. 2nd, 1923.

Sir:

The Separate School Inspector, in a report on his recent inspection of the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School, states that a woodshed is necessary in order to keep the wood dry in winter. He also states that he doubts if there is sufficient wood on hand to last the winter. I have to request that you will state whether you can arrange to have an inexpensive building suitable for the purpose of storing wood erected this fall, and, if so, the probable cost of the material and labour. You should also arrange to have an ample supply of firewood purchased and delivered at the school. This wood should be cut into proper stove lengths.

The Inspector also states that a pair of blankets, a bedspread and a coffee pot are required for the teacher's use. You may purchase and have delivered one pair of blankets, a bedspread and a coffee pot.

The Inspector further states that the stove is in urgent need of repairs. The ash pan cannot be closed properly. You should arrange to have any repairs required made to the stove, and you may purchase any new parts required for the purpose.

You should give all the above matters your prompt attention, in order that conditions will be made as comfortable as possible for the teacher, and properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, should be forwarded covering the expenditure incurred in the purchase of the above supplies.

I shall be pleased to hear from you regarding the woodshed as soon as possible.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Extract from Agent's Report on the WHITEFISH LAKE
DAY SCHOOL for the month of October, 1923.

A supply of firewood is required for next
winter, about 10 cords, and a new grate for
the fire box in the kitchen stove which is
in bad condition.

*See letter
of Nov 4/23
authorizing
above
P.P.
6/11/23*



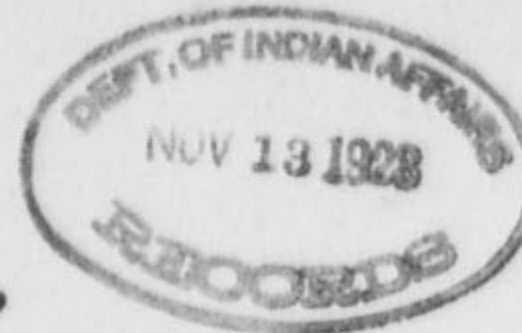
R. J. Lewis,
Agt.

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284-36
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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
November 7th, 1923.

Sir:-

I am in receipt of Official Letter No. 19-8-5 of the 2nd instant, in regard to the Separate School Inspector's report on the Whitefish Lake Indian School, and in reply I have the honour to report that there is at the present time a small wood shed at the back of the school but it is not large enough to hold a supply of fire wood for the winter, and a larger one cannot be erected this fall on account of the bridge across the Vermillion River at Naughton being washed out it being impossible to transport building material to Whitefish Lake Village, but after the bridge is replaced by a new one it might be possible to erect an inexpensive shed next summer.

When I visited Whitefish Lake recently to make payment of fall interest to the Indians arrangement was made with the members of the band for a supply of firewood for winter use for the school and teacher's residence.

^{repairs}With regard to the urgent repairs required to the stove, by the Inspector, I have to report that a new grate for the firebox has been ordered from the McClary Company of London, Ont. which should arrive in the new future, and I might state that when I removed two large buckets of ashes from around the ash pan it closed properly.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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19-8-5.

284-36.

Ottawa, Nov. 16th, 1923.

Sir:

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 7th instant, regarding the report of the Separate School Inspector on the facilities provided for the storing of fuel at the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say it is noted that the woodshed is not of sufficient size to meet the requirements at this school. The question of erecting a new woodshed should be drawn to the attention of the Department early next spring, when it will then be decided whether the work of erecting a new building can be authorized or not.

It is noted that upon the occasion of your recent visit you arranged with the Indians to obtain the firewood required for the winter's use for the school and teacher's residence. It is hoped that the Indians have attended to the supplying of the quantity of wood required. We also note that you have arranged for the repairs required to the stove.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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Manitowaning Agency

No. of Account..... *82*

INDIAN TRUST FUND

Whitefish Lake School

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To.....*Mr. Joseph Pines*.....

DATE		AMOUNT
1923		
December	13	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....
December	10	To 26 ¹ / ₂ Hours Labour Splitting and Piling Wood in Shed, also repairing Shed Floor at Whitefish Lake School @ 35¢ per hr..... \$ 9.15 ✓

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rat 19/12/23
[Signature]*

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

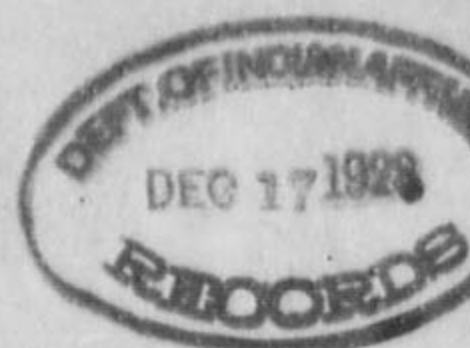
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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
December 13th, 1923.



Sir:-

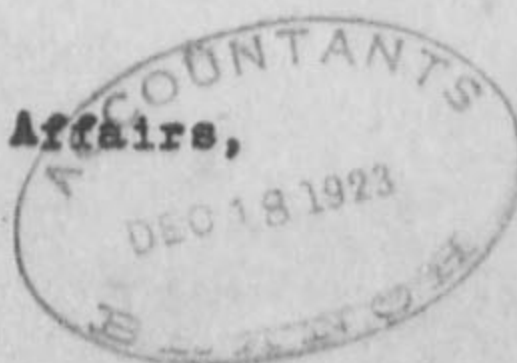
I have the honour to enclose herewith an account in favour of Mr. Joseph Pinas of Naughton, amounting to \$9.15, for labour splitting and piling wood in the shed, also repairing the woodshed at the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School.

I would most respectfully recommend that this account be paid as it was necessary to have this work done at the school before the hard winter sets in.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

W. C. M.
J. H. S.
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

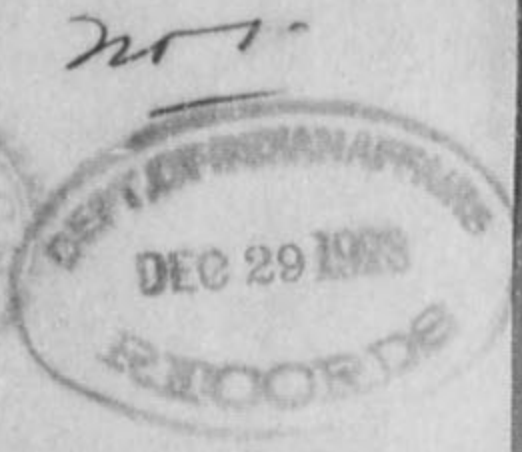


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EXTRACT FROM AGENT'S REPORT FOR THE MONTH
OF DECEMBER ON THE WHITEFISH LAKE INDIAN
DAY SCHOOL.

Original on File #19-7-7.

The floor in the small wood shed at the back
of the school building requires some urgent
repairs in order to keep the snow from drifting
in during the winter.

(Sgd.) R. J. Lewis.

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19-8-5.

Ottawa, January 2nd, 1923.

Sir:

Referring to that portion of your report for the month of December, last, on the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School, regarding the condition of the floor in the small woodshed at the back of the school building, I beg to say that you are authorized to have the repairs required carried out, in order to keep the snow from drifting in during the winter. No unnecessary expenditure should be incurred, and properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, should be forwarded covering the cost.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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No. of Account.....

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To...R...J...Lewis.

In Account With: **Watson & McKim**
FORD DEALERS
FORD AUTOMOBILES, TRUCKS, REPAIRS, PARTS, TIRES
ACCESSORIES, ETC.

Manitowaning, Ont. *Dec. 15* 192*3*

M. *R. J. Davis*
S. J. McIntyre

S. S. BEARE, LIMITED, TORONTO.

<i>1 Gladwin Hump</i>	
<i>Pump</i>	<i>12.00</i>
<i>PAID</i>	
<i>15</i>	

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.


 Agent.

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Letter No. 284-36.



Office of the Manitowaning Indian Agency,
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January 10th, 1924 192...

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....
amounting to \$13.00 in favour
of R.J. Lewis for payment made to Messrs Watson and
McKim for one Aladdin hanging lamp delivered to
Whitefish Lake School.
~~xxx~~

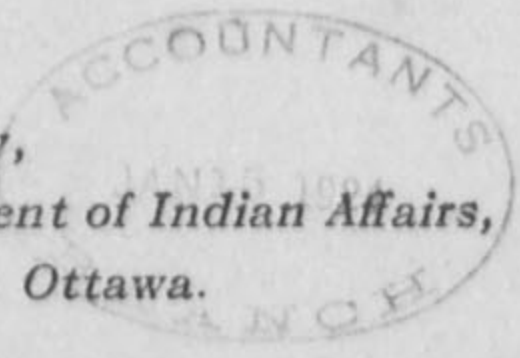
This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
Letter No. 151715-4 dated January 11th, 1923.

Your obedient servant,

*9/10/24
JMS*

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



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Whitefish Lake School.

No. of Account..... *82*

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To..... ~~Agatashen~~ Mrs. R. Jalbert.

DATE		AMOUNT
1924	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
March 7		
December 13/23	To. Miss Angela Toner, Whitefish Lake School.	
	" 3 water pails @ .63 $\frac{1}{2}$	1.35
	3 window glass 14x28 .60	1.20
	1 iron handle	.25
	2 brooms 1.10	2.20
	1 lamp mantle	.40
	1 lamp chimney	.20
	1 alladin lamp chimney	.25
	1 flour sifter	.40
	TOTAL:-	\$6.15

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

284-36.

Manitowaning, Ont.

March 7th, 1924. 19

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Sir,

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in favour of Mrs. R. Jalbert, of Naughton, Ont., amounting to \$6.15 of supplies furnished the teacher at Whitefish Lake School.

There was not any authority given the teacher to purchase these articles, but she claims that it was necessary that she should have them and when at Naughton she made the purchase.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Pay
Schools Branch
March 12 1924
Shall we pay?
This is not the first
time for Miss Jones to make
purchases without authority
for

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Please pay and
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284-36.

Ottawa, March 13th, 1924.

Sir:

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 7th instant, enclosing a voucher in favour of Mrs. R. Jalbert for supplies furnished the teacher of the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say that this account is being paid. In future, however, before the teacher makes purchases of this nature, she should forward a requisition through your office to the Department and receive the necessary authority. Please inform her accordingly, as in future the Department cannot pay accounts of this nature unless a good explanation is furnished as to the reasons for making the expenditure without authority.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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Manitowaning Agency
Whitefish Lake School

No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Joseph Pinos, Naughton.

DATE		AMOUNT
1924		
May	27	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....
May	14	To 4 Hours labour adjusting verandah, removing stoves and storm windows at the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School, at 35 cents per hour \$ 1.40 ✓

Whitefish Reserve. Ont.
May, 14, 1924

Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

In account with
Jos. Pinos.

4 hrs. work at Whitefish Indian
Day School.

adjusting front veranda
Removing storm windows &
also stoves @ 35 cts. 1.40

A. R. Angela Foxler,

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. G. Lewis,
Agent.

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19-8-5
INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

Indian Office, Manitowaning.

May 27th 1924.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 284-37
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Sir,—

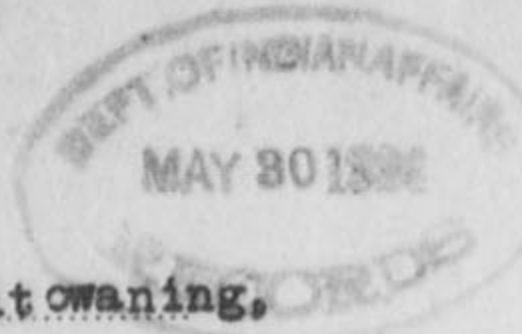
I have the honour to enclose herewith an account in favour of Mr. Joseph Pinas of Naughton, amounting to \$1.40, for labour adjusting verandah, removing stoves and storm windows at the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School.

I would most respectfully recommend that this account be paid as it was necessary to have this work done at the school before the summer commences.

Your obedient servant,

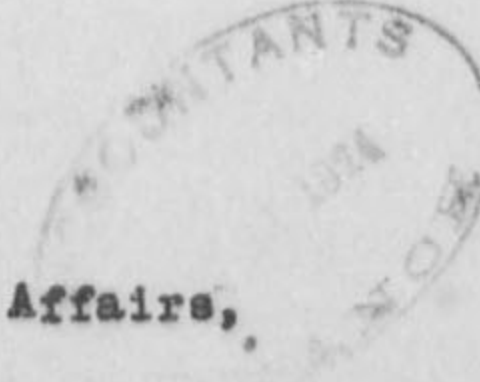
R. J. Lewis.
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..



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19-8-5

Ottawa, September 30, 1924.

Sir,-

The Separate School Inspector, in a report on his recent inspection of the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School, recommends that the school building be re-banked for winter protection. He states that this would mean only a little work with a shovel.

You should arrange to have this building re-banked before the extreme cold weather sets in. No unnecessary expense should be incurred for the purpose.

The inspector further recommends that a barrel be supplied to store water for the teacher's use during the winter in order to overcome the difficulty of obtaining a supply. You may purchase and have delivered a barrel that would be suitable for storage of water.

The following supplies are also needed and you may arrange for the purchase and delivery of same:- twelve lengths of stove pipes, one wash basin, one granite pail, a small quantity of soap and six yards of towelling. Properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, should be forwarded covering the above authorized expenditure. The purchase of these supplies should receive early attention.

The inspector further states that a cupboard is required in which to keep the books and other classroom equipment. Please state if you can arrange to have a suitable cupboard erected by local labour and the approximate cost of same.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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Extract from Inspector's Report on the WHITEFISH INDIAN
Day School, September 23, 1924.

The only necessary thing to be done would be to re-bank
this building for winter protection. It only means a little
work with a shovel.

A barrel to store water is needed especially in winter. The
hill is steep and long to the lake and is quite slippery in
winter.

A barrel is needed to use as a cistern. This teacher had
much difficulty last winter. Remember that this teacher
has a steep hill to the lake to go down and up for water.
It is at least 300 feet. It is slippery in winter.

No adequate cupboard for books and equipment.

12 stove pipes needed

Washbasin Needed

Soap and towelling needed.

Pail needed.

J. M. Bennett,

Insp.



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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
November 4th, 1924.



Sir:-

See p. 5
Referring to Official Letter No. 19-8-5 of November 16th, 1923, in regard to the question of erecting a woodshed at the Whitefish Lake School; I have the honour to report that after making an estimate approximately as to the cost of building a woodshed at the present time I consider it would be too high. On account of the Indian Reserve being so far away from any locality where building material can be procured the cost of transportation would be high.

Messrs. Ludgate and Thompson, whom I presume are the timber licensees now, are erecting a tie and lumber mill at the Indian Village, at Whitefish Lake, on the Reserve, which will in the near future ~~will~~ be under operation and next summer material can be procured for a woodshed at a reasonable price.

Your obedient servant,

J. Keenan
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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19-8-5.

284-37.

Ottawa, November 8, 1924.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 4th instant, referring to the question of erecting a woodshed at the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School.

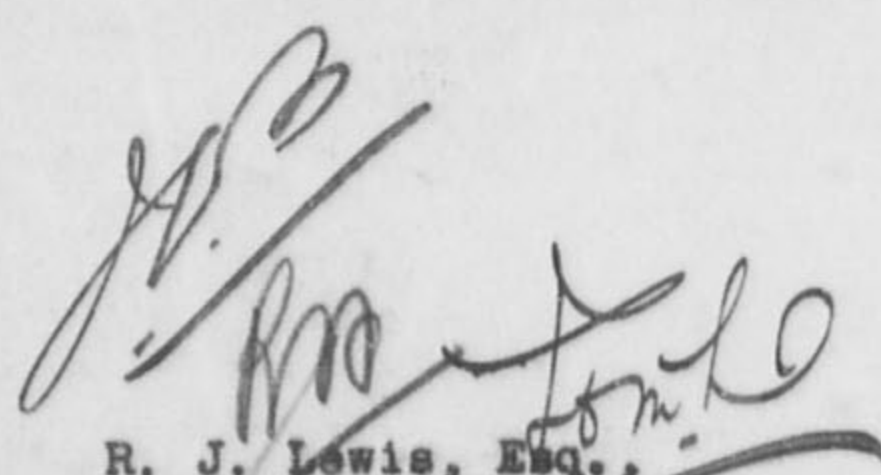
In reply I beg to say it is noted you recommend that, owing to the cost, the erection of a woodshed be left until next summer, when the materials required can be obtained at a more reasonable price. Please make a note of this requirement and draw the attention of the Department to the matter early next spring, stating at that time the probable cost of the material and labour required.

It is presumed that you have arranged for the purchase of the supplies mentioned in official letter of September 30th, last, for the use of this school.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. deputy and Secretary.


R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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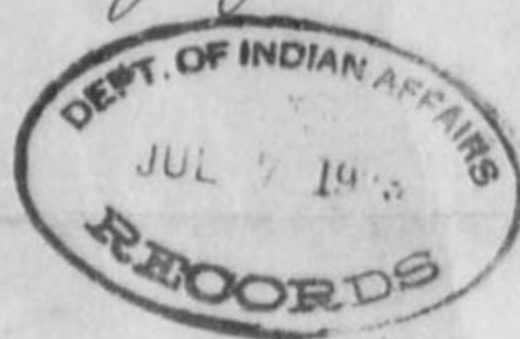
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Hornepayne. Ont. July 5th, 23

The Secretary
Dept. of Indian Affairs
Ottawa Ont.



Dear Sir.
My address for the month of July
will be Hornepayne Ont. for August.
Fink's Ferry, Que.

I am
Yours truly
M. A. McDermott.
"St. Whitefish Lake Reserve"



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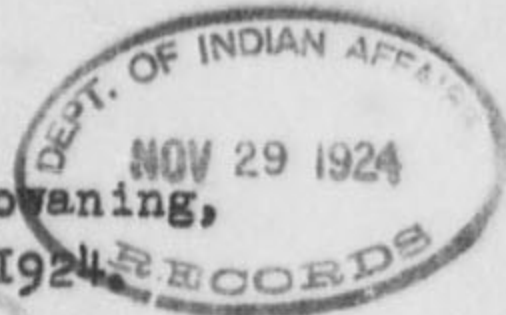
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34-37.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
November 26th, 1924



Sir;-

I have the honour to report that Miss Angela Toner, teacher at the Whitefish Lake Indian School, has written me stating that she is having an entertainment for the pupils of her school on December 19th, next, and has asked that the Department of Indian Affairs consider granting her the small amount of \$8.00 towards purchasing a few gifts to be distributed to the pupils at this entertainment, which is being provided before the school closes for the Christmas holidays.

I would most respectfully recommend that Miss Toner be granted this small amount of money to purchase gifts for her pupils, as stated above, as the children look forward to receiving something at this season of the year, and are greatly disappointed if they do not get the same.



Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
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284-37.

Ottawa, December 2, 1924.

Sir:

In reply to your letter of the 26th ultimo, I have to inform you that the Department will approve of an expenditure not exceeding \$8.00 in the purchase of gifts, to be distributed to the pupils of the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School before the school closes for the Christmas holidays. Please consult the teacher in the matter and arrange for the purchase of the articles required. Properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, should be forwarded covering the expenditure.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

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Whitefish Lake School.

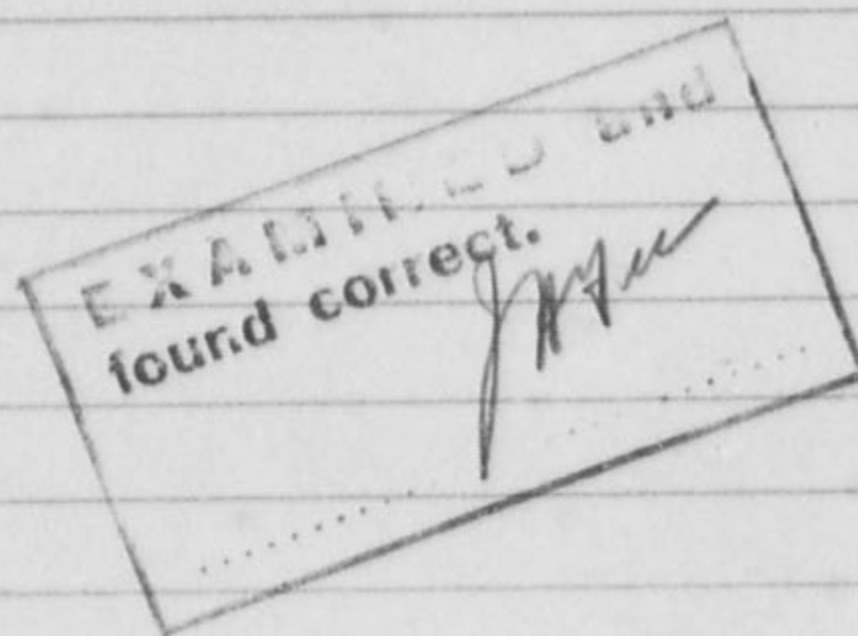
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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Joseph Petahtegoose.

DATE		AMOUNT
1934		
November	8	Authorized by Dept. letter No. <u>19-2-5</u> dated <u>September 30th 1924</u>
		To 29 hours labour banking school building, and splitting firewood at 50 cents per hour 8.70/
		* Freighting cook stove from Naughton to Whitefish Lake School 1.00 /
		\$9.70



I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

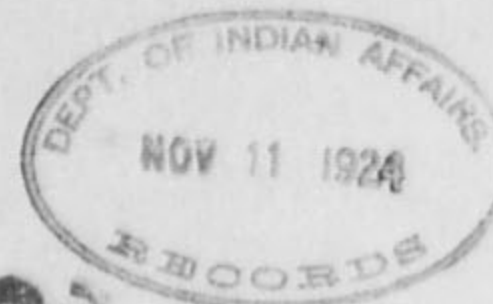
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384-33.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
November 8th, 1924.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in favour of Joseph Petahtegoose amounting to \$9.70 for twenty nine hours labour banking the school building at Whitefish Lake, splitting firewood for the use of the teacher's residence, and freighting a cook stove from Naughton Station on the C.P.R. to the Whitefish Lake Indian School.

This expenditure was authorized by Official Letters No. 19-8-8 and 19-8-5 of September the 30th last.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

[Handwritten initials]
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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EXTRACT FROM DECEMBER REPORT OF R. J. LEWIS,
INDIAN AGENT, MANITOWANING, on the
WHITEFISH LAKE INDIAN DAY SCHOOL

Original on 19-8-7.

x x x x

A new lock for the door of the classroom
and a large pane of glass for one of the windows is
required.



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19-3-5.

January 5th, 1925.

Sir:

Referring to that portion of your report for the month of December on the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School regarding certain repairs required, I beg to say that you may purchase and have installed a new lock on the door of the classroom and also the pane of glass required for one of the windows. No unnecessary expense should be incurred and properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, should be forwarded covering the expenditure incurred.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. D. McLean
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Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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R. J. Lewis

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Whiterish Lake School

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Mrs. R. Jalbert, Naughton, Ont.

DATE	AMOUNT																
1925																	
January 2	Authorized by Dept. letter No. <i>19-8-5</i> dated <i>December 2nd, 1924.</i>																
<i>Mrs. R. Jalbert</i> DATE <i>Dec 30</i> 192 <i>4</i> <i>u A Toner.</i> <i>White Fish Lake</i> Acct. No. Clerk Account Forwarded <table><tbody><tr><td><i>1 1/2 Doz Oranges</i></td><td><i>75¢</i></td></tr><tr><td><i>4 1/2 lbs apples</i></td><td><i>40-</i></td></tr><tr><td><i>3 lbs candy</i></td><td><i>41. 00-</i></td></tr><tr><td><i>1 1/4 lbs Peanuts</i></td><td><i>40-</i></td></tr><tr><td><i>5 chocolate Bars</i></td><td><i>20-</i></td></tr><tr><td><i>7 toy dolls @ 15¢</i></td><td><i>\$1.05</i></td></tr><tr><td><i>11 " " cur @ 15¢</i></td><td><i>31.65</i></td></tr><tr><td></td><td><i>\$55.80</i></td></tr></tbody></table> 33 Your account stated to date. If error is found return at once.		<i>1 1/2 Doz Oranges</i>	<i>75¢</i>	<i>4 1/2 lbs apples</i>	<i>40-</i>	<i>3 lbs candy</i>	<i>41. 00-</i>	<i>1 1/4 lbs Peanuts</i>	<i>40-</i>	<i>5 chocolate Bars</i>	<i>20-</i>	<i>7 toy dolls @ 15¢</i>	<i>\$1.05</i>	<i>11 " " cur @ 15¢</i>	<i>31.65</i>		<i>\$55.80</i>
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7109 sent. 12/1/25

EXAMINED
found correct.
[Signature]

\$ 5.50

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

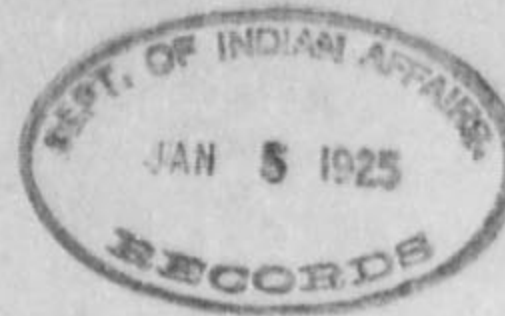
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Let. No. 234-37



Office of the Manitowaning Indian Agency,

January 2nd, 1925.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. ~~1234~~

amounting to \$ 5.50 in favour

of Mrs. R. Jalbert, Naughton, Ont.

for Supplies furnished Miss A. Toner for pupils at
Whitefish Lake School for Christmas 1924.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 19-8-5 dated December 2nd, 1924.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis.
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



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Extract for 19-8-5

School Files

Extract from Agent's report on the WHITEFISH
LAKE DAY SCHOOL for the month of March, 1925.

The teacher requires two brooms for the
use of the classroom and residence.

R. J. Lewis,
~~Teacher.~~



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19-8-5.

Ottawa, April 6, 1925.

Sir:

With reference to that portion of your report on the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School for the month of March, last, with reference to the brooms required, I beg to say that you may arrange for the purchase and delivery of 2 brooms for the use of the classroom and teacher's residence.

You should forward properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, covering the expenditure incurred.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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EXTRACT FROM INSPECTOR'S REPORT ON THE WHITEFISH
LAKE INDIAN DAY SCHOOL, APRIL 21, 1925.

- (a) Woodshed should be built.
- (b) It might be well to repaint the interior.
- (c) The roof leaks over the dining room,
Since the roofing is not a shingle one
it will be easy to fix.
- (d) A new stove for the class-room is needed.

J. M. Bennett,
Inspector.

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19-8-5.

Ottawa, April 29th, 1925.

Sir:

The Separate School Inspector, in a report on his recent inspection of the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School, has again drawn attention to the need of a woodshed. In this connection I beg to refer you to your letter of November 4th, last, in which you stated that owing to the difficulty in obtaining material the building of this shed would be left over until the coming summer when the work could be done at a reasonable cost. You should make enquiry as to whether you can arrange to obtain the materials and have the work done. It is not intended that an expensive shed be erected, but it should be of a size suitable to meet the requirements, the walls rough boarded, with a sloping shingled roof, and the door should have a good strong fastening.

The Inspector also states that the roof leaks over the dining room. You should enquire into this, and state what repairs would be required. It might be advisable to have them carried out at the same time as the woodshed is being erected.

The Inspector further states that a new stove is required in the classroom. Please state whether you consider this is necessary, and, if so, furnish an estimate of the cost of supplying same.

Please also state whether you would recommend that any cleaning and painting be done to the interior of the school building, and, if so, you should furnish an estimate of the cost and state whether you can arrange for the labour in having the work done.

Your early reply giving full information will be appreciated, in order that if it is decided to authorize having any work done it can be carried out during the coming summer holidays.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
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The Department of Indian Affairs,

To.....Mrs. R. Jalbert, Naughton, Ont.....

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sent 9/4/25

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

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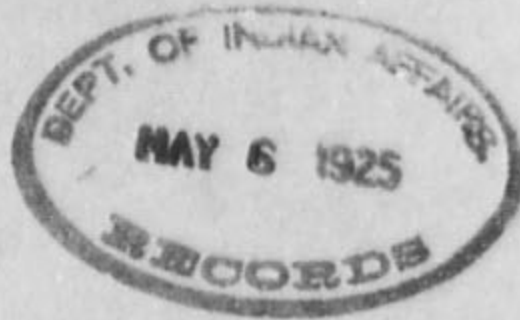
R. Lewis
Agent.

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Letter No. 214-63,

Office of the.....Manitowaning.....Indian Agency,

Ans
Sir,



May 2nd, 1925.

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....,

amounting to \$ I.40.....in favour

of Mrs. R. Jalbert, Naughton, Ont.,

for Two Brooms furnished for use at the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 19-8-5 dated April 6th, 1925.

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LD.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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284-37. Indian Office, Manitowaning,
May 7th, 1925.

Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 19-8-5 of the 29th ultimo, in regard to the report of the Separate School Inspector on his recent inspection of the Whitefish Lake School; I have the honour to report that during this summer rough lumber can be obtained from a Lumber Company, Messrs. Ludgate & Thompson, who are operating on the Whitefish Lake Reserve, as they have their mill almost completed, and then a suitable woodshed will be erected at the school.

With regard to the roof having a leak over the dining room, I have to report that I examined the roof sometime ago and could not find any defect. A little snow may have sifted in around the eave of the building and melted, but when the shed is under erection the roof of the school will be examined again and if in need of repairs they will be carried out.

The door of the stove in the classroom has been broken recently. An effort is being made to obtain the necessary repairs, and if they can be obtained the stove can be put in good condition again.

I would not recommend any painting and cleaning be done to the interior of the school building this summer as it is in fairly good condition and should do for another year or so.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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Whitefish Lake School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Angela Toner.....

DATE		AMOUNT	
1925			
June	19	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
1924			
Nov.	4	To paid J.G. Armstrong for,-	
		I Tea Kettle	2.50
		I Door Lock	1.00
			3.50 ✓
1925			
June	15	" "	Jim Nootchtai for,-
		I Mantle	.35
		I Chimney	.40
June	10/25	" "	I Mantle
		I Chimney	.50
			1.65 ✓
			\$5.15 ✓

2285
sent 24/6/25
EXAMINED and
found correct.
[Signature]

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent.

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284-37.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
June 19th, 1925.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in favour of Angela Toner, teacher at the Whitefish Lake School, amounting to \$5.15 for kettle, lock, mantles and lamp chimneys purchased for the use of the Whitefish Lake School building.

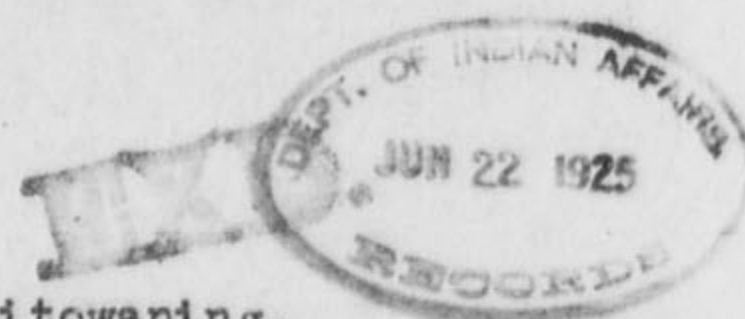
All the articles were purchased without authority excepting the door lock which was authorized by Official Letter No. 19-8-5 of January the 5th, 1925. It would appear that the lock was purchased before she received the authority, but however, a suitable lock has been installed on the class-room door.

I would most respectfully recommend that the account be paid as all the articles purchased were used in connection with the school building.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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284-37.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
July 16th, 1925.

Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 284-37 of April the 29th, last, with reference to the report of the Separate School Inspector's report on repairs required to the Whitefish Lake School building, I have the honour to report that when I visited the Whitefish Lake reserve on the 11th, instant, I made an examination of the roof on the school building and found that it requires a coat of Parabestos Roofing Cement in order to stop the leakage. I estimate that it will cost approximately \$25.00 to have the roof repaired.

Upon examing the stove in the class-room I found that it has been damaged to an extent beyond the question of having it repaired, and it will have to be replaced by a new one which will cost \$18.00.

Arrangement has been made with the Lumber Company, operating on the Reserve, for a supply of lumber for the purpose of erecting a woodshed, and an inexpensive addition will be erected to the school building, for the purpose of storing a supply of fuel, before the school re-opens after the holidays.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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284-37.

E. X.

Ottawa, July 21, 1925.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 16th instant, relative to repairs required to the Whitefish Lake R. C. Indian Day School.

In reply I have to say that you may arrange to have the roof repaired and placed in good condition. We note that it will require a coat of parastotes roofing cement and that the approximate cost of the repairs will be \$25.00. You may also arrange for the purchase and delivery of a stove for the classroom. If possible, competitive prices should be obtained in the purchase of the stove and any material required for the repairs to the roof.

It is noted that you have made arrangements for the supplying of lumber necessary to erect a woodshed. It is hoped that all these repairs will be completed before the school re-opens after the present summer holidays. Please forward certified vouchers, in duplicate, covering the expense incurred.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

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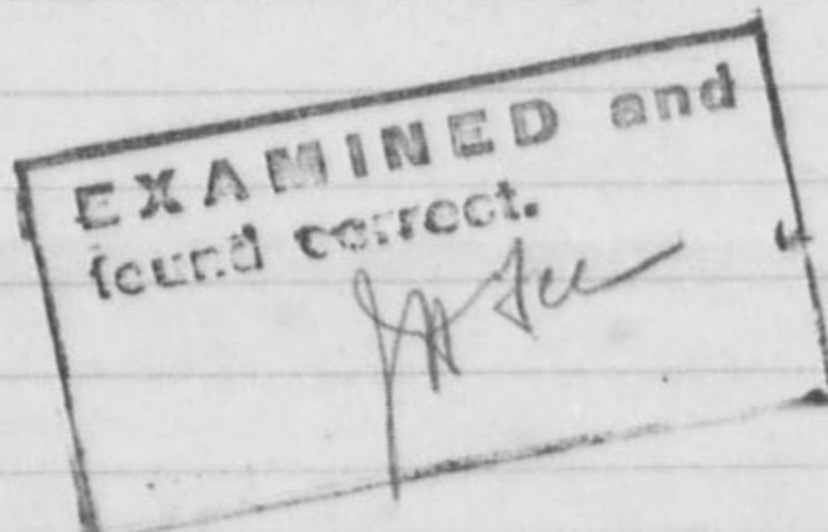
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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To R. J. Lewis.....

DATE		AMOUNT	
1925			
August	24	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-8-5 dated April 29th and July 31, 1925.	
		<u>Building of Woodshed and repairing roof, Whitefish Lake School</u>	
July	10	To paid Corhrans Hardware, Copper Cliff, for:-	
		2 Rolls 3 ply roofing paper at 3.15-	6.30
		1 Brush for repairing roof	.75
		25 # 3 inch nails	.07 1.75
		2 Heavy door latches	.35 .70
		10 # 5 inch nails	.08 .70
		2 Pcs Heavy Hinges	.20 .40
		2 Pounds roofing nails	.15 .30-10.90 ✓
"	17	Ludgate & Thompson for:-	
		17 pieces 2x4x14'	
		19 " 2x4x12' 353ft e	25.00\$8.80
		5 " 2x4x10	
		600 ft Lumber	\$12.00, 7.20-
		Sales Tax at 5%	.80-16.80 /
"	29	J.J. Morrow, express Roofing Cement	1.54 /
Aug.	17	C.W. Hinds 10 gals Roofing Cement @1.25	12.50 /
"	17	Jim Nootchtai for 43 hours labour at 30¢ per hour	12.90 /
"	17	John Nebaionoquet for 24 hours labour at 30¢ per hour	7.20 /
"	17	Michel Napouse for 42 hours labour at 35¢ per hour	\$24.70 /
"	17	Michel Napouse for horse hire carting articles from Naughton Station to Whitefish Lake School, 2 days at \$1.50	3.00 /
		\$79.54	



3927
sent 29/8/25

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent.

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284-38.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
August 24th, 1925.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 27 1925
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Sir,-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in my favour amounting to \$79.54 for payments made by me in connection with erecting a woodshed and repairs to the roof of the Whitefish Lake Indian School.

With regard to the Woodshed just completed I have to report to the Department that the dimensions are ten feet by twenty seven feet with a ten foot wall, and it is not a very elaborate building as it is built of rough material but it will answer the purpose. Shingles could not be secured, therefore, three ply roofing had to be substituted.

The roof on the school building has been repaired and given a coat of parabestos roofing cement, and it now appears to be in good condition.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Schmidt



EXTRACT FROM INSPECTOR'S REPORT ON THE WHITEFISH LAKE
INDIAN DAY SCHOOL, SEPTEMBER 10, 1925.

B

New box stove is needed. Agent knows this as other
fell to pieces.

Note

Table oilcloth needed also sheeting and dish
towelling.

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One window is broken and needs replacing.

Toilets need cleaning badly.



J. M. Bennett, INSP.

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284-38,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
September 11th, 1925.



Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a requisition for articles of stationery and medicines for the use of pupils at the Whitefish Lake Indian School.

With regard to the question of furnishing a stove for the use of the class-room, I have to advise the Department that one has been ordered through the Cochrane Hardware Company, Copper Cliff, and it will be installed in the class-room before the cold weather sets in.

It might be well for the Department to supply the medicines ask for on the requisition as very often the pupils have sores and minor bruises which the teacher could give relief to if she had the necessary remedies on hand to give treatment.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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284-38.

Ottawa, Sept. 17, 1925.

Sir:

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 11th instant, enclosing requisition for supplies for the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School. It is noted that you have already arranged to purchase a stove. You may also purchase 6 cakes of soap, one pail, 4 yards dish towelling, 5 yards sheeting, 2 yards table oilcloth, one bottle of iodine, one bottle of Hydrogen Peroxide, one roll of cheese cloth, one roll of absorbent cotton and one package or pulverized alum.

Mr. Inspector Bennett, who visited the school on the 10th instant, reports that one window needs replacing, also that the toilets should be cleaned. These matters should receive your early attention.

Your obedient servant

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency
Whitefish Lake School
No. of Account.....82

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Mrs. R. Jalbert, Naughton, Ont..

DATE	AMOUNT																																																
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R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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The Department of

, Naughton, Ont..

DATE
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October 5

AMOUNT
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5034
sent 10/10/25

G. Armstrong

\$ 8.10

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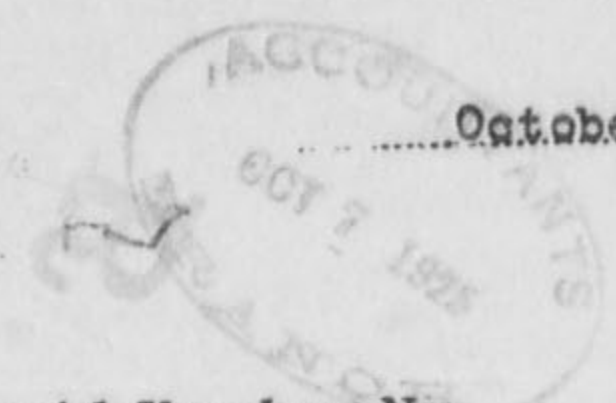
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Office of the Manitowaning Indian Agency,

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October 5th, 1925.



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Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....,

amounting to \$ 5.10 in favour

of Mrs. R. Jalbert, Naughton, Ont.,

for Supplies furnished for use at the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 19-5-5 dated September 17th, 1925.

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Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Whitefish Lake School.

No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To.....Jas. Shawbonquet.....

DATE		AMOUNT
1925	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-8-5 dated July 21st, 1925.	
October 13		
September 23	To transportation of Box Stove from Naughton Station to Whitefish Lake School	\$1.50

Naughton, Ont.,
Sept., 22nd 1925

Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

In account with

Jas. Shawbonquet

To Transportation

1 Box stove from Naughton Station
for W. Indian Day School - 1.50

5-8,510
284 38

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R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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19-8-5



Office of the Manitowaning Indian Agency,

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October 13th, 1925. 192 *R*

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....,
amounting to \$ 1.50 in favour
of James Shawbonoquet, Naughton, Ont.
for transportation of Box Stove from Naughton to
school building at Whitefish Lake Reserve.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
Letter No. 19-8-5 dated July 21st, 1925.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
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Whitefish Lake School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To ~~Cochrane Hardware Limited,~~
Copper Cliff, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT
1925		
October	13	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-8-5 dated July 21st, 1925.
September	11	To 1 Box Stove delivered at Naughton Station for use of Whitefish Lake School \$14.00

SAULT STE. MARIE

NORTH BAY

SUDBURY

COCHRANE HARDWARE, LIMITED

"The Store of Sensible Prices"

DEALERS IN

SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE, PAINTS, OILS, GLASS, BUILDERS' SUPPLIES
OF ALL KINDS, GRANITE, ALUMINUM AND TINWARE, SPORTING GOODS

OFFICE PHONE 157
STORE PHONE 183

COPPER CLIFF, *Sept. 30* 192 *56*
ONTARIO

SOLD TO

Mr. R. J. Lewis

Manitowaning, Ont.

DATE	DESCRIPTION	FOLIO	CREDIT AMOUNT	DEBIT AMOUNT	TOTAL
<i>Sept. 11</i>	<i>1 #28 Box Stove freight on do</i>	<i>43</i>		<i>13.50 50</i>	<i>14.00</i>

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R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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LETTER FOLIO
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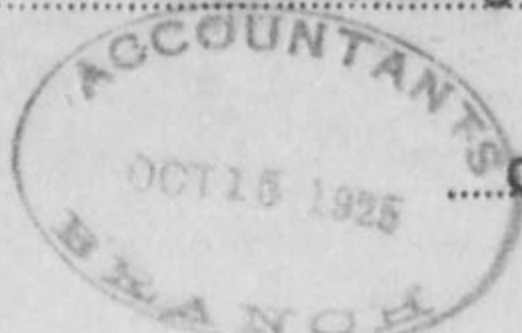
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19-8-5



Office of the Manitowaning Indian Agency,

[Handwritten signature]



October 13th, 1925. 192...

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....,

amounting to \$ 14.00..... in favour

of Cochrane Hardware Limited, Copper Cliff, Ont.

for Box Stove delivered at Naughton Station for
class-room in Whitefish Lake School building.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 12-2-5..... dated July 21st, 1925.....

Your obedient servant,

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[Handwritten signature]

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Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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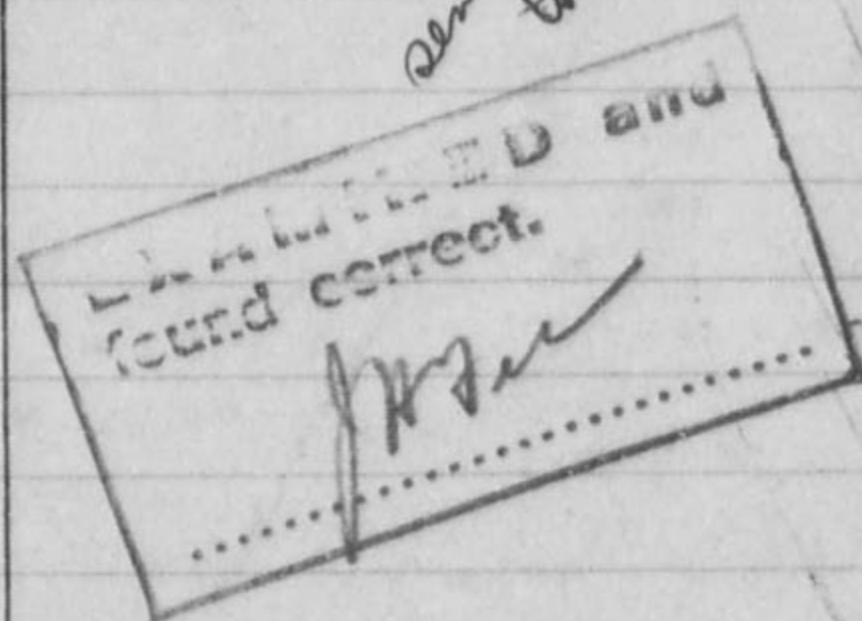
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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Michael Napouse.

DATE		AMOUNT
1935	Authorized by Dept. letter No. <u>19-8-5</u> dated <u>September 17th, 1935.</u>	
November 8	To 15 hours labour cleaning closets, repairing windows, banking school and piling firewood in shed at .30¢ per hour	4.50
	" use of horse for 2 days at \$1.00 per day	2.00
	TOTAL:-	\$6.50



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[Signature]
Agent.

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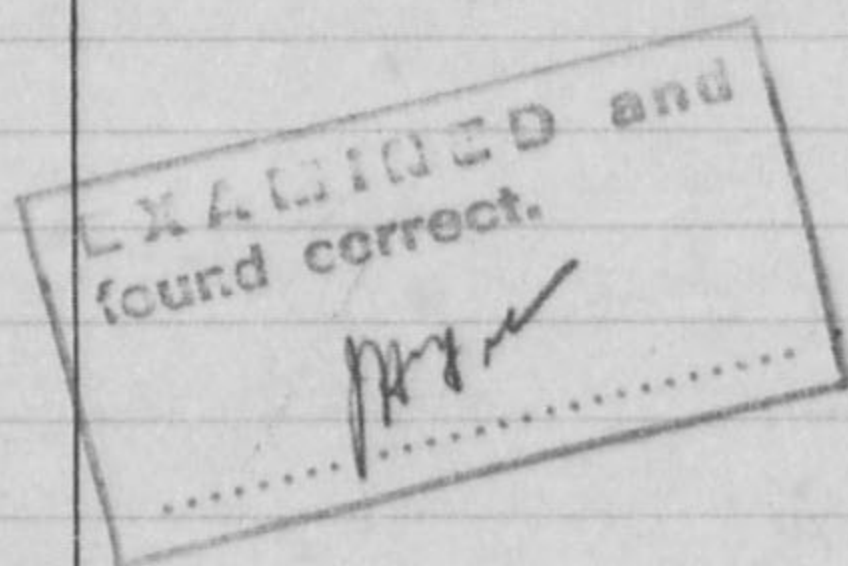
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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To James Nootchai.

DATE		AMOUNT
1925		
November	8	
Authorized by Dept. letter No. 13-2-5 dated September 17th, 1925.		
To 8 hours labour assisting Michael Napoue		
in cleaning closets and banking school		
at \$30¢ per hour		\$2.40



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[Signature]
Agent.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Whitefish Lake School.

No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To.....R. J. Lewis.

DATE	AMOUNT
1925 November 6	Authorized by Dept. letter No. <u>10-8-5</u> dated <u>September 17th, 1925.</u>
October 30	To paid <u>Cochrane Hardware, Limited, Copper Cliff.</u>
	2 only Glass size 14 x 28 @ .35 ea. .70
	1 " " 28 x 28 1.05 " 1.05
	3 Lbs. Putty .10 lb. .30
	2 only Frost King .50 ea. 1.00
	1 Box Tacks .10 " .10
	<u>\$3.15</u>

UDBURY

SAULT STE. MARIE

NORTH BAY

COPPER CLIFF

Cochrane Hardware, Limited No.
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
GENERAL HARDWARE

ORDER No.

YOUR No.

Sold to M
R. R. J. Lewis.

Copper Cliff, Ont.,

Manitowaning, Ont.

Oct. 30th 1925.

Terms

Shipped Via

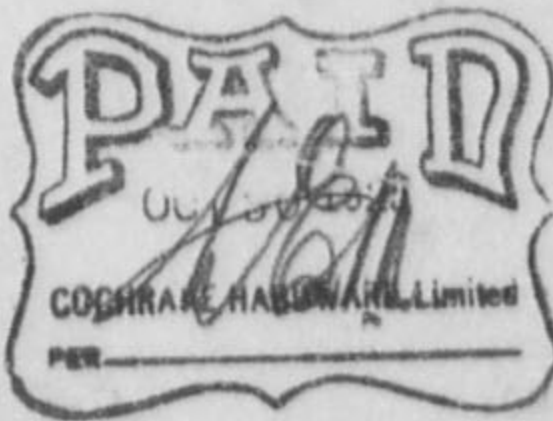
Interest at 8% per annum on overdue accounts

2 only Glass size 14 x 28
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19-8-5

284-38.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
November 6th, 1925.

Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 19-8-5 of September the 17th, last, I have the honour to enclose herewith in favour of the undermentioned persons the following accounts for labour performed and payment made for articles in connection with repairs to the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School, viz:-

Michael Napouse for labour performed	\$6.50
James Shawabwonoquet " "	2.40
R.J. Lewis payment for material	3.15

The closets have been cleaned, the school building rebanked with earth, fuel piled in the shed, the windows and doors repaired and now the building is in good condition for the incoming winter.

I might say that when I visited the school on the 30th ultimo, I found that three window glass had to be replaced and the doors were open and had to be restripped with frost king felt which I purchased at Copper Cliff and had the Indians put on.

Your obedient servant,

R. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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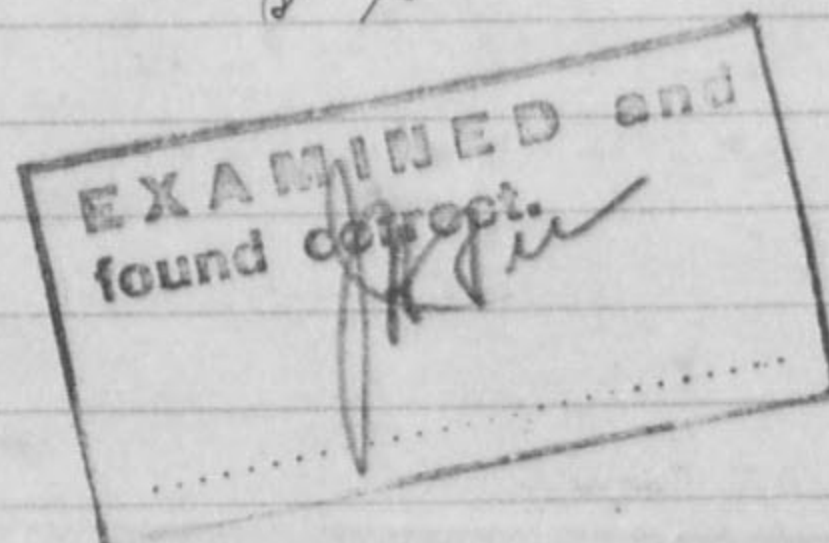
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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To *Miss Angela Tenor*

DATE		AMOUNT	
1926			
January	9	Authorized by Dept. letter No. <i>19-1-5</i> dated <i>November 26th, 1925.</i> Payments made The T. Eaton Company, Toronto, Ont. for;	
		I Sleigh .55 I Drum .35	1.90
		I Dozen Wind Machine	1.25
		I Monkey .35 I Set Dolls .95	1.10
		I Mouth Organ .25 I Blackboard .50	.75
		Mixed Candy 1.10 20 Page Gun .50	1.60
		Total:-	5.60



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A. J. Lewis
Agent.

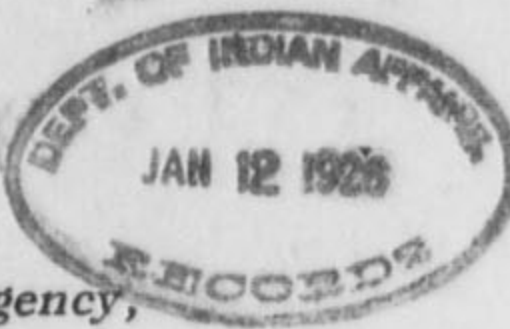
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Letter No. 1401

Office of the Manitowaning Indian Agency,



January 9th 1926

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.,

amounting to \$ 5.60 in favour

of Miss Angela Toner, Naughton, Ont.

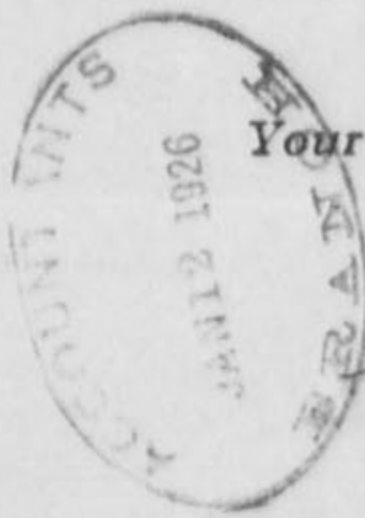
for Gifts for pupils at Whitefish Lake School

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 19-1-5 dated November 26th, 1925.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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19-5-6

Supp

Extract from Report of Inspector Bennett on the
Whitefish Lake Day School - dated May 3, 1926 -

Original on file 19-5-6

School house - classroom, Kitchen - bedroom and "Lean to"
Kitchen and Bedroom roof leaking badly.
No well, water has to be brought from the lake up a
steep hill.



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19-8-5.

Ottawa, May 6th, 1926.

Sir:

The Separate School Inspector, in a report on his recent inspection of the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School, states that the roof of the kitchen and bedroom leaks badly.

I have to request that on the occasion of your next visit to this school you will examine the roof and furnish a report as to what you would recommend be done in carrying out any repairs required. Please give an estimate of the cost of any work recommended by you. Your report should be received in time to have the work, if same is authorized, carried out during the coming summer holidays.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
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Indian Agent,
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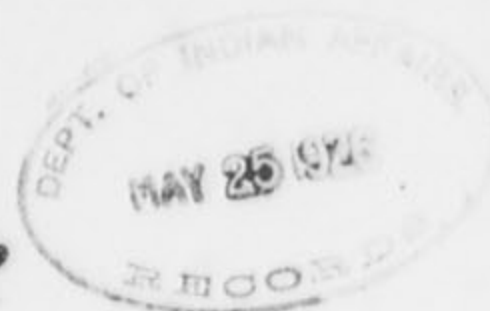
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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
May 20th, 1926.



Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 19-8-5 of the 6th, instant, relating to the report of the Separate School Inspector to the effect that the roof of the Whitefish Lake School leaks badly, and the Department requesting a report as to what should be done in the way of carrying out any repairs required, I have the honour to report that, when at Whitefish Lake Reserve making distribution of spring interest to the Indians there, I examined the roof of the school building and found that during the winter the frost had caused the roofing paper to raise in places.

I authorized the chief of the band to make the necessary repairs to the roof, and as there is ample material on hand at the school to do the work, the cost of the repairs will not exceed \$10.00.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. [Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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19-8-5.

Ottawa, May 26th, 1926.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 20th instant, reporting on the condition of the roof of the school building on the Whitefish Lake Reserve.

In this connection it is noted that you have authorized the Chief of the Band to make the necessary repairs - there being material on hand for the purpose - and that the cost will not exceed approximately \$10.

You should forward properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, in the usual manner covering the expense incurred in making these repairs.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Newtowning, Ont.

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D.M. MORIN
PRESIDENT

ED. SPANG
SEC. TREAS.

R.D. MORIN
MANAGER



THE NICKEL RANGE HOTEL

150 ROOMS 50 WITH BATH 20 SAMPLE ROOMS

HOT & COLD WATER
AND
TELEPHONE
IN
EVERY ROOM

GARAGE
AND
ELEVATOR
SERVICE

EUROPEAN
AND
AMERICAN
PLAN

SUDBURY, ONT. 19

*Needed
Immediately*

*Brown Soap { 3 cakes germicidal
3 " Lifebuoy*

Toweling 6 yds at least

Pail for teacher

3 saucers

3 soap plates

*1 Keweenaw Brown Tea pot
3 or 4 cup size*

Muck Pitcher

Mop to oil floors

*This was sent
by Bennett with his
report of Sept 7/16
P.P.*

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19-8-5.

Ottawa, September 9, 1926.

Sir:

Inspector Bennett visited the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School on the 7th instant and states that the following supplies are needed: -

✓ 1 Broom,	3 Cups & Saucers, ✓
6 bars Lifebuoy Soap,	3 Small Plates,
✓ 6 yards Towelling,	1 Teapot,
✓ 1 Pail	1 Milk Pitcher,
✓ 1 Mop to oil the floors.	

Please arrange for the immediate delivery of these supplies to the school.

In his report, Inspector Bennett also mentions the following matters, to which the Department desires you to give early attention: -

- (a) Window Blinds need repairing.
- (b) Stove pipes need enamelling and a few new stove pipes are required.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKensie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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REQUISITION FOR SCHOOL MATERIAL

For.....School on.....

Reserve in Agency

Date.....19.....

ARTICLES	NO. ON HAND	DATE OF LAST RECEIPT	NO. REQUIRED	NO. AUTHORIZED	REMARKS
Towelling	None		3 yds.		roller towelling 18" wide.
Knives & earthenware, glass, etc.					
Plants - Colours none (large)			100.		
<u>Sewing Material</u>					
5 yds brown linen - Course, a cheap grade well do.					
5 ounces coloured yarns - 100. balls - To use on linen making articles using the different stitches					
2 pkgs ordinary sewing needles.					
6 pairs scissors - Hook for cutting goods.					
1 pkg darning needles.					
2 yds white cheese cloth - To put hangings on blackboard for teacher to use in demonstrating how to make the stitches					
1 Ontario public school sewing manual.					
<u>Manual Training Material</u>					
13 pkgs - coloured cutting paper - 1 lb coffee.					
" " " folding paper. Coloured.					
12 " " " weaving paper.					

(1 flying plane)
Address to which above supplies are to be

Address to which above supplies are to be sent:

Number of Pupils on Roll.....

Name.....

do in 1st Standard.....

School.....

do in 2nd do

Post Office (nearest).....

do in 3rd do _____

Express Office (nearest).....

do in 4th do

Province.....

do in 5th do

do in 6th do

NOTE.—To avoid delay and correspondence in filling Requisitions, the teacher should give full particulars regarding each article required. The name, series, number of grade and name of author and publisher of all books required should be given as fully as possible.

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iodine, Sulphur, ~~the~~ Ointment, peroxide, + 5 cakes of Eberly Soap

Teacher

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have examined this requisition, and that the articles asked for by the teacher are necessary and are such as are in use in the Provincial schools.

Indian Supt. or Agent.

A separate form to be used for each school.

Form No. 99

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284-38.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
September 13, 1926.



Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a requisition for stationery and sewing material for the class-room, and articles for the teacher's residence, at the Whitefish Lake School.

As Miss Devine is making a effort to start a sewing class at this school I would recommend that the material be furnished by the Department.

A few drugs has been ask for which I would also recommend.

The purchase of several articles, for the use of the teacher's living quarters mentioned in this requisition, was authorized by Official Letter No. 19-8-5 of the 9th instant.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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19-8-5

Ottawa, September 17th, 1926.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 13th instant, enclosing requisition for supplies for the Whitefish Lake School, I beg to say that you may purchase:-

- 5 Yds. Linen.
- 5 Oz. Yarn.
- 2 Pkgs. Sewing Needles.
- 1 Pkg. Darning Needles.
- 2 Yds. Cheesecloth.

You may also purchase 1 frying pan and a small quantity of iodine, sulphur, ointment and peroxide. A number of the other articles on the requisition were authorized by official letter of the 9th instant.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Indian Education.

R.J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Whitfish Lake School.
No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To R. J. Lewis.....

DATE		AMOUNT
1926		
September 18	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 12-8-5 dated September 9th, 1926.	
" 15	To paid Cochrane Hardware Limited for,-	
	1 Tea Pot 50	
	3 Cups & Saucers 40	
	1 Sauce Pan 60	
	1 Water Pail 1.20	
	1 Cedar Mor 2.00	
	1 Broom .85	
	1 Stove Pipe Enamel .30	\$5.85
" 15	" " Hennessy & Racicot for,-	
	3 yards of towelling @ .38	\$1.14
		\$6.99

4837
sent 24/9/26
EXAMINED and
found correct.
R. J. Lewis

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent.

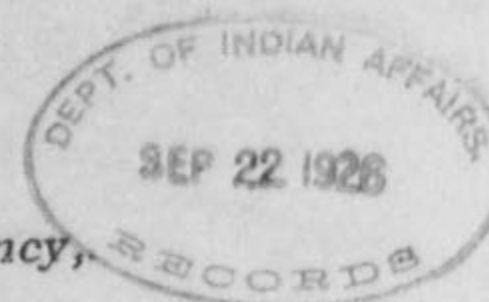
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19-8-5

Letter No. 284-39.



Office of the Manitowaning Indian Agency,

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September 18th 1926

BR

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....,

amounting to \$ 8.99 in favour

of R. J. Lewis

for supplies purchased for Whitefish Lake School

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 19-8-5 dated September 9th, 1926.

Your obedient servant,

Pay
pro

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Whitefish Lake School
Manitowaning Agency

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Whitefish Lake School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To R. J. Lewis.

DATE		AMOUNT	
1926			
November	4	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-2-5 dated September 17, & Oct. 21, 1926.	
October	30	To paid Irving's Pharmacy for,-	
		1 Iodine	.25
		1 Ointment	.25
		1 Peroxide	.40
			.90 ✓
		" " A. Silverman for,-	
		3 yds Linen Toweling	.08
		3 " Cheesecloth	.08
			.16
		" " Contois for,-	
		3 yds Linen	.58
		5 Oz. Wool	1.15
		3 packages Needles	.05
			1.74
		" " Quality Meat & Grocery Co,	
		5 bars Lifebuoy Soap	.50
		" " Cochrane Dunlop Hardware for,-	
		2 Doz. Screw Nails	.12
		3 Plates	.20
		1 Milk Pitcher	.65
		1 Tin Dustbane	.30
			1.70 ✓
		TOTAL:-	\$6.95 ✓

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ex. 10/11/26
EXAMINED and
found correct.
Amstrong

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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Letter No.

19-8-5



Office of the.....Manitowaning.....Indian Agency,

apd

November 4th, 1926, 192...

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....,

amounting to \$ 6.93in favour

of R. J. Lewis

for payments made for articles to Whitefish Lake School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 19-8-5dated Sept. 17 and Oct. 21, 1926.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



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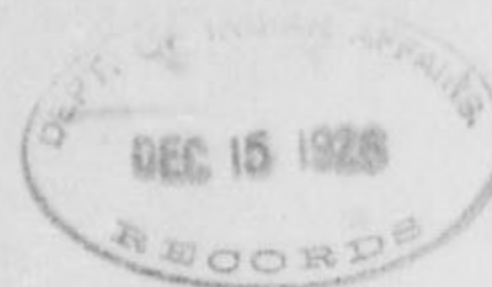
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19-8-5

284-39.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
December 13, 1926.



[Handwritten signature]
Sir:-

I have the honour to report that Miss M.M.Devine, teacher in the Whitefish Lake School, would like to have a Christmas entertainment for the pupils and has asked for some assistance in the way of purchasing a few gifts for the children.

In order to encourage the pupils I would most respectfully recommend that the amount of \$6.00 be allowed Miss Devine for this purpose.

Your obedient servant,



[Handwritten signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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19-8-5.

284-39.

Ottawa, December 16, 1926.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 13th instant, requesting authority to expend the sum of \$6 in the purchase of gifts for the pupils of the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School, to be given them at Christmas.

In reply I beg to say that you may incur an expenditure not exceeding the amount mentioned in providing a treat for the pupils.

You should forward properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, covering the expenditure incurred.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

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R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Whitefish Lake School.

No. of Account *82*

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To M. M. Devine.

DATE	AMOUNT
1927	
January II	Authorized by Dept. letter No. <u>19-8-5</u> dated <u>December 16th, 1936.</u>
	<u>Gifts to pupils at Whitefish Lake School.</u>
	To paid T. Eaton & Co., Toronto, for:-
	5 pounds candy \$1.49
	8 picture books .60
	Toys 3.87
	TOTAL:- \$5.96

8111/1/27
sent 5/1/27
to Agt.

EXAMINED and
found correct.
[Signature]

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[Signature]
Agent.

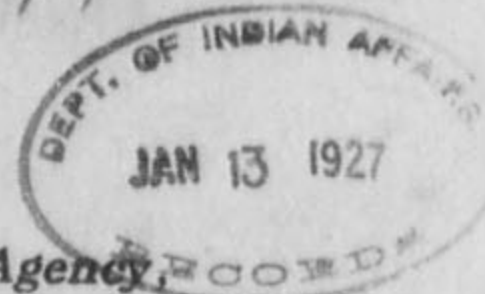
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Letter No. 284-39...

Office of the... Manitowaning ... Indian Agency,



January 11th, 1927 192...

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.

amounting to \$ 5.96 ... in favour

of Miss M. M. Devine, Naughton, Ont.

for candy, books and a quantity of toys given
as gifts to pupils at Whitefish Lake School

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 19-8-5 dated December 16th, 1926.

Your obedient servant,

R. Hewes
Indian Agent.

Pay

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



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Manitowaning Agency.
Whitefish Lake School.

No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Michael Napouse.....

Whitefish Lake Reserve,

Naughton, Ont. AMOUNT

DATE

1937
January 15

Authorized by Dept. letter No. 12-2-5 dated May 26th, 1926.

Whitefish Lake Reserve,
Naughton, Ont., Jan'y 11/27.

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

In account with Michael Napouse for 31 hours
work repairs to school roof, cleaning school yard, piling
wood in shed, and putting on storm windows at 30 cents
per hour \$9.30.

EXAMINED and
found correct.

8232/1/27
ent. 29/1/27

\$9.30

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

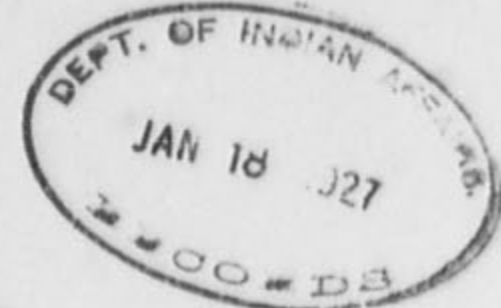
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Agent.

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284-39. *Order* Indian Office, Manitowaning,
January 15th, 1927.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in favour of Chief Michael Napouse amounting to \$9.30 for labour performed in connection with repairs to the roof, piling wood in the shed, cleaning yard and putting on storm windows, at the Whitefish Lake Indian School.

The repairs to the roof were carried out by authority of Departmental Letter No. 19-8-5 of May 26th, last, and as it was necessary to have the yard cleaned, wood piled in the shed and the storm windows put on before the winter set in I therefore authorized this work done.

Your obedient servant,

*Pay
JHR*

R. J. Hewes
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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Manitowaning Agency.
Whiterfish Lake School.

No. of Account..... *82*

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J. C. Irving & Co.

DATE		AMOUNT
1927	19-8-4	January 5th, 1927.
March	26	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....

A. IRVING,
PROPRIETOR

MANITOWANING, ONT., March 25/27 1927
MANITOULIN ISLAND

M. Dept. of Indian Affairs, for Whiterfish Lake School

BOUGHT
OF

J. C. IRVING & CO.

DEALERS IN

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Gents' Furnishings
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE, ETC., ETC.

ACCOUNTS DUE WHEN RENDERED
5% INTEREST CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

Jan.	21	To	1 Set Smoothing Irons	2	75
		"	1/2 Doz. Table knives		35
		"	" " " Forks		20
		"	" " " Tea spoons		85
		"	" " " Dessert "	1	80
		"	" " " Table "		30
		"	" " " Steve polish		15
		"	" " " Brush		30
				6	70
		"	Freight & Express prepaid	1	00
				7	70

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

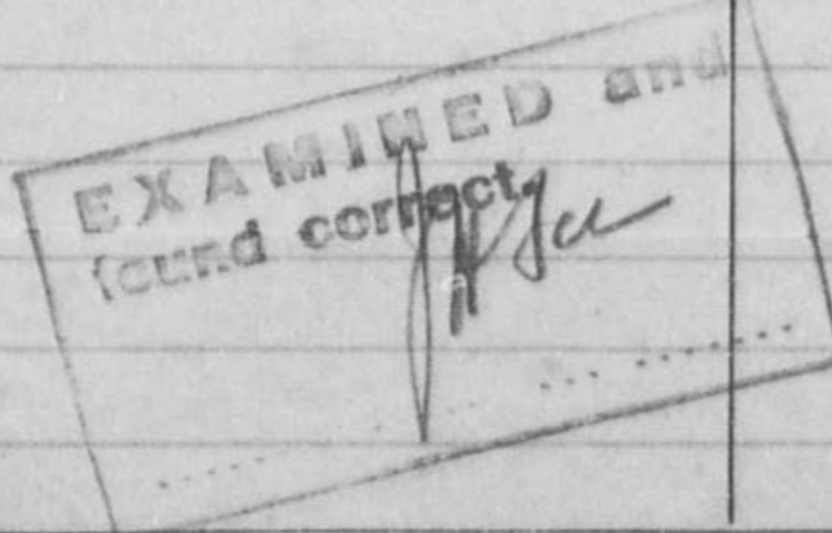
R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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1	"	Tea Spoons	3.40	.85
1	"	Dessert Spoons	7.20	1.80
1	"	Table Spoons	1.30	.30
1		Box Stove Polish		.15
1		Stove Brush		.30
Freight & Express prepaid from Manitowaning to Naughton				1.00
TOTAL:-				\$7.70



206
sent 4/27.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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Letter No. 284-39

Office of the Manitowaning Indian Agency,

March 26th, 1927. 192...

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....

amounting to \$ 7.70 in favour

of J. C. Irving & Co

for supplies shipped to Whitefish Lake School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 19-8-4 dated January 5th, 1927.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Hewson
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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19-8-5



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EXTRACT FROM MONTHLY REPORT OF INDIAN AGENT LEWIS,
dated April 29th, 1927, on the Whitefish Lake
Indian Day School.



"In order to give the pupils some knowledge of gardening, I would recommend that the teacher be furnished with a few garden tools such as a sprinkling can, 2 hoes, 2 rakes and 2 spades, also a few garden seeds. It would be well spent money considering the knowledge the pupils would receive from this work.

"The teacher is in need of 1 can of dustbane, 2 boxes of gold dust and 2 cakes of Bon Ami for use in the classroom. Stationery asked for on requisition dated March 31st, last, did not arrive and the teacher is in need of pencils."

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19-8-5.

Ottawa, May 6th, 1927.

Sir:

Referring to that portion of your report for the month of April, last, on your inspection of the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School, regarding the gardening tools and cleaning materials required, I beg to say that you may arrange for the purchase and delivery of the following:

- 2 Hoes,
- 2 Rakes,
- 2 Spades,
- 1 Sprinkling Can,
- 1 Can Dustbane,
- 2 Boxes Gold Dust,
- 2 Cakes Bon Ami.

You may also purchase and supply a small quantity of garden seeds. You should consult the teacher as to what is required before making the purchase.

After all the above supplies have been delivered, you should forward properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, covering the expenditure incurred.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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Manitowaning Agency
Whitefish Lake School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Cochrane Dunlop Hardware, Limited,
Copper Cliff, Ont.

DATE	AMOUNT
1927	
May 26	

Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-2-5 dated May 6th, 1927.
Supplies for Whitefish Lake School

SUDBURY SAULT STE. MARIE PEMBROKE NORTH BAY COPPER CLIFF
COCHRANE DUNLOP HARDWARE LIMITED
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
GENERAL HARDWARE No.

YOUR No.

Sold to M r. R. J. Lewis,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

Copper Cliff, Ont.,
May 16, 1927.

Terms

Shipped Via

Express to Miss Margaret Devine,
Naughton, Ont.

2	only #8 Garden Hoes	1.10 Ea.	2.20
2	" Garden Rakes	1.20 Ea.	2.40
2	" " Spades	1.60 "	3.20
1	" Japanned Sprinkler	.80 "	.80
1	Tin Dustbane	.30 Ea.	.30
2	Cakes Bon Ami	.15 "	.30
2	Boxes Gold Dust	.35 Box	.70
Express Charges			9.90
			1.00
			10.90

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

FORM No. 100

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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COCHBANE DISTRICT - INDIAN AFFAIRS
 RECEIVED FROM THE
 INDIAN AFFAIRS
 DEPARTMENT
 1989 3/5/27

"	"	" 2 Garden Rakes	1.20 "	2.40
"	"	" 2 " Spades	1.60 "	3.20
"	"	" 1 Japanned Sprinkler	.80 "	.80
"	"	" Tin Dustbans	.30 "	.30
"	"	" 2 Cakes BonAmi	.15 "	.30
"	"	" 2 Boxes Gold Dust	.35 Box	.70
"	"	Express prepaid from Copper Cliff to Naughton		1.00
Total;-				<u>\$10.90</u>

1989 3/5/27
 EXAMINED and
 found correct.
[Signature]

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

FORM No. 100

[Signature: R. J. Lewis]
 Agent.

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Letter No. 254-39.

Office of the Manitowaning Indian Agency,

May 26th, 1927.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.

amounting to \$ 10.90 in favour

of The Cochrane Dunlop Hardware, Ltd., Copper Cliff, Ont..

for Garden tools and cleaning materials furnished for
Whitefish Lake Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 19-5-5 dated May 6th, 1927.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Hewitt
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Manitowaning Agency
Whitefish Lake School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Mrs. R. Jalbert, Naughton, Ont.....

DATE	AMOUNT
1927	
June 16	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-8-4 dated March 9th, 1927. " " " " No. 19-8-5 " May 6th, 1927.
PLEASE KEEP THIS BILL FOR REFERENCE Date, May 2, 1927 M. Mrs. R. Jalbert Address Naughton Bought of Mrs. R. Jalbert 1 box dust 35 2 box gold dust 20 1 broom 50 1 coal oil 55 \$2.60 21	

2579/27
sent 2/6/27

EXAMINED and
found correct
R. J. Hewis

\$ 2.60

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Agent.

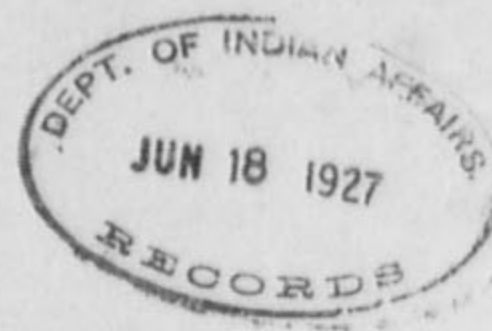
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Letter No. 214-71,



Office of the.....Manitowaning.....Indian Agency,

June 16th, 1927.

Sir,

R

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....,

amounting to \$.....2.60.....in favour

of Mrs. R. Jalbert, Naughton, Ont.....

for Supplies furnished for use at Whitefish Lake
Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 19-8-4.....dated March 9th, 1927.....
" " 19-8-5 " May 6th, 1927.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Whitefish Lake School.

No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Cochrane Hardware Limited.....
Sudbury, Ont.

DATE	AMOUNT
1937 June 14	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-8-4 dated March 9th, 1937.

SUDBURY

SAULT STE. MARIE

NORTH BAY

COPPER CLIFF

Cochrane Hardware, Limited

No. 5390

ORDER No. 6277

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
GENERAL HARDWARE

YOUR No.

Sold to Mr. R. J. Lewis,

Sudbury, Ont. May 9/27

Manitowaning, Ont.

Terms

Shipped Via Exp. Ppd. Naughton

Interest at 8% per annum on overdue accounts

1	Only	#214 Convex Kettle		3.00	
1	"	#600 St. Sauce Pan		1.40	
1	"	#108 Cereal Cooker		1.75	
1	"	#14 Dish Pan		1.25	
1	"	#0 Mop Wringer		6.25	
1	"	Wooden Pail		.45	
1	"	1 Gal O' Cedar Oil		2.50	
2	Yds	Oilcloth	1.25 yd	2.50	
1	Cake	Bon Ami		.15	
		Express		.90	
					20.15

B.

\$20.15

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Agent.

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284-39.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
June 14th, 1927.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in favour of the Cochrane Dunlop Hardware Company, of Sudbury, amounting to \$20.15 for a kettle, sauce pan, cereal cooker, dish pan, mop wringer, pail, O'cedar oil, oilcloth and bon ami furnished to the teacher at Whitefish Lake School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter No. 19-8-4 of March 9th, 1927.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Hewes
Indian Agent.

Pay
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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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Whitefish Lake School

No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Mrs. R. Jalbert, Naughton, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT
1927		
June	23	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-8-5 dated May 6th, 1927.
		.80

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

FORM No. 109

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

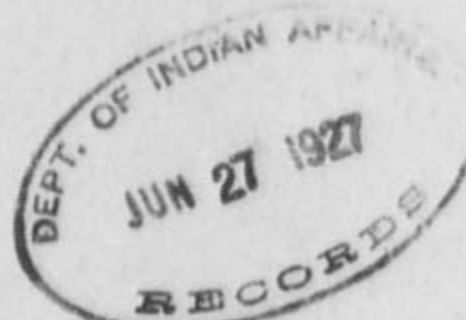
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Letter No. 284-39.



Office of the Manitowaning Indian Agency,

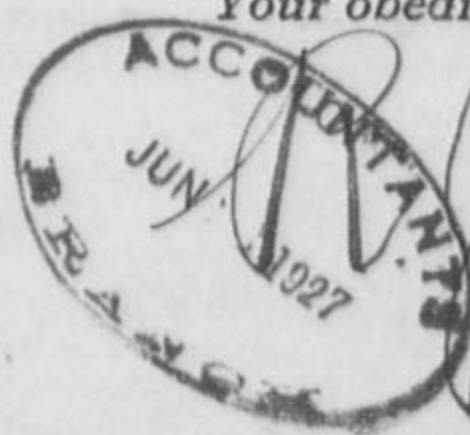
June 23rd, 1927.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.
amounting to \$...50.....in favour
of Mrs. R. Jalbert, Naughton, Ont.....
for Garden Seeds furnished for Whitefish Lake
Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
Letter No. 19-8-5 dated May 6th, 1927.

Your obedient servant,



Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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284-40.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
July 18th, 1927.

Sir:-

I have the honour to report that the classroom of the Whitefish Lake School should be furnished with a bookcase, or cupboard, for the purpose of storing books and stationery. At the present time there is not any place to store books &c only piled on a box in the corner of the classroom.

The door of the classroom should be equipped with a Yale Night Latch, or some reliable lock, as the one in use at the present time can be unlocked with any ordinary key.

I would most respectfully recommend that I be given authority to have a bookcase installed and the door equipped with a suitable lock.

Your obedient servant,

R. H. Hews
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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284-40.

Ottawa, July 21, 1927.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 18th instant, requesting that a bookcase or cupboard be supplied for the purpose of storing books, etc., also that a Yale lock be installed on the door of the classroom at the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School.

In reply I have to say that you may arrange to have a suitable cupboard provided. You may either have this built by a local carpenter or obtain prices for the supplying of the same. If you can have one built at less cost than it could be purchased for through a dealer, it is considered that this would be the best plan. However, this matter will be left in your hands to have a cupboard supplied as inexpensively as possible. You may purchase and have a Yale lock installed on the classroom door. Please forward properly certified vouchers, in the usual manner, covering the expenditure incurred in the supplying of the cupboard and the lock.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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284-40.

[Handwritten signature]

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
August 4th, 1927.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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RECORDS

SCHOOLS BRANCH
AUG 9 1927

Sir:-

I have the honour to report that on paying a visit to the Whitefish Lake Indian Reserve making Robinson Treaty Annuity distribution to the Indians at that point, I found the school building in bad condition on account of the foundation giving away. The building will have to be raised and new timber put in to prevent the floor from settling in the teacher's living quarters. I consider that the cost of having the necessary repairs carried out will be approximately \$100 and would recommend that the repairs be made at once.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature: R. J. Hewes]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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19-8-5

Ottawa, August 9th, 1927.

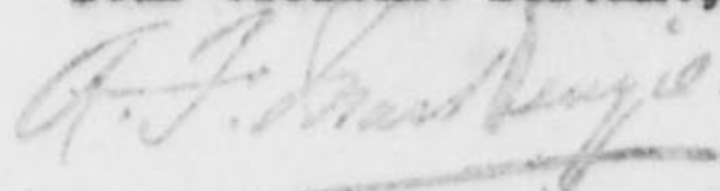
Sir,-

I have your letter of the 4th instant, relative to the condition of the foundation of the school building on the Whitefish Lake Indian Reserve and stating that it is necessary that this building be raised and new timber put in to prevent the floor from settling in the teacher's living quarters. In reply I beg to say that, in view of your report, you may arrange to have the repairs required to the foundation carried out.

I note that you estimate the cost of the work to be approximately \$100 and, if possible, this amount should not be exceeded. You should purchase any materials required and engage the necessary labour. It at all possible, the work should be finished before the school re-opens after the present summer holidays.

Please forward properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, covering the cost of the material and labour required in the repairs carried out to the foundation of this building.

Your obedient servant,



A. F. MacKenzie.
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.



R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Whitefish Lake School

No. of Account.....*82*✓

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To.....Cochrane Dunlop Hardware Limited,
Copper Cliff, Ont.

DATE	AMOUNT
1927 September 3	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-8-5 dated August 9th, 1927.

SUBSURY

SAULT STEPHEN COCHRANE DUNLOP HARDWARE LIMITED COPPER CLIFF

Cochrane Hardware, Limited NO.

ORDER No.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

YOUR No.

GENERAL HARDWARE

Sold to M R. J. Lewis,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

Copper Cliff, Ont.,
Aug. 11, 1927.

Terms

Shipped Via **FREIGHT PREPAID** Interest at 8% per annum on overdue accounts

2	Rolls	Heavy Tar Felt	110 Lbs.	@ .06 Lb.	6.60	
5	Lbs.	5" Wire Nails		.06 Lb.	.30	
10	Lbs.	3" " "		.06 Lb.	.60	
		Freight charges			.50	
					8.00	8.00

The above goods were shipped to
Chief Michael Napouse, Naughton, Ont.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

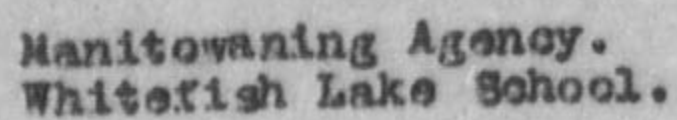
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R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To..... Walter Canfield.....
Whitefish Lake Reserve,
Naughton, Ont.

DATE		Naughton, Ont.	AMOUNT
1927 Sept	3	Authorized by Dept. letter No. <u>I9-8-5</u> dated <u>August 9th,</u> 1927. To 107 Hours labour taking out timber, and repairs to Wgitefish Lake School building at 30 cents per hour ...	\$32.10 ✓
		EXAMINED and found correct. <i>[Signature]</i>	4688

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

FORM No. 109

R. J. Hewes
Agent.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Whitefish Lake School.

No. of Account *82*

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To *R. J. Lewis*

DATE		AMOUNT
1927 September 3	Authorized by Dept. letter No. <i>19-8-5</i> dated <i>July 21st 1927.</i>	
July 29	To paid Cochrane Dunlop Hardware, of Sudbury, for 1 Yale Lock for Door at Whitefish Lake School	\$2.25
	" " 1 pair Door Knobs	.65
		\$2.90



H687

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

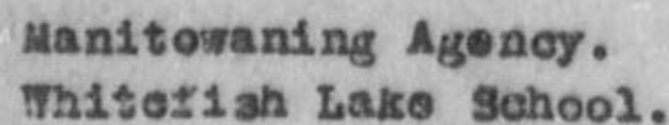
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No. of Account.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To James Mawabwonoqut

~~Whiteridge Lake Reserve,~~
Naughton, Ont.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

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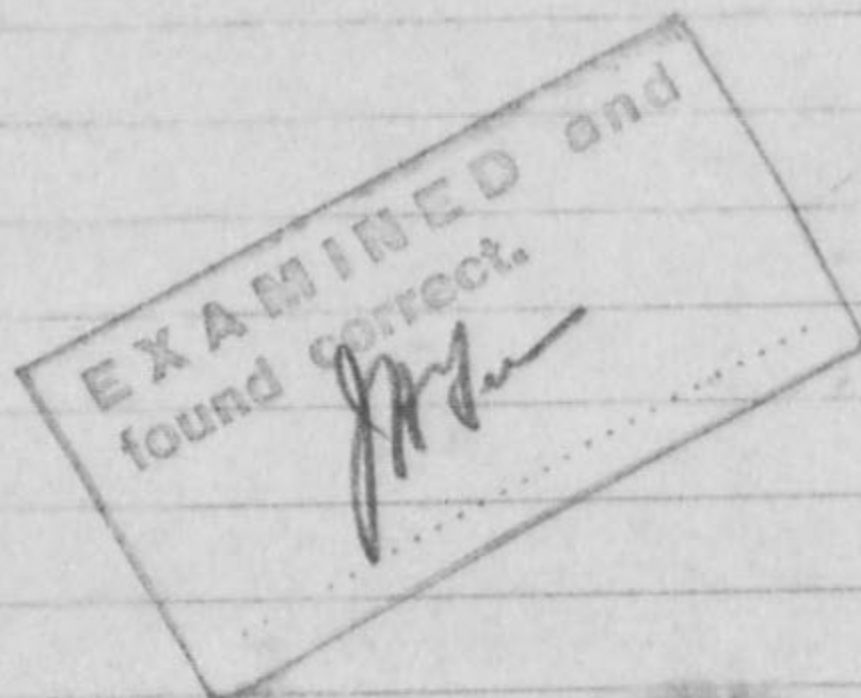
No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Messrs. Ludgate & Thompson.....
Naughton, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT	
1927		Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-8-5 dated August 9th 1927.	
September 3		Material Supplies to Chief Napouse for Whitefish Lake School.	
August	10	To 300 ft 1 x 6 M.R. Hemlock @ \$25.00 M \$7.50 ✓	
		2 Timbers 6x8x24 Spruce \$30.00 M 5.76 ✓	
		2 " 6x8x32 do \$30.00 M 7.68 ✓	
		10 # 5" Spikes .72¢ .75 ✓	
		4 % Sales tax on timber .84 \$22.53 ✓	
"	12	5 Timbers 2x8x14 Hemlock @ \$25.00 M 3.32 ✓	
		2 " 2x6x14 do 25.00 M .70 ✓	
		1 Bale 32" Hemlock Lath .15 ✓	
		4 Timbers 2x6x12 Hemlock 25.00 1.20 ✓	
		4 " 2x6x16 do 25.00 1.60 ✓	
		TOTAL:-	\$38.50 ✓



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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

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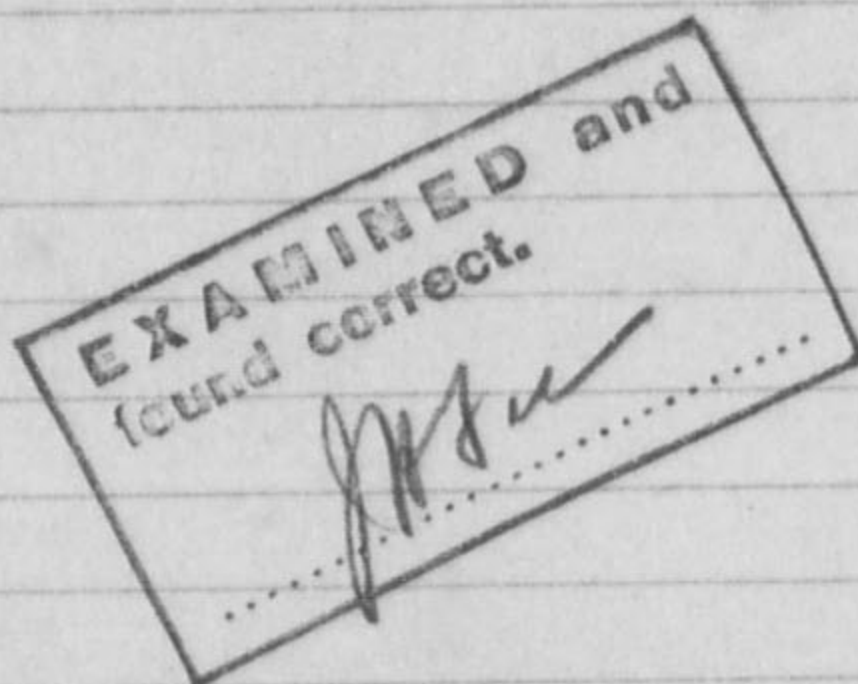
INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Michael Napouas
Whitefish Lake Reserve,
Naughton, Ont.

DATE	AMOUNT
1927 September 3	
Authorized by Dept. letter No. <u>19-8-5</u> dated <u>August 9th, 1927.</u>	
To 107 hours labour taking out timber, and repairs to Whitefish Lake School building at 40 cents per hour	42.80 ✓
" Use of Horse hauling timber & lumber, and trip to Naughton for material to repair roof	8.00 ✓
TOTAL:-	\$50.80 ✓

4685



I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Hendon
Agent.

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19-8-5

284-40.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
September 3rd, 1927.



Sir:-

Authorized by Departmental Letters No. 12-8-5 of July 21st and August 9th, last, I have the honour to enclose herewith vouchers in favour of the undermentioned persons for material supplied and labour performed in connection with repairs carried out on the Whitefish Lake Indian School building, namely, viz:-

R.J. Lewis for Lock and Knobs for door	2.90 - 4687
Ludgate & Thompson for timber & lumber	28.50 - 4686
Cochrane Dunlop Hardware for Hardware	8.00 - 4687
James Shawabwonoquet for labour	21.60 - 4688
Walter Canfield for labour	32.10 - 4688
Michael Napouse for labour	50.80 - 4685

TOTAL:- \$143.90

The cost of the repairs to this building surpassed my estimate of \$100, but the whole building has been thoroughly repaired. All new timbers has been installed under the ground floor, the roof repaired and painted, the porch overhauled and the stovepipes cleaned and put up in good condition, and the building banked with earth for the winter.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF MR. INSPECTOR BENNETT,
dated October 1st, 1927, on his inspection
of the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School.



Original on File 19-8-6.

"These children have always had sewing lessons.
I inspected some work they were doing now with the remains
of last year's material and it is good. Please send the
following:-

- 12 balls of pink & blue crochet cotton
- 6 crochet needles
- 12 spools of #36 white thread
- 1 package of assorted needles
- 6 pair of knitting needles
- 2 lbs. of Scotch fingering yarn, black
- 5 yds. of cotton as per enclosed sample
- 10 yds. of blue & white gingham

"A cupboard for supplies is needed."

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19-8-5.

Ottawa, October 8, 1927.

Sir:

The Separate School Inspector, in a report on his recent inspection of the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School, recommends that material for the teaching of sewing to the pupils should be supplied. I have, therefore, to request that you will arrange for the purchase and delivery to the teacher at an early date of the following:

- 12 Balls Pink and Blue Crochet Cotton,
- 6 Crochet Needles,
- 12 Spools of #36 White Thread,
- 1 Package Assorted Needles,
- 2 Lbs. Scotch Fingering Yarn, Black,
- 5 Yds. Cotton (as per enclosed sample),
- 10 Yds. Blue and White Gingham.

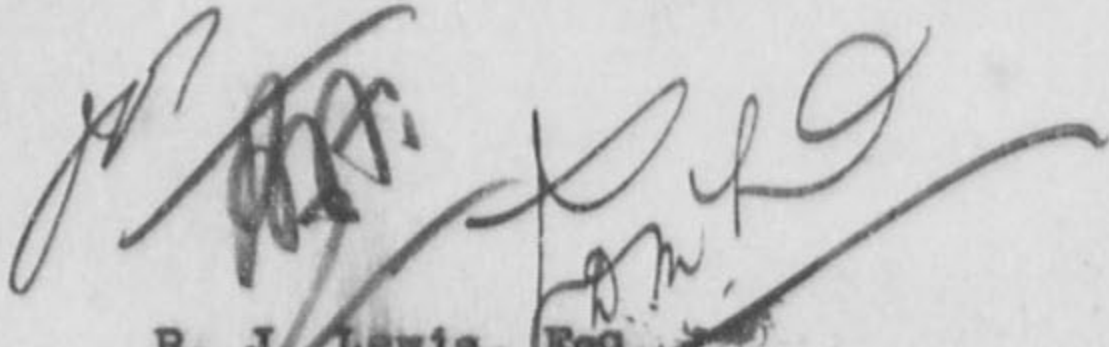
Please forward properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, covering the expenditure incurred.

The Inspector further recommends that a cupboard for the storing of supplies be provided. Please state whether you could arrange to have a cupboard of an inexpensive type that would be satisfactory for the storing of supplies built locally, and inform the Department as to the approximate cost of having this work done.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.


R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Whitefish Lake School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To *H. W. McLaughlin*

DATE	AMOUNT
1937 October 13	Authorized by Dept. letter No. <i>19-8-4</i> dated <i>October 10, 1927.</i>

MANITOWANING, ONT. *Oct 13th 1927*

M^r

IN ACCOUNT
WITH

H. W. McLaughlin
H. W. McLAUGHLIN

GENERAL MERCHANT

Accounts due when rendered

8% Interest Charged on Overdue Accounts

For Whitefish Lake School

<i>To</i>	<i>Paintment 2 1/2</i>	<i>Iodine 35</i>	<i>2 25-</i>
<i>✓</i>	<i>Chorople 35</i>	<i>6 Life Bump 35</i>	<i>75-</i>
<i>✓</i>	<i>546 2 more</i>	<i>Trailing @ 30c</i>	<i>1 50-</i>
<i>✓</i>	<i>Postage & Insurance</i>		<i>35-</i>
	<i>Inter</i>		<i>4.85-</i>

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5963
ent 18/10/27

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Hewes
Agent.

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19-8-5

284-40.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
October 13, 1927.



Sir:-

Authorized by Departmental Letter No. I9-8-4 of the 10th instant, I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in favour of H.W. McLaughlin, Manitowaning, amounting to \$4.85 for peroxide, iodine, ointment, soap and towelling sent by parcel post to the teacher at Whitefish Lake Indian School.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Hewes
Indian Agent.

*Rm
12/17*

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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Manitewaning Agency
Whitefish Lake School

No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To...H. W. McLaughlin, Manitewaning, Ont..

DATE	AMOUNT
1927 November 4	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-5-5 dated October 5th, 1927.

MANITOWANING, ONT.

1927

M.N.

R. J. Lewis

Manitowaning

IN ACCOUNT
WITH

H. W. McLAUGHLIN

GENERAL MERCHANT

Accounts due when rendered

S. B. Beare, Limited, Toronto 41092

8% Interest Charged on Overdue Accounts

for Mrs. Manitowaning Leech Whitefish Reserve

2 # Scotch Singing yarn @ 1.50	3 00
10 yds Sing yarn @ 30	3 00
5 yds Cotton @ 25	1 25
1 pk Nudls @ 10	1 00
12 Spools Rock room to Spool @ 10	1 20
6 Spools Cotton 6 Spools - 2 for 25	2 50
6 Spools Nudls @ 10	6 00
Postage 7 Inverness per	43
10.33 Total	10 33

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent.

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RECORDS

L. No. 284-40,

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Office of the.....Manitowaning.....Indian Agency,

November 8th, 1927.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....,
amounting to \$ 10.33.....in favour
of H. W. McLaughlin, Manitowaning, Ont.,
for Supplies furnished for use at Whitefish Lake School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
Letter No. 19-8-5 dated October 8th, 1927.

Your obedient servant,

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R. J. Lewis.
Indian Agent.

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NOV 8 1927

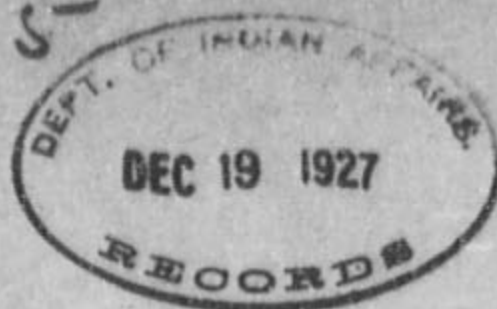
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Ottawa.

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Immediate
[Signature]

Whitefish Lake School,
Haughton, Ont.
Dec. 16, 1927.

Secretary Department
Of Indian Affairs
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sirs:

Please send the sum
of eight dollars to the
Whitefish Lake School,
Haughton for the School
children's Christmas presents.

Yours sincerely
Agnes Manitowabi (Teacher)



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19-8-5.

Ottawa, December 19, 1927.

Madam:

Replying to your letter of the 16th instant, I beg to say that you may incur an expenditure not exceeding the sum of \$6 in the purchase of gifts for the pupils of the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School for Christmas. Owing to the many demands, this is the full amount that we can provide for the pupils of your school.

You should obtain an itemized account, in duplicate, from the merchant from whom you make the purchase, which should not exceed the above authorized amount, and this account you should hand to Mr. Agent Lewis, who is being informed of the authority granted you, and requested to certify the account and send it to the department, when the merchant from whom you obtain the goods will be paid.

In future, please forward all requests for supplies and other correspondence through the office of your local Indian Agent.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J.B.
MM
Miss Agnes Manitowabi,
Teacher, Whitefish Lake Indian Day School,
Naughton, Ont.

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19-8-5.

Ottawa, December 19, 1927.

Sir:

I enclose herewith copy of a communication addressed to Miss Agnes Manitowabi, teacher of the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School, authorizing her to incur an expenditure not exceeding \$6 in the purchase of gifts for the pupils at Christmas. When you receive the account, please certify same in the usual manner and send it to the Department in order that payment can be made.

Your obedient servant,
A. F. MacKenzie

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

ENC.

J.P.
12/20/27
adm
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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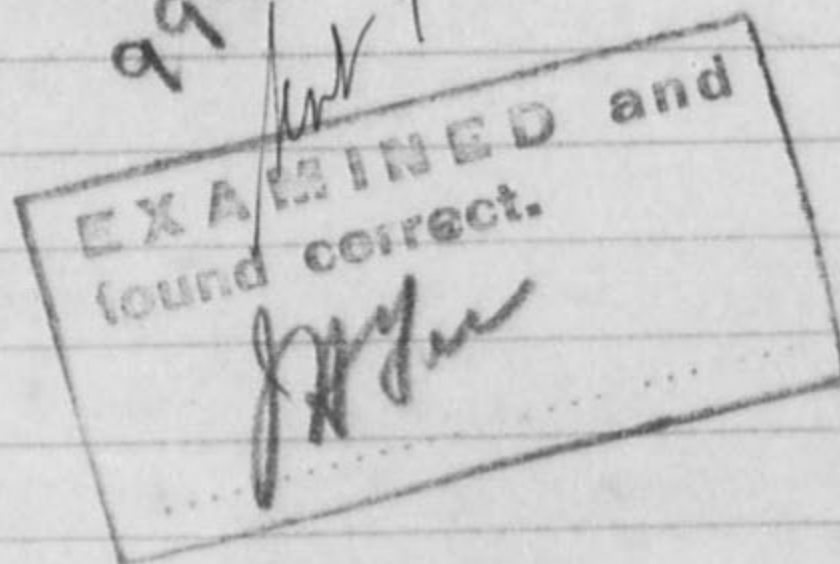
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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To.....*R.J. Lewis*.....

DATE		AMOUNT
1928 March 6	Authorized by Dept. letter No. <i>10-3-5</i> dated <i>July 31st, 1927</i> .	
1927 December 27	To paid Neil McMartin, Manitowaning, for 1 Cupboard	\$23.00
" "	" " C.J. Morrow for freight from Manitowaning to Naughton	2.00
1928 February 29	" " Michel Napouse for cartage from Naughton to Whitefish Lake School	2.00
	TOTAL:-	\$27.00



I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

FORM No. 100

R.J. Lewis
Agent.

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19-8-5



I055-6.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
March 6th, 1928.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in my favour amounting to \$27.00 for payments made for having a book case installed in the class room of the Whitefish Lake Indian School.

As I could not procure a suitable one from any of the dealers at a moderate price, therefore, I was forced to have Mr. McMartin build one of suitable type and ship it to the school via Naughton. On account of the school being in a remote district the freight charges were high, a team had to make a special trip to Naughton after this case.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter No. 19-8-8 of July the 21st, 1927.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

Pay
[Signature]

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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Revised
19-8-5

Extract from Report of Mr. Agent R. J. Lewis,
Manitowaning, for the month of February, 1928, on
the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School.

Original on #19-8-7.

The classroom requires 2 brooms and 1 water pail,
and the teacher's residence 2 yards of table oil-
cloth and 1 water pail.

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Ottawa, March 12th, 1928.

Sir,-

Relative to that portion of your report for the month of February last on the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School, I beg to say that you may arrange for the purchase and delivery of the following:-

2 brooms	}	for the use of
and		
1 water pail	}	the classroom.
2 yds. of table oilcloth	}	for the
and		
1 water pail	}	teacher's
		residence.

Please forward accounts in duplicate, properly certified, covering the cost.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Whitefish Lake Day School

No. of Account *Feb*

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Mrs. R. Jalbert, Naughton, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT
1925		
April 30	Authorized by Dept. letter No. <u>19-5-5</u> dated <u>March 12th, 1925.</u>	
<i>ins. Agnes Manitowabe</i> <i>Whitefish Lake</i> <i>Mrs. R. Jalbert</i> <i>" 13, 2 Broom 1.30</i> <i>" 2 Water Pail 1.35</i> <i>" 2 yards fabric 1.10</i> <i>clothing, etc. 1.00</i> <i>x Agnes Manitowabe</i>		
		\$ 3.75

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. G. Lewis
Agent.

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Letter No. 264-10,

Office of the.....Manitowaning.....Indian Agency,

April 30th, 1928.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....,

amounting to \$3.75.....in favour

of Mrs. R. Jalbert, Naughton, Ont.....

for Supplies furnished for use at Whitefish Lake
Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 19-8-5.....dated March 12th, 1928.....

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Whitefish Lake School

No. of Account.....

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To R. J. Lewis

DATE		AMOUNT
1928		
October 29th	Authorized by Dept. letter No. <u>19-8-4</u> dated <u>October 9th, 1928.</u>	
	To paid supplies to Whitefish Lake School, Cochrane Dunlop	
October 23	Hardware, Limited, Sudbury, Ont.	
	" 6 Only Delft Dinner Plates	1.55 ✓
	6 " " Cups	.60 ✓
	6 " " Saucers	.30 ✓
	2 Tin " Bowls	.50 ✓
	1 Tin Stove Pipe Polish	.15 ✓
	2 Only W. E. Pie Plates	.60 ✓
	1 " Pearl #17 qt. Kneading Pan	2.00 ✓
	1 " #2 Fry Pan	.25 ✓
	1 " 7" Stove Pipe Damper	.25 ✓
	1 " #32 Pearl Wash Dish	.45 ✓
	2 " Palmolive Soap	.33 ✓
	4 " Laundry Soap	.16 ✓
		\$7.14 ✓
	Express paid to Naughton	.60 ✓
		\$7.74 ✓

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

EXAMINED and
found correct.

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J. W. Shore

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Letter No. 284-41

Office of the Manitowaning Indian Agency,

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFF.
OCT 31 1928

October 29th, 1928.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....,

amounting to \$ 7.44.....in favour

of R. J. Lewis, Indian Agent.....

for payment made to Cochrane Dunlop Hardware, Limited,
of Sudbury, for supplies to Whitefish Lake School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 19-8-4 dated October 9th, 1928.....

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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SCHOOLS BRANCH
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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF MR. INDIAN AGENT LEWIS,
for the month of October, 1928, on the
WHITEFISH LAKE Indian Day School.

Original on File 19-8-7.

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The school roof leaks around the chimney which
requires some minor repairs. Outside of this the
building is in fairly good condition for the winter.

A supply of firewood has been taken to the
school which should be piled in the shed.

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19-8-5.

Ottawa, November 6th, 1925.

Sir:

With reference to your report for the month of October, last, on the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School, I have to request that you will arrange to have the repairs required to the roof around the chimney carried out, in order to prevent leakage. This matter should receive your prompt attention so that the work can be completed before the extreme cold weather sets in.

You should also arrange to have the supply of firewood at the school neatly piled in the shed.

Please forward accounts, in duplicate, properly certified, covering the cost of the above authorized work.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

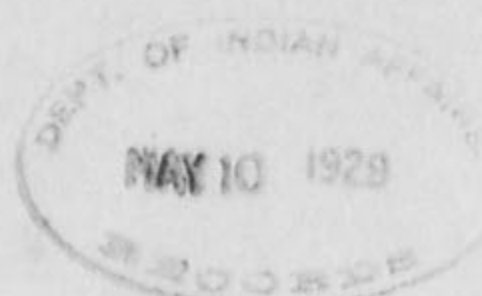
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EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF MR. INDIAN AGENT LEWIS,
FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL, 1929, ON THE WHITEFISH
LAKE INDIAN DAY SCHOOL.

Original on File 19-8-7.

The school yard requires cleaning, also the
toilets require attention.



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19-8-5.

Ottawa, May 11th, 1929.

Sir:

Relative to your report for the month of April, last, on the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School, regarding the cleaning of the school yard and toilets, I have to say that you may arrange to have both the yard and toilets cleaned and placed in good condition. No unnecessary expense should be incurred, and, after the work is completed, you should forward an account, in duplicate, covering the expenditure incurred.

Your obedient servant,

A. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency
Whitefish Lake School
No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To.....Chief Joseph Petahtegoose.....

DATE			AMOUNT
19	29	Authorized by Dept. L19-5-5 of November 6th, 1928.	
May	31	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-5-5 dated May 11th, 1929.	
		<u>Whitefish Lake Indian Day School</u>	
May	16	To 36 hours labour cleaning School-yard	
		and Toilets, at rate of 25¢ per hour.....	\$ 9.00
"	16	" 12 hours labour piling wood in School-Shed	
		at rate of 20 ¢ per hour	2.40
		Total;-	\$11.40

Manitowaning, Ont.
May 16/29.

Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

In A/c with — Chief Jos. Petahtegoose
Re- Whitefish Lake School.

To 36 hrs. labour cleaning yard and toilets
School at 25 ¢ per hour — 9.00
" 12 hrs. labour piling wood in
shed at school at 20 ¢ per hour — 2.40
11.40

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

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R. J. Lewis.
Agent.

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Letter No. 284-41

Office of the Manitowaning Indian Agency,

[Handwritten signature]

May 31st, 1929.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....,

amounting to \$ 11.40 in favour

of Chief Joseph Petahtegoose, Naughton, Ont......

for Labour performed cleaning school yard and
Toilets at Whitefish Lake Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 19-8-5 dated November 6th, 1928,
" " 19-8-5 " May 11th, 1929.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]

[Handwritten signature: R. Lewis]
Indian Agent.



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF MR. INSPECTOR BECHARD,
DATED JUNE 30TH, 1929, ON HIS INSPECTION
THE WHITEFISH LAKE INDIAN DAY SCHOOL.

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Original on File 19-8-6.

See under

The school is well kept but the outside
closets should receive special attention, especially
at this time of the year.



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284-42.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
July 30th, 1929.

Sir:-

I have the honour to report that I consider it would be well to repaint the interior of the Whitefish Lake School class-room and teacher's living quarters. There has not been any painting done to the interior of this building since it was erected some ten years ago. This work could be carried out before the school reopens after holidays and I estimate the cost of the labour and material would be approximately \$60.00.

Your obedient servant,

A. Hewitt
Indian Agent.



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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19-8-5.

Ottawa, August 2nd, 1929.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of the 30th ultimo, I have to say that you may incur an expenditure of approximately \$60 in repainting the interior of the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School classroom and teacher's living quarters. You should purchase the material and arrange for the labour in having the painting required carried out, and you should see that a satisfactory job is completed. This work should be completed before the school reopens after the present summer holidays. When finished, you should forward a certified account, in duplicate, covering the cost of the material and labour.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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Manitowaning Agency
Whitefish Lake School
No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To H. W. McLaughlin, Manitowaning, Ont..

DATE	AMOUNT
1929 September 11	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-8-4 dated July 24th, 1929.

MANITOWANING, ONT. Sept. 11 1929

M White Fish Lake School.

IN ACCOUNT
WITH

H. W. McLAUGHLIN

GENERAL MERCHANT

Accounts due when rendered

5% Interest Charged on Overdue Accounts

S. B. Sears, Limited, Toronto 41592

Sept. 05	2 4 th Scotch Fingering yarn	0 1.50	6.00
"	6 yds Gingham C 204	1.20	1.20
"	3 yds Chambray C 28.84	3.20	1.14
"	3 yds Table Oil Cloth @ 50	1.50	1.50
"	3 yds Chambray C 35	1.05	1.05
"	Postage 55		.55
			<u>\$ 11.44</u>

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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Letter No. 284-42.

Office of the.....Manitowaning.....Indian Agency,

Agmt.

.....September 11th, 1929.....

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....,
amounting to \$ 11.44.....in favour
of Mr. H. W. McLaughlin, General Merchant, Manitowaning.
for Supplies furnished for Whitefish Lake Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
Letter No. 19-8-4.....dated July 24th, 1929.....

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

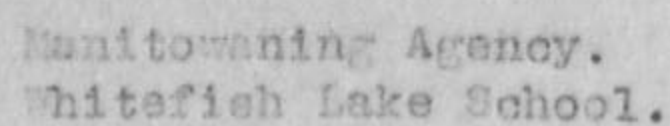
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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To.....Jim. Nochtel.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

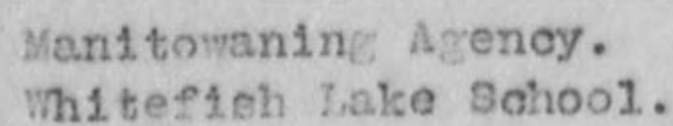
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No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To....Joe..Mahzenekezhik.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

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The Department of Indian Affairs,

To.....Joe Patahtegoose.....

DATE		AMOUNT
1929 September 24	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 16-8-5 dated August 2nd, 1929. To 11 days labour painting interior of classroom and teacher's living quarters at Whitefish Lake School at \$3.00 a day	\$33.00
	" Cartage on paint from Naughton Station to Whitefish Lake	1.50
		\$34.50

EXAMINED and
found correct.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 27 1929
RECORDS

284-42. Indian Office, Manitowaning,
September 24th, 1929.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith vouchers in favour of the following Indians for labour performed in painting the interior of the class room and teacher's living quarters at the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School, namely,-

Jim Nootchtai	\$6.00,
Joe Mahzenekezhik	7.50,
Joe Petahtegoose	34.50.
Total:-\$48.00	

The interior of this building has been all repainted and is now in good condition.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter No. 19-8-5 of August the 2nd, last.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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ACCOUNTANTS
SEP 28 1929
RECORDS



Manitowaning Agency.
Whitefish Lake School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To.....Cochrane Dunlop Hardware Limited

Copper Cliff, Ont.

DATE	AMOUNT
1929 October 29	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-8-5 dated August 2nd, 1929.

SUDBURY

SAULT STE. MARIE

PEMBROKE

NORTH BAY

COPPER CLIFF

COCHRANE DUNLOP HARDWARE LIMITED

ORDER No.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

No. 1.

YOUR No.

(Duplicate copy)

GENERAL HARDWARE

Sold to Mr. R. J. Lewis,
Manitowaning, Ont.

Copper Cliff, Ont.,
Aug. 19, 1929.

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Shipped Via

Taken

Interest at 3% per annum on overdue accounts

only	1/2 Gal.	#554 M. S. Paint	2.85 Ea.	2.85
"	1 Gal.	#546 M. S. Paint	5.35 Gal.	16.05
"	1/2 Gal.	Inside White Paint	3.05 Ea.	2.05
Gal.		Turpentine		.75
Gal.		Boiled Linseed Oil		.75
only	#3	Mascot Paint Brushes	1.60 Ea.	3.20
"	#2	Premier Paint Brush	.60 Ea.	.60
"	1/2 Gal.	Cans	.25 Ea.	.50
Less 10% Discount				27.75
				2.77
				24.98
				24.98

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\$24.98

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

EXAMINED and
found correct.

J. W. Shore

R. J. Lewis

Agent.

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Letter No. 284-43.



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Office of the.....Manitowaning.....Indian Agency,

October 29th, 1929.....192.....

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....,

amounting to \$ 24.98.....in favour

of Cochrane Dunlop Hardware Limited, of Copper Cliff,

for Paint furnished for interior of Whitefish Lake Indian School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 19-8-5.....dated August 2nd, 1929.....

Your obedient servant,

A. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Whitefish Lake School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To.....R. J. Lewis.....

DATE		AMOUNT	
1929			
December	9	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....November 5th, 1929.	
November	27	To paid The Evans Co., Limited, for:-	
		400 ft # 1 shiplap lumber at \$45.00 M.	\$18.00
		100 ft # 1 pine flooring " 55.00	5.50
"	27	" " J. B. Jakbert for 1 trip with	
		Truck Motor Car in transportation	
		of lumber, stove and hardware from	
		Sudbury to Whitefish Lake Reserve	8.00
		5771 TOTAL:-	\$31.50

Sudbury, Ont., Nov. 27 1929

M. R. J. Lewis, Esq.,

Town.

Order No.

Car No.

Shipped by.....

In account with

The Evans Co
LIMITED.

CLAIMS MUST BE MADE IMMEDIATELY
AFTER RECEIPT OF GOODS

TERMS: NET 30 DAYS
INTEREST AT 8% CHARGED ON PAST DUE ACCOUNTS.

400' # 1 shiplap
100' pine floor

PAID
NOV 27 1929

The Evans Co. Limited

J. Murray

18.00
5.50
23.50

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R. J. Lewis
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Whitefish Lake School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Cochrane Dunlop Hardware
Copper Cliff, Ont.

DATE	AMOUNT
1929	
December 9	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated <u>November 5th, 1929.</u>

SUDBURY

SAULT STE. MARIE

PEMBROKE

NORTH BAY

COPPER CLIFF

COCHRANE DUNLOP HARDWARE LIMITED

ORDER No.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
GENERAL HARDWARE

No. 1.

YOUR No.

Sold to Mr. R. J. Lewis,
Manitowaning, Ont.

Copper Cliff, Ont.,
Nov. 30, 1929.

Terms

Shipped Via

Taken

Interest at 8% per annum on overdue accounts

3	Rolls	Medium Roofing	2.10 Roll	6.30
60	Lbs.	2 1/2" Wire Nails	.05 1/2 Lb.	3.30
1	Lb.	Putty	.10 Lb.	.10
2	Lights	Glass 14 x 28	.25 Ea.	.50
1	only	Damper Pipe	.50 Ea.	.50
12	only	Stove Pipes 7"	.20 Ea.	2.40
2	only	7" Stove Pipe Elbows	.25 Ea.	.50
1	only	Taper Pipe	.30 Ea.	.30
1	only	28" Findlay Box Stove	11.70 Ea.	11.70
1	only	Galv. Side Roof Pipe	1.25 Ea.	1.25
1	Pr.	6" Tee Hinges	.30 Pr.	.30
1	only	3" Hook and Eye	.05 Ea.	.05
				27.20 27.20

sent 14-12-29. *5770* *\$27.20*

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Agent.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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284-44. *Archer* Indian Office, Manitowaning,
December 9th, 1929.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith vouchers in favour of the Cochrane Hardware Limited, of Copper Cliff, amounting to \$27.80 for stove, pipes and hardware, and myself amounting to \$31.00 for payments made for lumber and transportation on this lumber and hardware from Sudbury to Whitefish Lake Reserve, in having the shed at Whitefish Lake School converted into a kitchen for the teacher.

The Indians are busy at work remodelling the shed and making some minor repairs to the school building.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter of November the 5th, last,

Your obedient servant,

Kay
[Signature]

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency

No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

Whitefish Lake Indian Day School.

To Mrs. R. Jalbert, Naughton, Ont..

DATE	AMOUNT
1930 May 31	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-8-4 dated May 2nd, 1930.
PLEASE KEEP THIS BILL FOR REFERENCE Date May 10 1930 Mr. R. J. Lewis, J. R. Manitowaning Bought of R. Jalbert 12 bars Conf. Soap 96 BM King 24 96 SUNTIN GILLIES LTD., HAMILTON, ONT.	
I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.	
Agent	

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19-8-5
r No. 284-44.



Office of the.....Manitowaning.....Indian Agency,

May 31st 1930.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....
amounting to \$...96.....in favour
of Mrs. R. Jalbert, Naughton, Ont..
for Supply of Soap furnished Whitefish Lake Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
Letter No. 19-8-4 dated May 2nd, 1930.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis.
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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REQUISITION FOR SCHOOL MATERIAL

Date June 24 1924

For Whitefish Lake School Manitowaning Agency

NOTE:—Teachers should secure from the Department of Education, of the Province in which the Indian School is located, a list of the text books authorized for use in the white schools. In ordering text books, only those authorized in this list should be requested.

To avoid delay, teachers should give full particulars regarding each article required.

The name, series, number of grade, and name of author and publisher of all books required should be given as fully as possible.

When ordering kindergarten material, the catalogue number of some well known firm should be given for each article required.

Only one item should be specified on each line of this requisition and no entry should be made under heading "No. Authorized".

ARTICLES	NO. ON HAND	DATE OF LAST RECEIPT	NO. REQUIRED	NO. AUTHORIZED	REMARKS
English-Ojibway Catechisms	10	Dec. 1927	10		all old and shabby
Lead Pencils	3	Sept. 7, 1929	6 doz.		See, no 4 of file
Pen Points	none	Oct. 1929	6 doz.		should be fixed if
Block	1	none	1		one cannot be purchased
Pillow Slips	4	none	4		old and torn
Coloured Chalk	1 box	none	1 box		there is very little in the box
Sewing Material	none	Sept. 9/29	10 yds.		5 yd. gingham
Sewing Needles	none	Sept. 9/29	3 pkgs.		5 yd. chambray or broadcloth
Knitting Material	none	Sept. 9/29	8 ct.		
Roofing	none	none	the roof over the whole building leaks badly.		did not have enough last year
Pump or Well	none	none	1		water is hard to carry up the hill
Door knobs	4	none	8		all the doors need repairs
Good Liver Oil	none	none	1 doz. bottles		for pupils' health since
					fresh milk is not available.
Wash-tub	1	none	1		this one here is full of holes
Dust-fan	1	none	1		not fit for use
Dr. Stron to order					

N.B.—Explicit information regarding address must be furnished.

Name Stella M. King
 School Whitefish Lake
 Post Office (nearest) Naughton
 Express Office (nearest) Coppercliff
 Province Ont.

Stella M. King
 Teacher

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have examined this requisition, and that the articles asked for by the teacher are necessary and are such as are in use in the Provincial Schools.

R. Heer's
 Indian Agent

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284-44.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
July 21st, 1930.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a requisition by Miss Stella M. King for supplies for use at the Whitefish Lake Day School.

Sewing and knitting material should be furnished for the sewing class, and the articles made will be given to the pupils in need.

The roof and doors of the school building require repairs. I believe the it would be well to put a new roof on the building as the material in the roof at present is only paper and has been in use for the last ten years past and has outlived its usefulness. The cost of a new roof would be approximately \$100.

With regard to the request of the teacher for a well, a report on this matter was made to the Department on the 29th of April last.

The clock in the class room is not keeping correct time. It would appear to me that it requires oiling.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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19-8-5.

Ottawa, July 24, 1930.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 21st instant, enclosing a requisition for sewing and knitting material and other supplies for the use of the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School, and also requesting that certain repairs be carried out to the roof and doors of the school building.

In reply I have to say that an order will be forwarded to the Government Stationery Office to send the classroom supplies asked for by the teacher. You may arrange for the purchase and delivery of the following when the school reopens: 1 alarm clock of the "Big Ben" type, 4 pillow slips, 10 yards sewing material, 3 packages sewing needles, 8 pounds knitting material, 1 washtub and 1 dustpan.

Relative to the repairs required to the roof and doors, the Department will approve of your arranging to have a new roof installed and the doors repaired and placed in a satisfactory condition. It is noted you estimate the cost of a new roof to be approximately \$100, and this amount should not, if possible, be exceeded in the cost of the materials and labour in putting on the new roof. This work should be carried out before the school reopens after the holidays.

After you have made the above authorized purchases and carried out the repairs to the roof and doors, you should forward accounts, in duplicate, properly certified, covering the expenditure incurred.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Cochrane-Dunlop Hardware Limited

DATE		Sudbury, Ont.	AMOUNT
1930			
August 19	Authorized by Dept. letter No. <u>19-8-5</u> dated <u>July 24th</u> , 1930.		
" 22	To 11 Rolls Crystal Roofing, Brantford, for Whitefish Lake School, prepaid, at \$3.20 a roll		\$35.20 ✓
	Freight to Naughton <u>330 6/30</u>		1.62 ✓
			<u>\$36.82</u> ✓

SUDBURY SAULT STE. MARIE PEMBROKE NORTH BAY COPPER CLIFF

COCHRANE DUNLOP HARDWARE LIMITED

ORDER No. 25122

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
GENERAL HARDWARE

No. 7796

YOUR No.

Sold to M Indian Office
c-o R.J. Lewis,
MANITOWANING, Ont.

SUDBURY, Ont. Aug. 11-30.

Terms

Shipped Via

Frt. Ppd.
Joseph Petahetegosse,
Naughton, Ont.

Interest at 8% per annum on overdue accounts

11	Rolls	Crystal Roofing, Brantford	3.20 roll	35.20	
		Freight		1.62	
					<u>\$36.82</u>

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

EXAMINED and
found correct.

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John R. Carroll

R. Lewis
Agent

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Letter No. 284-44

19-8-5



Office of the Manitowaning Indian Agency,

Manitowaning, August 19th, 1930. 192...

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.,

amounting to \$ 36.82 in favour

of Cochrane Dunlop Hardware Limited

for 11 Rolls of Roofing prepaid to Naughton
for Whitefish Lake School building.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 19-8-5 dated July 24th 1930...

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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[Handwritten signature]

Naughton, Ont.
Sept. 8, 1930.

Dept. of Ind. Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

[Handwritten mark]

Dear Sir, —

I have received only four articles from the requisition for school material which I ordered at the end of the last school term. Would you let me when the rest of the material is to be sent?

Water is very hard to get here in winter and summer but more especially in winter, as a hole has to be made in the ice. I have asked Agent Lewis to see about a pump or well for this school; the first time he answered he told me the Department did not wish to have a well here on account of financial conditions; the second time I spoke for a pump or

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well, he did not answer. I am
sure a pump would be more suit-
able than a well.

Trusting to hear from you
in the near future,

I am,

Yours truly,

Stella M. King

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19-8-5.

Ottawa, September 11, 1930.

Sir:

The Department has received a communication from Miss Stella M. King, teacher of the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School, in which she states that she has not received all the supplies asked for by her on requisition dated June 24th, last, and which you forwarded under cover of your letter of July 21st. She apparently has received the classroom supplies, but the other supplies which you were authorized to purchase by official letter of July 24th, last, have not been received. I have to request that you will, at the earliest possible date, arrange for the purchase and delivery at the school of the sewing material, pillow slips, washtub, dustpan and alarm clock as mentioned in letter referred to.

Please inform the Department whether you have carried out the repairs required to the roof and doors. The account which you forwarded for the eleven rolls of roofing material has been paid, and it is hoped that you have had this work completed.

The teacher states that it is very hard to obtain water in winter, as a hole has to be made in the ice from which to obtain the water required. Please advise the Department whether there is a well in connection with this school, and, if so, what is required to place same in a satisfactory condition. If there is no well, please advise whether you would recommend that one be drilled, and, if so, you should give full particulars as to the cost, etc. The Department will expect your report as to the steps you would advise be taken to provide a supply of water for use at this school.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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19-8-5.

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Ottawa, September 11, 1930.

Madam:

I have your letter of the 8th instant, relative to the supplies asked for on your requisition dated June 24th, last, for the use of the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School.

In this connection I have to say that we are requesting Mr. Agent Lewis to arrange for the immediate purchase and delivery of the sewing and knitting materials, pillow slips, washtub, dustpan and alarm clock asked for. The four articles which you state you received are, no doubt, the catechisms, lead pencils, pens and chalk.

We are requesting Mr. Agent Lewis to furnish a report regarding the providing of a suitable water supply for the use of this school.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

Miss Stella M. King,
Teacher, Whitefish Lake Indian Day School,
Naughton, Ont.

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281-44,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
September 13, 1930.

Sir:-

I am in receipt of Departmental Letter No. 19-8-5 of the 11th instant, with reference to supplies, repairs to roof and a supply of water, in connection with the Whitefish Lake Day School, and in reply I have the honour to report that Miss Stella M. King was advised that the sewing material, pillow slips, washtup, etc. would be delivered direct from this office to the school by myself within a few days when I would visit the school to settle with the Indians for their labour in carrying out the repairs to the roof of the school building.

The chief has advised me that they have carried out the repairs required to the roof and doors of the school building.

With regard to a supply of water for the school, I have to report that there is not any well in connection with this school, and not even a well on the whole Reserve. All the inhabitants carry their supply of water from the inland lakes. The school is situated on a high grade between two lakes where it will be difficult to obtain water by digging. If a well is drilled it will be costly as it will have to be lowered below the level of the lakes and when the water is taken from such a great depth it will be a question whether, or not, it will be fit for drinking.

In my opinion it would be wise for the Department to pay a certain amount each quarter to have water carried from the lake for use of the teacher rather than drill a well.

Your obedient servant,

P. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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19-8-5.

Ottawa, September 17, 1930.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 13th instant, informing the Department that you have arranged to supply the sewing material and other articles asked for by the teacher of the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School, also that the repairs required to the roof and doors of the school building have been carried out.

Relative to a supply of water for the use of the school, it is noted that there would be considerable difficulty and expense in digging a well and that you recommend that a set amount be paid each quarter to have the water required carried from the lake rather than drill a well. I have to request that you will state what arrangements you could make for this service during the coming winter months - from November 1st to the end of April, next - and the amount that would be charged each month for this service. The teacher could, no doubt, arrange with one of the older Indian boys to carry the water required at a small expense. When we have information as to the cost involved, etc., consideration will then be given to authorizing the expenditure required.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency.

No. of Account *Feb*

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J. C. Irving & Co.

DATE	AMOUNT
1930 Sept 27	Authorized by Dept. letter No. <u>19-8-5</u> dated <u>July 24th, 1930.</u>

A. IRVING EST.

MANITOWANING, ONT. Sept. 27/30 192
MANITOULIN ISLAND

M. Dept. of Indian Affairs, for White Fish Lake School.

BOUGHT
OF

J. C. IRVING & CO.

DEALERS IN

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Gents' Furnishings
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE, ETC., ETC.

ACCOUNTS DUE WHEN RENDERED
8% INTEREST CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

To, 1	dust pan			25	✓
" 5	Yds. Gingham	20	1	00	✓
" 5	" cotton broadcloth	30	1	50	✓
" 4	pillow cases	45	1	80	✓
" 3	Pkgs. needles	10		30	✓
" 1	alarm clock		4	25	✓
" 8	Lbs. fingering yarn	1.35	10	80	✓
" 2	door knobs	30		60	✓
" 1	wash tub		1	25	✓
			21	75	✓

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. Hewitt
Agent

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\$21.75



Let. No. 284-15



CANADA

19-8-5



Office of the Manitowaning Indian Agency,

September 27th, 1930. 19

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 21.75

amounting to \$ 21.75 in favour

of J. C. Irving & Co. Manitowaning.

for supplies to Whitefish Lake Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 19-8-5 dated July 24th, 1930.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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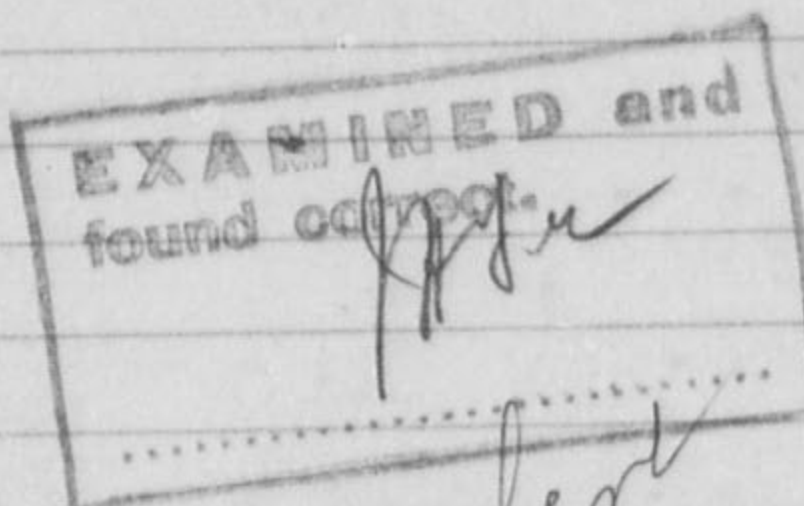
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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To R. J. Lewis

DATE		AMOUNT
1930		
September 29	Authorized by Dept. letter No. <u>19-8-5</u> dated <u>September 11th, 1930.</u>	
" 15	<u>Repairs to Whitefish Lake School.</u>	
" "	To paid J. C. Irving for 1 Roll Roofing	\$3.75 ✓
" <u>16</u>	" " Joseph Petahtagoose for 2 1/2 days labour	
	at \$3.00 a day	7.50 ✓
" "	" " Felix Skye for 1 day at \$3.00 a day	3.00 ✓
" "	" " James Shawbwonoquet for 1 day at \$3.00	3.00 ✓
	Cartage on Roofing from Naughton to	
	Whitefish Lake, 2 trips with car	1.50 ✓
	TOTAL:-	\$18 .75 ✓



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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent

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19-8-5



284-45.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
September 29th, 1930.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in favour of myself amounting to \$18.75 for payments made for one roll of roofing, labour and cartage, in connection with repairs to the roof of Whitefish Lake Indian Day School.

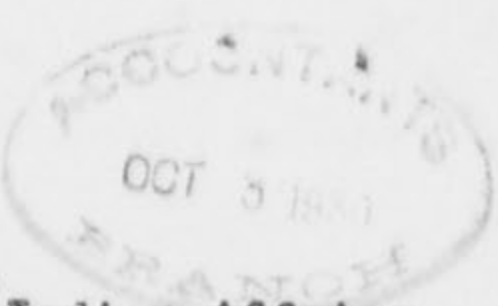
A quantity of roofing was purchased from the Cochrane-Dunlop Hardware, Sudbury, during August, last, to do this work but as there was not sufficient to complete the roof. I had to purchase another roll, and delivered it to the school when I visited the Reserve of the 16th instant. The roof on the main building has been repaired but the paper roof on the kitchen cracked recently which required repairs so it was for to repair the kitchen roof that the extra roll of roofing was purchased.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter No. 19-8-5 of July 24th, 1930.

I might add for the information of the Department that this building will have to be repainted early next summer, both interior and exterior.

Your obedient servant,

for
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[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Joseph R. J. Lewis.

DATE		AMOUNT
1930	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
October 28		
" 24	To paid Joseph Patahtegoose for, - <u>Whitefish Lake School.</u>	
	I day labour completing repairs to Kitchen room at \$3.00 a day	\$3.00✓
	4 hours labour splitting firewood	1.00✓
	Labour removing, cleaning and repairs to 2 toilets	10.00✓
		<u>\$14.00✓</u>

EXAMINED and
found correct.

mt 5-11-30

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent

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284-45. *Atty* Indian Office, Manitowaning,
October 28th, 1930.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in favour of myself amounting to \$14.00, for payment made to Joseph Petahtegoose of Whitefish Lake Reserve for repairs to kitchen roof, splitting firewood, and removing two toilets and making the necessary repairs to these toilets, at Whitefish Lake Indian Day School.

As these toilets were in very bad condition I authorized Mr. Petahtegoose to have the necessary work in connection with having them placed in a sanitary condition carried out without delay.

I would most respectfully recommend that this account be paid, as it was necessary to have this work carried out.

Your obedient servant,

Pay
[Signature]

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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284-45,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
November 26th, 1930.

19-8-5
DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 29 1930

SCHOOLS BRANCH
DEC 1 1930

Sir:-

Referring to the last paragraph of Official Letter No. 19-8-5 of September the 17th, last, I have the honour to report that after much difficulty Miss Stella M. King, teacher at the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School, has advised that she is able at last to make arrangement with one of the older Indian boys, Paul Petahtegoose, to carry water from the lake to this school at the rate of \$5.00 per month during the winter months- from November 1st to the end of April, next.

I would most respectfully recommend that the Department approve of this arrangement made by Miss King, as great difficulty has been experienced in getting water supply for this school.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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13-8-5

Ottawa, December 1, 1930.

Sir,-

I have your letter of the 26th ultimo, relative to the arrangement that can be made to provide a water supply for the use of the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School. In reply I have to say that the Department will provide a grant at the rate of \$5.00 per month during the winter months - November 1 to April 30 - to pay the cost of having an Indian boy carry the water required from the lake to the school. It is to be understood that the boy engaged will perform the work to the satisfaction of the teacher. You may forward vouchers from time to time in payment of the amount due at the above rate covering the grant allowed in carrying the water required.

Your obedient servant.

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
Ontario.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

Whitefish Lake Indian Day School.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Mrs. R. Jalbert, Naughton, Ont.

DATE	AMOUNT
1931	
January 2	Authorized by Dept. letter No. dated
PLEASE KEEP THIS BILL FOR REFERENCE Date <i>Dec. 24</i> 19<i>30</i> Mrs. <i>S. King</i> <i>Naughton</i> Bought of <i>30 gal oak Barrel 3 50</i> <i>2 Brooms 25-</i> <i>Total Amt. \$3.75</i> <i>Stella M. King</i> 38 BURTON GILLIES LTD., HAMILTON, ONT.	
<i>13-1-31</i> <i>6903</i> <i>EXAMINED AND</i> <i>RECORDED</i> <i>3.75</i>	

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent

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44-45,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
January 2nd, 1931.



Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith an account in favour of Mrs. R. Jalbert of Naughton, amounting to \$3.75, for one large water barrell and two brooms furnished for use at the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School.

Referring to Departmental Letter No. 19-8-5 regarding the water supply for this school, I must say that as there was not anything at the school large enough to hold a supply of water, it was necessary to procure a barrell for this purpose and same was supplied by Mrs. Jalbert, as she had a most suitable one on hand at her store.

The brooms in use at the school were worn out and had to be re-placed by two new ones.

I would most respectfully recommend that this account be paid.

Pay
[Signature]
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

Your obedient servant,

[Signature: R. J. Lewis]
Indian Agent.

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No. of Account.....
INDIAN EDUCATION...

INDIAN TRUST FUND

Whitefish Lake School.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Paul Petahtegoose.

DATE		AMOUNT
1931		
March	20	
Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-3-5 dated December 1st, 1930.		
To services carrying a supply of Water for use at the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School during November, December 1930, and January February and March 1931,-- 5 months at the rate of \$5.00 a month		\$25.00

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31/3/31

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work per and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

EXAMINED and
found correct.

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Letter No. 284-45.



Office of the Manitowaning Indian Agency,

March 20th, 1931. 192...

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....,

amounting to \$ 25.00 in favour

of Paul Petahtegoose

for services carrying a supply of water for use
at Whitefish Lake Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 19-8-5 dated December 1st, 1930

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Mar 23 1
 Mrs Stella M. King
 Naughton
 Mrs. R. Gilbert

1 Wash Basin	60
1 Axle	1.75
5 yards of towelings	1.00
80 Bar Soap	2.00
2 tin of stone polish	30
1 stone pipe	20
1 wood box	00
3 yard table cloth	2.25
Total amt	\$12.10

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Stella M. King

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L No. 284-45



Office of the Manitowaning Indian Agency,

March 28th, 1931.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.

amounting to \$ 12 .10 in favour

of Mrs. H. Jalbert, Naughton, P.O. Ont.

for Supplies furnished for use at Whitefish Lake Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 19-8-4 dated February 13th, 1931.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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19-8-5.

EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF INDIAN AGENT J.R.LEWIS,
MANITOWANING, ONT., for month of March, on
Whitefish Lake Indian Day School.

Original on 19-8-7.

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The exterior of the school building
is in very bad condition for the want of
repainting, and, if possible, should be given
three coats of paint during the incoming
summer, also the platform at the entrance
to the classroom requires a new floor.



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EX'D.
19-5-5.

Ottawa, April 13, 1932.

Sir:

Relative to that portion of your report for the month of March, last, on the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School, recommending the painting of the exterior of the school building during the coming summer and repairing of the platform at the entrance to the classroom, I have to say that, owing to the recent orders for strict economy, the Department will have no funds to provide the cost of painting the building this year.

Regarding the installing of a new floor in the platform at the entrance to the school, I have to request that you will report, in detail, what work is required in this connection and the approximate cost of the material and labour.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
Ont.

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284-47.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
May 20th, 1932.

EX'D.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in favour of James Shawbwonoquet amounting to \$4.25 for seventeen hours labour cleaning, cutting and carting away undergrowth in school yard, and re-piling firewood, at Whitefish Lake Indian Day School.

When at Whitefish Lake Reserve recently making distribution of spring interest to the Indians I found the school yard in an untidy condition. James Shawbwonoquet was authorized to clean the yard and repile the wood in order to make the surroundings a little more attractive.

I would most respectfully recommend that his account be paid, as it was necessary to have this work carried out.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

*Voucher 4.25 sent
and to pay May 28/32*

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Naughton, Ont.
June 8th 1932.

Mr D. J. Sutherland
Dept of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa, Ont.

Kind Sir

Enclosed you will find account
for lamp, completed: and springs for screen
door at Whitefish Lake, Indian Day School
for teacher's residence. I purchased
these after Easter as you gave me
permission to do so.

You may send the cheque
to my home address on the enclosed
letter.

Yours truly.

(Mrs) Irene Burnett.

Whitefish Lake Indian
Day School.

Waltham Station

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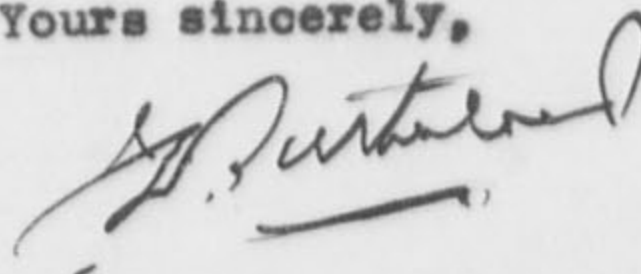
Ottawa, June 13, 1932.

Dear Mrs. Burnett:

I have your letter of the 8th instant, enclosing an account to the amount of \$1.00 from the T. Eaton Company covering the cost of one set for screen door and one lamp, complete. I regret that before payment can be made to you it will be necessary, in accordance with the requirements of the Auditor General, that the account be marked "Paid". It is presumed that you have paid the T. Eaton Company for these supplies, and, if so, you should have obtained a receipted account. I am sorry to put you to trouble, but would request that, if you have paid the T. Eaton Company, you obtain from them a receipted account, in duplicate, if possible. After you get the account as requested from the above Company, you should write thereon "Goods received. Prices charged fair and just", and forward same to the Department, when a cheque to reimburse you will be sent. If you have not paid for these supplies, the cheque would have to be drawn in favour of the T. Eaton Company and send direct to them. I shall be pleased to hear from you regarding this account at your earliest convenience.

I have noted where you request that cheque in payment of your salary, etc., be sent.

Yours sincerely,



Mrs. Irena Burnett,
Naughton,
Ont.

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CANADA Whitefish Lake School.

No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Mrs. R. Jalbert,
Naughton, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT
1932		
October	26	Authorized by Dept. letter No. <u>19-8-4</u> dated <u>September 21st, 1932.</u>
<i>Mrs R Jalbert</i> <i>Oct 12</i> <i>2</i> <i>to white fish lake indian</i> <i>Day school</i> <i>1 tin Rustbane 35</i> <i>20 ft. felt weather strip 40</i> <i>1 lock door set complete 90</i> <i>1 chamber pail 1.25</i> <i>total amt. 2.90</i> <i>Chief</i> <i>James Shawwanaguit</i> <i>25</i>		
TRIPLICATE FOR FILE Voucher detached <i>[Signature]</i>		\$2.90

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent

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Letter No. 284-47

Office of the

Manitowaning

Indian Agency 29 1932

October 26th, 1932. 192...

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....

amounting to \$ 2.80 in favour

of Mrs. R. Jalbert, Naughton, Ont.

for Dustbane, felt weather stripping, lock and one pail
furnish for use at the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 19-8-4 dated September 21st, 1932.

Your obedient servant,



[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



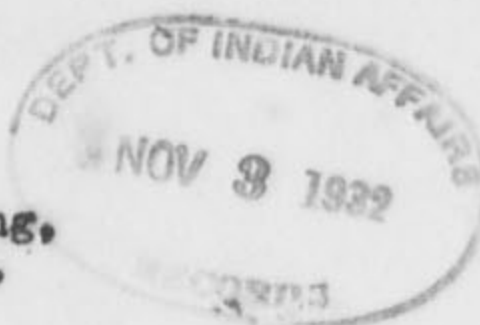
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284-47.

Schools
Indian Office, Manitowaning,
October 31st, 1932.



Sir:-

I have the honour to report that on Saturday the 29th, instant, I made distribution of fall interest payment to Indians of Whitefish Lake Band, and when there paid the school a visit and found this building in need of some necessary repairs before the winter sets in. During the extreme wet weather the roof of the class-room and porch to the entrance of the school has been in a leaky condition. The floor in the class-room and teacher's residence is draughty for the want of the building being banked out side with earth. There are also a few minor repairs required to the doors and windows.

The estimate cost of the material and labour in connection with having the necessary repairs carried out to this building would be approximately \$20.

As it is necessary to have these repairs carried out in order that the building may be in a habitable condition for the winter I would most respectfully recommend that authority be granted to have these repairs made.

Your obedient servant,

H. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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19-8-5.

284-47.

Ottawa, November 3, 1932.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 31st ultimo, regarding the repairs required to the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School building. It is noted that the roof of the classroom and porch at the entrance to the school is leaking and that the classroom and teacher's residence should be banked outside with earth. It is noted, further, that a few minor repairs are required to the doors and windows and that you estimate the total cost of having all the above work carried out to be approximately \$20.

The Department will approve of you incurring an expenditure not exceeding the above amount in the supplying of material and the cost of labour in connection with the work mentioned. Please keep all costs as low as possible, and, when the work has been completed, you should forward accounts, in triplicate, properly certified, covering the expenditure incurred. The repairs and the banking of the building should be performed as soon as possible.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Whitefish Lake School.

No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To The Laberge Lumber Co., Limited,
Sudbury, Ont.

DATE	AMOUNT
1932	
Nov. 22	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-8-5 dated November 3rd, 1932.

THE LABERGE LUMBER CO. LIMITED

EVERYTHING TO BUILD ANYTHING

OUR ORDER NO. 29676
YOUR ORDER NO. J. Shawonoguet

SUDBURY, ONT. Nov. 14th, 1932. NO 15680

SOLD TO Mr. R.J. Lewis,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

BUILDERS' SUPPLIES AND COAL
PLANING MILL
SASH AND DOOR FACTORY

VIA CAR No. To School at Naughton

200	ft. 1 x 4 #2 Flooring	27.00	5.40	
2	4 in. 3-ply Wigwag Roofing	2.75	5.50	
1	gal. Cold Process Asphalt Compound		1.25	
2	glass 14 x 28	.31	.62	
	3% Tax on 5.40		.16	
	6% " " .62		.04	
				12.97

Voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant to pay.

\$12.97

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J. Lewis
Agent

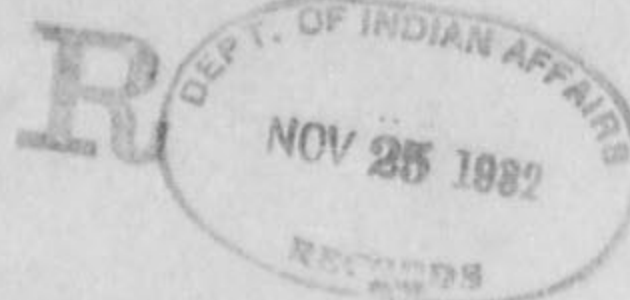
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Letter No. 284-47.



Office of the Manitowaning Indian Agency,

November 22nd, 1932. 19.....

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....,
amounting to \$12.97.....in favour
of The Laberge Lumber Co., Limited, of Sudbury, Ont.,
for material furnished, and delivered to Whitefish Lake Reserve,
to repair school building.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 19-8-51..... dated November 3rd, 1932.

Your obedient servant,

J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

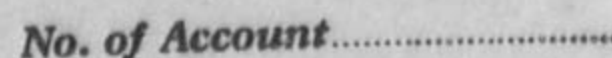
The Secretary,
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Whitefish Lake School.

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To James Shawbrosquet,
Nashua, N.H.

DATE		AMOUNT
1932		
Nov.	30	
Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-8-5 dated November 3rd, 1932. To 1 day, 10 hours labour repairs to floor and roof of verandah at Whitefish Lake School at 30 cents per hour		\$3.00

TRIPLICATE FOR FILE
 Voucher in duplicate detached
 for Accountant to pay.
[Signature]

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent

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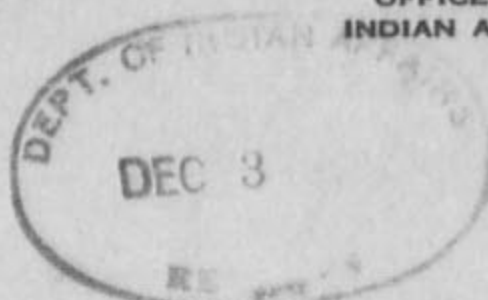
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT



19-8-5

284-48.

Manitowaning, November 30th, 1932.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith vouchers in favour of the under-mentioned Indians for labour performed in connection with repairs being carried out to the Whitefish Lake School building.

James Shawbwonoquet	\$3.00
Arthur Shawbwonoquet	\$6.88

These expenditures were authorized by Departmental Letter No. 19-8-5 of November 3rd, instant.

The most necessary repairs have been carried out on this building and now it is in a state of good repair for the winter, incoming winter.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Whitefish Lake School. No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Arthur Shawbonoguet.
Naughton, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT
1932		
Nov. 30	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-8-5 dated November 3rd, 1932.	
	No 27 1/2 hours labour at Whitefish Lake School moving and setting up stoves, putting on outside windows, Piling wood in shed, Banking school and residence, and doing odd jobs around school building at 25¢ per hour	\$6.88

VOTE.....	2079
AGENCY.....	19
ALLOT.....	250

TRIPLICATE FOR FILE

Voucher in duplicate detached for Accountant to pay.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent

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19-8-5

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PAY TO ~~RECEIVED~~

ADDRESS..... **Houghton,**

Ontario.

**THIS SPACE FOR
TREASURY ONLY**

CHEQUE NO.....

DATE

VOTE	AGENCY
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ALLOT.

E. R.

AMOUNT

TOTAL

EXAMINED AND FOUND CORRECT

DATE

DATE	SERVICE	AMOUNT
Jan. 18	November and December lunch for pupils at the Whiterish Lake Indian Day School, as per state- ment attached.	8.00
	Lmons.	
	TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE <i>J.V.H.</i> Voucher in duplicate detached for Accountant to pay.	
	TOTAL	8.00

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

FORM No. I.A. 506
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VOUCHER No...285.....

DATE.....January 10th, 1941

Indian

Agent

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Letter No.....

Office of the..... Sturgeon Falls..... Indian Agency,

January 18th..... 19..... 41

[Handwritten signature]

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos..... 285

amounting to \$..... 6.00

of..... W. Lecoupe, Naughton, Ontario

for..... Nov. and Dec. lunches for pupils of Whitefish Lake
Indian Day School

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No..... dated.....

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature: J. Maclean]
Indian Agent

The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa

Form No. I.A. 518
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STATEMENT

Dec 1 1940

Attest Fisk Jonathan
day schools

In a/c With W. L. L. L.
H. L. L. L.

TERMS

217	ft soft flaring	30 00	6 50
34 1/2	ft 2 1/2 inch	40 00	1 38
60	ft 1 x 16 dressed	45 00	2 70
2	bracket Lats	50	1 00
1	roll staff pipe	10	10
2	lbs puting	10	20
1	roll tar paper	1 25	1 25
1 1/2	1 1/2 inch nail	8	12
1	gilt Whit paint	1 25	1 25
1	Celt door lock	1 00	1 00
			15 50

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Letter No.....

Office of the Sturgeon Falls Indian Agency,

January 18th 1941

[Signature]
Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. EXD-280

amounting to \$ 15.50 in favour

of W. Lecoupe, Esq., Naughton, Ontario.

for material for repairing the Whiterish Lake Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No..... dated.....

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent

The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa

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PHONE 550-R4 COPEN CLIFF EXCHANGE

W. LECOUPÉ
GENERAL MERCHANT

Naughton, Ontario, Feb 1, 1911

M. Whitford Indian
Day School

Acct. No.	Clerk	Account Forwarded	
1	15 Can Smith	10	1 30
2	15 Can Smith	10	1 30
3	2 Mr. Duffin	8	40
4	2 Mr. Cohen	15	30
5	3 Mr. Appleby	16	30
6	Mr. Cohen	12	
7			4 00
8			
9			
10			
11			
12			
13	Edna M. Kelly		
14	36		
15			

Your account stated to date. If error is found, return at once.

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PHONE 520-R4 COPPER CLIFF EXCHANGE

W. LECOUPÉ
GENERAL MERCHANT

Naughton, Ontario, *March 1* 19*81*

M. Whitford Indian day schools

Acct. No.	Clerk	Account Forwarded	
1	15 Can milk	10	1 50
2	15 Can tomato	10	1 50
3	2 lbs sugar	8	40
4	2 lbs Cocoa	15	30
5	3 lbs Apples	6	30
6	<i>mccoreen</i>		
7			
8			4 00
9			
10			
11			
12			
13			
14	50		
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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Letter No.

Office of the Sturgeon Falls Indian Agency,

March 22nd 1941

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 354, amounting to \$ 8.00 in favour of W. Lecoupe, Naughton, Ontario, for collation for pupils of the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School, February and March.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. dated

Your obedient servant,

J. A. Maclean
Indian Agent

The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa

Form No. I.A. 518
Reqn. 8420



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David Paishegwanate,
Whitefish Lake, Res.,
Lake Penage,
Whitefish, P.O. Ont.
October, 16, 1941.

Mr. J. A. Marlowe,
Sturgeon Falls, Ont.,

List of items re-
quired for the purpose
of building a chimney in
the Lake Penage day school

300	chimney brick	3 1/2 c
1 bag	cement	75-lb. 95 bag
1 bag	lime	75-lb. 24 lb

Signed - Chief
David Paishegwanate

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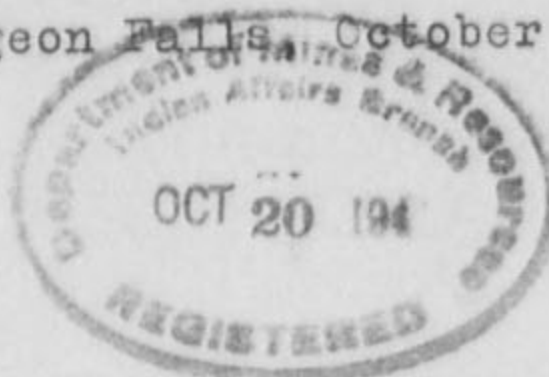
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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE _____

19-8-5
Sturgeon Falls, October 18th, 1941



Dear Sir;

I am attaching hereto requisition forwarded to me by Chief Paishewonabe. The material required is for the purpose of building a chimney on the new Whitefish Lake Indian Day School.

Mr. A. H. Brunne supplied all the lumber and material for school and the Indians supplied the labour. The building is very fair and so far the attendance has been good.

Approximate cost of material required:

300 bricks at 3½ cts. each	\$10.50
1 bag cement	95
1 bag lime at 2 cts. per lb.	1.50
	<u>\$12.95</u>

Will you please advise me if I may purchase the above items.

Yours truly,

J. A. Marleau
J. A. Marleau,
Indian Agent.

T. R. L. MacInnes, Esq.,
Secretary,
Department of Mines and Resources.

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19-8-5

Ottawa,
October 21, 1941.

EXD.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter of the
18th instant you may incur an expenditure of
\$12.95 in erecting a chimney on the Whitefish
Lake Indian Day School.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Mr. J.A. Marleau,
Indian Agent,
Sturgeon Falls, Ont.

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THE LABERGE LUMBER CO. LIMITED

EVERYTHING TO BUILD ANYTHING

OUR ORDER NO. 70943
YOUR ORDER NO.

SUDBURY, ONT. Jan. 21, 1942. No. 72932

SOLD TO Department of Mines & Resources,
c/o Mr. J.A. Marleau,
ADDRESS Sturgeon Falls, Ont.

BUILDERS' SUPPLIES AND COAL
PLANING MILL
SASH AND DOOR FACTORY

VIA

CAR NO.

TERMS

To Indian Affairs Branch.

300	Chim. Bricks			11.10	
1	Bag Cement			.77	
1	" Hyd. Lime			.75	
					12.62

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Ja. Marble

 Indian Agent
 DATE January 22nd, 1942

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Letter No.

Office of the Sturgeon Falls Indian Agency,

January 22nd 19 42

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 317

amounting to \$ 12.62 in favour

of Laberge Lumber Company, Ltd., Sudbury, Ontario.

for material for finishing the new school at Whitefish
Lake Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 14-8-5 dated October 21/41.

Your obedient servant,



J. A. Macleod
Indian Agent

The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
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WHITEFISH, *March 2/42*
ONTARIO

Mr. J. A. Marleau
Indian Agent,
Sturgeon Falls, Ont.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

A. H. BRUNNE & CO.

WHITE AND RED PINE - HEMLOCK AND HARDWOOD LUMBER

SAWMILL AT LAKE PENAGE

<i>1941</i>					
<i>Oct.</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>To moving school equipment</i>		<i>7 00</i>	
		<i>30 lengths stone pipe @ 20¢</i>		<i>6 00</i>	
		<i>2 stone pipe elbows @ 30¢</i>		<i>60</i>	
		<i>1 " " T.</i>		<i>50</i>	
		<i>2 " " Dampers @ 30</i>		<i>60</i>	
		<i>3 Roll spruce sheathing 235</i>		<i>7 05</i>	
		<i>1 ft. Blackboard paint</i>		<i>1 50</i>	
				<i>23 25</i>	
		<i>2 Heavy Brooms @ 85</i>		<i>1 70</i>	
				<i>24 95</i>	
		<i>Edna M. Kelly.</i>			
		<i>(Teacher)</i>			

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CHEQUE NO.

DATE.....

VOTE		AGENCY	
ALLOT.	E. R.	AMOUNT	

TOTAL

EXAMINED AND FOUND CORRECT

DATE.....

DATE	SERVICE	AMOUNT
	To moving Whitefish Lake School equipment and supplying material for new school, as per state- ment attached.	24.95
TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE <i>10.5.42</i> Voucher in duplicate detached for remittance to new		
	TOTAL	24.95

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

FORM No. I.A. 506
R. 8420

VOUCHER No.....352.....

DATE.....March 5th, 1942

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Agent

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Letter No.....

Office of the.....Sturgeon Falls.....Indian Agency,

March 5th 1942

[Signature]
Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....352.....

amounting to \$.....24.95.....in favour

of.....A. H. Brunna & Company, Whitefish, Ontario.

for.....moving school equipment and supplying material for
Whitefish Lake School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 19-8-1 dated Sept 17 1941

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent

The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
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J. H. B. Smith & Co.

Date, March 24 1942

Mrs. E. Kelly

Address Lake Placid School

3 yds oil cloth @ 39 1 17

1 doz cups @ 25 3 00

4 17

Edna M. Kelly:

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J. A. Fagnano & Sons

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Letter No.

Office of the Sturgeon Falls Indian Agency,

March 31st, 19 42

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 396,

amounting to \$ 4.17 in favour

of A. H. Brunne & Company, Lake Penage, Whitefish, Ont.

for supplies for Whitefish Lake Indian Day School

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 19-8-4 dated Nov. 1st 1941

Your obedient servant,



Indian Agent

The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa

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J. A. Marlowe
Sturgeon Falls.

for whitefish Lake
school

IN ACCOUNT WITH

A. H. BRUNNE & Co.

WHITE AND RED PINE - HEMLOCK AND HARDWOOD LUMBER

SAWMILL AT LAKE PENAGE

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Schools 19-8-5

Extract for 19-8-5

Original on 19-8-6

Extract from Inspector Millette's report on the
Whitefish Lake Indian Day School visited on May
11, 1944.

Externa: The inside of the school is too dark.
It should be painted in a light shade
and kept clean. Cleanliness of the
inside of the school is somewhat lacking.
The school was cold during the winter
months. Storm sashes should be provided.

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EXTD.

Ottawa, June 25, 1945.

Mr. J. A. Marleau, Indian Agent,
Sturgeon Falls, Ont.

I enclose the Inspector's report regarding his inspection of the Whitefish Lake R.C. School on June 18. Please study this report carefully and let me have a report regarding what action can be taken to carry out the Inspector's suggestions. When replying, the report should be returned.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

Encl.

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PLEASE QUOTE
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19-8-5-
Sturgeon Falls, June 22nd, 1945



Indian Affairs Branch, Dept. of Mines & Resources, Ottawa.

The Whitefish Lake Band has practically completed a very necessary well at the school house at Lake Penage. This well has been cribbed with planks and the drain is almost completed to the lake.

It will be necessary to install a hand pump, the cost of which will be approximately \$20.00. The work has been done by members of the band.

As it is very hard to get pumps, I have had one set aside at Cochrane-Dunlops, North Bay, and will await the Department's permission to purchase it.

J. A. Marleau
J. A. Marleau,
Indian Agent.

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Ottawa, June 27, 1945.

Mr. J. A. Marleau, Indian Agent,
Sturgeon Falls, Ont.

With reference to your letter of
the 22nd instant, the Department approves an
expenditure of \$20.00 to purchase a pump for the
well at the Whitefish Lake School.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE 19-8-5

Sturgeon Falls, June 30th, 1945

Indian Affairs Branch, Dept. of Mines & Resources, Ottawa.

Re - Attached Report,
Whitefish Lake School.

In reply to your letter of June 25th with reference to above. you will recall that this school house at Lake Penage was considered a temporary school and was built by the Indians with lumber given for the purpose by the A. H. Brunne Company, Timber operators on the Whitefish Lake Reserve.

The building is much in keeping with the other buildings on the mill site, built of rough lumber with heavy white paper on inside walls and a good spruce floor, tar paper on outside walls. The entrance is at the wrong end of building but a proper door and two additional windows would give the required light. The equipment, benches, blackboards, stove, etc., were moved from the old school at Naughton. My letter of February 27, 1945, re Post War Plans, will give you the estimate for completion of building.

It is correct that there is no teacher's residence and so far there has been no necessity for one since Mrs. Petahtegoose and her predecessor, Mrs. Maupouce, own their own homes and reside with their husbands and children.

Concerning the inspector's report on the teacher, I believe it is exaggerated and I would suggest that, if possible, white teachers be employed. These Indian women are all married and raising families and the inspector might have added that their "timing is perfect" as I know that the addition to Mrs. Petahtegoose's family is due in July.

The school yard is partly completed by draining and filling with saw dust and there are now making a baseball grounds. I recently purchased the pump for the school house

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well and this will be installed immediately.

If the Department feels that this school should be completed this summer, I will make arrangements to do so.

J. A. Marleau
J. A. Marleau,
Indian Agent.

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QUARTERLY REPORT ENDING JUNE 30th, 1945, ON STURGEON FALLS AGENCY

XX XX
Department of Mines & Resources
JUL 23 1945
REGISTERED
On my last visit to Lake Penage, I was very pleased with the cooperation between whites and Indians. The swamp by the school has been drained and a play ground and baseball field built on it, Indians and whites working together. There was a great deal of work attached to the enterprise as the trees had to be cut and stumped and quantities of filling were required. The A.H. Brunne Company supplied the lumber, furnished the bull-dozer and trucks to haul gravel and saw dust for filling to make the task possible.

In the process of draining the swamp, they have built a well at the spring, also built a hemlock drain underground to carry the excess water to the lake. The pump for the well was purchased by the Department.

This is another example of what can be achieved with Indians if they are given an opportunity to mingle at work and school with whites. Five years ago this band was at a standstill, filthy and sick, Now with the heads of families earning a fair wage, they are content, properly fed and healthy.

XX XX XX
J.A. Marleau,
Indian Agent.

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COCHRANE-DUNLOP HARDWARE LIMITED
WHOLESALE HARDWARE

NORTH BAY, ONTARIO.

Messrs. Department of Indian Affairs,
c/o Mr. A. J. Marleau,
STURGEON FALLS, Ontario.

ORDER NO. A 126459
YOUR ORDER NO.
TERMS

INVOICE NO. 11330
INVOICE DATE July 5, 1945.
SHIPPED VIA Exp. Ppd. A. H. Bruns Co.
F.O.B.

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	PRICE	GROSS	NET TOTAL
1	Only Well Pump 1 1/4 - 6 ft. Lgth. With Fittings Complete	12.95		12.95

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TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE No.....

DATE.....

Pay to.....**Cochrane-Dunlop Hardware, Limited,**.....

Address..... **North Bay.**.....

Ontario......

ALL DUPLICATES FOR THE
BUDGET IN DUPLICATES DETACHED
FOR ACCOUNTANT TO PAY

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada. This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter, File No. 19-8-5 dated June 27th, 1945 *for Messrs*

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Indian *Agent*

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19-8-5

Ottawa, September 15, 1945.

Mr. J. A. Marleau, Indian Agent,
Sturgeon Falls, Ont.

With reference to our interview
this morning, the Department approves an
expenditure of approximately \$400.00 for
repairs to the Whitefish Lake School.

The amount mentioned is expected
to cover both material and labour. Please
forward a requisition for the materials required.
If you can obtain the materials locally, you
should state the name of the firm from whom
they can be obtained and the price.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE 19-8-5

Sturgeon Falls, October 23rd, 1945

Indian Affairs Branch, Dept. of Mines & Resources, Ottawa.

Following is a list of materials needed for the Whitefish Lake School repair:

Roof, 42x32 - 14 squares of roofing at \$7.04 per sq.	\$ 98.56
Walls, 44x24x10 - 28 packages brick siding, 48 ft. at 5.95	166.60
Interior - 2000 ft. Ten Test or Doncona board at 50.00 M	100.00
Nails and strapping	10.00
Trucking	10.00
	\$385.16

The roofing and brick siding is available at Cochrane Dunlop, Sudbury. The wall board for interior is out of stock for the past six weeks and may not be in for another month. Perhaps the Department could purchase this material cheaper in Ottawa and have it sent.

The Departmental letter of September 15th authorizes an expenditure of \$400.00 for material and labour. At the present these are the only materials available and would leave less than \$15.00 for the labour. You will agree that this would be impossible.

The Laberge Lumber Company, Sudbury has quoted the following prices on lumber and interior wall board:

White pine siding at \$82.00 per M
Log siding at \$73.00 per M, Jack pine and spruce.
Wall board, when in stock, at \$54.00 per M.

On the lumber, of course, there would be an added 13% for tongue and groove. Although the cheapest lumber would cost approximately the same, there would be additional expenditure for painting and labour.

My original estimate which I forwarded to Department called for an expenditure of \$500.00. I believe it would cost all of the by the time the interior is painted.

J. A. Marleau
J. A. Marleau, Indian Agent.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

REQUISITION FOR SUPPLIES

Ottawa, October 31, 1945.

To The Departmental Purchasing Agent, Ottawa, (File 19-8-5)

This space for use of Head Office only

Requisition No.

Order No.

PLEASE FURNISH THE FOLLOWING SUPPLIES FOR USE OF

Whitefish Lake (R.C.) Indian Day School

VOTE 76 Allotment 10-691

SHIP TO Mr. J. A. Marleau, Indian Agent, Whitefish, Ont.

Purpose for which required **Repairs to Whitefish Lake School**

NOTE:—Requisition for non-consumable equipment, state if New Issue or Replacement.
" consumable equipment and supplies use columns 1 and 2.

Quantity		Quantity on hand (1)	Quantity used per month (2)	Unit Price	TOTAL
14	Roof - 42 x 32 - squares of Roofing at \$7.04 per sq.				98.56
28	Walls - 44 x 24 x 10 - packages Brick Siding, 48 ft. at \$5.95				166.60
	Interior -				
2000	ft. Ten Foot or Domesona Board at \$50 per M.				100.00
	Nails and Strapping				10.00
	Trucking				10.00
					\$385.16

Note:-

The above prices were obtained by the Indian Agent from the Cochrane Dunlop Hardware Company, Sudbury, Ont. The roofing and siding are available immediately. The wallboard for the interior is out of stock for the past 6 weeks and may not be available for another month from this firm.

While the material should be trucked to the above address, the account should be forwarded to J. A. Marleau, Indian Agent, Sturgeon Falls, Ont.

Blue ship mailed Dec 13/45

I hereby certify that I have personal knowledge that all the above articles are required in the Department and for Departmental purposes only. The expenditure required by this requisition is strictly unavoidable and the public interest will suffer if it is not made.

SIGNED—

APPROVED—

(SEE OTHER SIDE)

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Ottawa, October 31, 1945.

Mr. J. A. Marleau, Indian Agent,
Sturgeon Falls, Ont.

With reference to your letter of the 23rd instant, I am requesting the Purchasing Branch to secure the materials required for repairing the Whitefish Lake School. I understand from your letter that the total cost of material and labour will be approximately \$500.00 instead of the \$400.00 mentioned in my letter of September 15.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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ISS REPLY TO
PURCHASING DIVISION

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DEPARTMENT
OF
MINES AND RESOURCES
GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE 61249-15-3
Ont.

OTTAWA November 12, 1945.

Memorandum

Indian Affairs Branch

Re building material for Whitefish Lake (R.C.)
Indian Day School (I.A.B. FILE 19-8-5)

Please find herewith tender from Laberge Lumber Co. Limited, Subdury, Ont., on the above. The prices quoted by this firm are lower than those of Cochrane Dunlop Hardware Company, indicated on the requisition, but before placing order with the former, will you please advise if the product offered by Laberge Lumber Co. Limited, is satisfactory to Indian Agent Marleau.

Please return tender with your reply.

H. J. DAVIDSON
Departmental Purchasing Agent.

WMV/HC

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EXD.
Ottawa, November 14th, 1945.

Mr. J.A. Marleau, Indian Agent, Sturgeon Falls, Ontario.

We have received a memorandum re building material for the Whitefish Lake R.C. Indian Day School. I am sending you a copy of this memorandum which is self-explanatory.

An early reply would be appreciated.

A.J. Doucet,
Training Division.

Encl:

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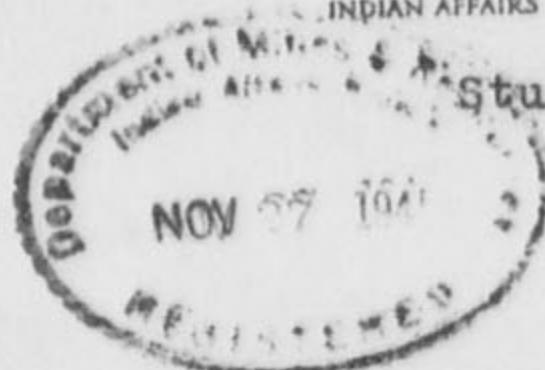


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OF
MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE 19-8-5

Sturgeon Falls, November 24th, 1945



Indian Affairs Branch, Dept. of Mines & Resources, Ottawa.

I have to advise you that the memorandum re building material for the Whitefish Indian Day School was not attached to your letter of November 14th.

At the time of my requisition to the Department, the Laberge Lumber Company could not supply the material, consequently, I would have to see the memorandum in order to know what product the purchasing agent could get.

Sorry for the delay, I have been absent for the past 12 days.

J. A. Marleau
J. A. Marleau,
Indian Agent.

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19-3-5

Ottawa, November 28, 1945.

Mr. J.A. Marleau, Indian Agent, Sturgeon Falls, Ont.,

With reference to your letter of the 24th instant, I regret that the copy of the memorandum to which we referred did not accompany our letter. I enclose memorandum together with the quotation received by the Purchasing Branch. Please let me have your opinion in this matter. When replying you should return the enclosed memorandum and request for quotation.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

Encl:

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE 19-8-5

Sturgeon Falls, December 3rd, 1945

Indian Affairs Branch, Dept. of Mines & Resources, Ottawa.

In reply to your letter of November 28th with memorandum from Purchasing Branch. At the time my estimate was forwarded to Department, the Laberge Lumber Company did not have the brick siding nor shingles.

I would ask you to consider the roofing. My quotation called for shingles, weight 210 lbs., price \$7.04. These I believe would make a more permanent finish than the paper and can now be supplied by the Laberge Company.

The other items are satisfactory and I would be greatly obliged if the order can be placed shortly. I would like to have the interior of school fixed during Christmas vacation.

J. A. Marleau
J. A. Marleau,
Indian Agent.

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File: 19-8-5

Ottawa, 5th December, 1945.

Memorandum:

DEPARTMENTAL PURCHASING AGENT

I desire to refer to our requisition of October 31st and your memorandum of November 12th with reference to building material for the Whitefish Indian Day School.

The following reply has been received from Indian Agent Marleau:

"In reply to your letter of November 28th with memorandum from Purchasing Branch. At the time my estimate was forwarded to Department, the Laberge Lumber Company did not have the brick siding nor shingles.

I would ask you to consider the roofing. My quotation called for shingles, weight 210 lbs., price \$7.04. These I believe would make a more permanent finish than the paper and can now be supplied by the Laberge Company.

The other items are satisfactory and I would be greatly obliged if the order can be placed shortly. I would like to have the interior of school fixed during the Christmas vacation."

You will note that he expresses a preference for the roofing requested on our requisition. I attach the tender from Laberge Lumber Company.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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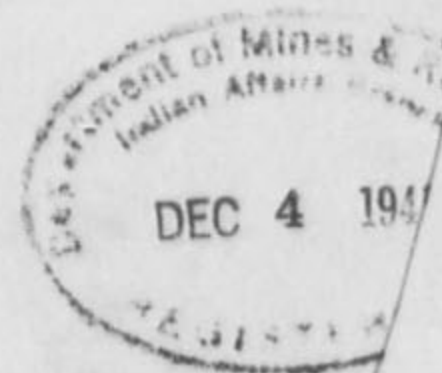
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Sturgeon Falls, December 3rd, 1945

Indian Affairs Branch, Dept. of Mines & Resources, Ottawa.

\$5⁶⁰
The Laberge Lumber Company, Sudbury,
has advised me that they have not been paid for
Voucher No. 130, forwarded to the department
September 8th, 1945.

11/9/45 Will you please inform me if this voucher
has reached your office.

J. A. Marleau
J. A. Marleau,
Indian Agent.



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GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES

OTTAWA December 5, 1945.

Memorandum

Indian Affairs Branch

Attention of Mr. P. Phelan

Will you please advise as to what further action, if any, you wish us to take regarding the following:-

- // (a) Building material for Whitefish Lake
R.C. Indian Day School. I.A.B. file 19-8-5.
Our memo. 12/11/45.
- (b) Kitchen range for Holy Angels Indian Residential
School. Req. 12/10/45. I.A.B. File 134-1-5.
Placing of order withheld pending your advice
re charging and delivery.

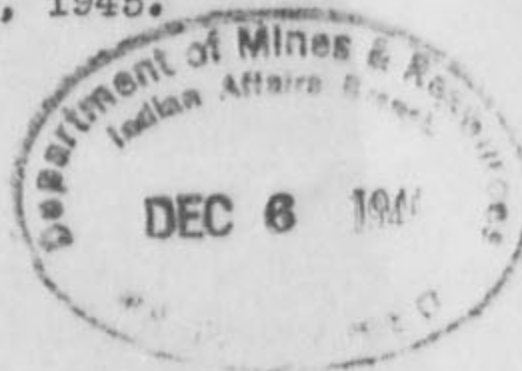
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Departmental Purchasing Agent.

WMV/HC

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file 134-1-5
PLEASE QUOTE
FILE 15-3 Ont.



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File: 19-8-5

Ottawa, 8th December, 1945.

Mr. J.A. Marleau, Indian Agent, Sturgeon Falls, Ont.

I have your letter of the 3rd instant with reference to your Voucher No. 130 issued in favour of the Laberge Lumber Company.

Our Records Branch advise that this Voucher was received but we have checked our files and cannot find it. Under the circumstances, it will be necessary for you to forward another voucher.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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Form 6102B

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FULL-RATE MESSAGE	☒
DAY LETTER	☐
NIGHT MESSAGE	☐
NIGHT LETTER	☐

PATRONS SHOULD MARK AN X OPPOSITE THE CLASS OF SERVICE DESIRED. OTHERWISE THE MESSAGE WILL BE TRANSMITTED AS A FULL-RATE TELEGRAM

RECEIVER'S NO.	TIME FILED	CHECK
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Send the following message, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to
Veuillez expédier la dépêche suivante aux conditions mentionnées au verso auxquelles je consens par les présentes

Ottawa, December 22, 1945.

Cochrane Dunlop Hardware Co. Ltd.,
Sudbury, Ont.

Cancel item one purchase order seven three fifteen. Writing.

H.J. Davidson
Departmental Purchasing Agent
Mines & Resources Dept.

Charge Indian Affairs Br.
I.A.B.

Ref 19-8-5

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

FORM No. I.A. 506A

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE No.....

DATE.....

Pay to..... The Laberge Lumber Co. Ltd.,Address..... Sudbury,..... Ontario.

DATE	SERVICE	AMOUNT
Sept. 4	To 2 qts, Blackboard slating required for the Whitefish Lake School, as per statement attached.	\$2.60
	COPY of Voucher No. 130, forwarded Sept. 8, 1945	
	447-76-12-46	
	4 Jan 46	
	447-76-12-46	
	4 Jan 46	

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada. This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter, File No. 19-8-5 dated Dec. 8th, 1945

VOUCHER No. ~~241x~~
130DATE Dec. 31st, 1945 Indian AgentIndian Affairs. School Files.
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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES PURCHASE ORDER

NO. 7057
THIS ORDER NO. TO APPEAR ON
ALL PACKAGES AND INVOICES.

OTTAWA Dec. 6/45

FILE NO. 61249-15-3
Ont.

TO Cochrane Dunlop Hardware Co. Ltd.,
Sudbury, Ont.

19-8-5

PLEASE FURNISH THE FOLLOWING MATERIALS AND CHARGE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES.

SHIP TO J.A.Marleau, Indian Agent, Whitefish, Ont.

F.O.B. Sudbury, Ont.

QUOTATION OF to Indian Agent

RENDER A SEPARATE INVOICE FOR EACH ORDER AND SEND 4 COPIES AFTER SHIPMENT

TO J.A.Marleau, Indian Agent, Sturgeon Falls, Ont.

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	UNIT	TOTAL
14	Squares roofing 210 lbs. per sq.	\$7.04	\$98.56
PREPAY TRANSPORTATION CHARGES TO Whitefish, Ont. AND FORWARD RECEIVED VOUCHER WITH INVOICES.			
DEC 11 1945			
WMV/HC V.R. 265 Passed 20/10/46			

VOTE	PRIMARY	OBJECT	ENCUMB. NO.
98	10	691	1350

CERTIFIED IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 29
OF THE CONSOLIDATED REVENUE AND AUDIT
ACT 1931.

DELIVERY REQUIRED BY
Before 22nd instant, if possible.

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FOR COMPTROLLER OF THE TREASURY.

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PURCHASING AGENT

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SAULT STE. MARIE NORTH BAY FORT WILLIAM SUDBURY TORONTO GERALDTON COPPER CLIFF HUDSON

COCHRANE-DUNLOP HARDWARE LIMITED
WHOLESALE HARDWARE

DEPARTMENT OF MINES & RESOURCES,
MR. J. A. MARLEAU,
STURGEON FALLS, ONT.

ORDER NO. B 5187
YOUR ORDER NO. 7057
TERMS 2-30

INVOICE NO. 6458-W
INVOICE DATE SUDBURY JAN. 4-46
SHIPPED VIA BRUNETRUCK
F. O. B.

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	PRICE	GROSS	NET TOTAL
X 14 SQS	RED SHINGLES	7 04 SQ		98 56
X 28 LBS	ROOFING NAILS FOR ABOVE	8 31 CF		2 33
				100 89

SALES TAX NOT INCLUDED

COPELAND-CHATTERSON LIMITED, BRAMPTON, ONT. — 29320-B-44

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

FORM

TREASURY ON

CHEQUE No.

DATE

Pay to Cochrane-Dunlop Hardware Limited,

Address Sudbury,

Ontario

DATE	SERVICE	AMOUNT
Jan. 4	To material for repairing Whitefish Lake Indian School, as per statement attached:	
	14 sqs. red shingles at \$7.04	\$98.56
	28 lbs roofing nails	2.33
		\$100.89

447-76-10-691
TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE
21 Jan 46
voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant to pay
PO 705-7
EX. 1350

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada. This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter, File No. 19-8-5 dated Oct. 31, 1945

VOUCHER No. 265

DATE January 15th, 1946 Indian Agent

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Put VR through as
 14 sq of roofing on P.O. 7057
 28 ply Brick Siding on P.O. 7056
 2000 sq ft Ten Test on P.O. 7315

NO. 7315
 THIS ORDER NO. TO APPEAR ON
 ALL PACKAGES AND INVOICES.

LE NO. 61849-15-3
 Ont.
 19-8-5.

RESOURCES.

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	UNIT	TOTAL
14	Squares Roofing, 210 lb. weight	per sq.	7.04
2000	sq. ft. S.M. Ten Test or Denna-sona Board	per M.	50.00
			100.00
			\$198.56

PREPAY TRANSPORTATION CHARGES
 Sturgeon Falls, Ont.
 TO.....
 AND FORWARD RECEIPTED VOUCHER
 WITH INVOICES.

DEC 20 1945
 REGISTERED

See 7057

Passed.
 8 Mar 46

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VOTE	PRIMARY	OBJECT	ENCUMB. NO.
76	10	691	1392.

DELIVERY REQUIRED BY
 Earliest possible date.

CERTIFIED IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 25
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 ACT 1931.

FOR COMPTROLLER OF THE TREASURY.

PURCHASING AGENT

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES PURCHASE ORDER

NO. 7315
THIS ORDER NO. TO APPEAR ON
ALL PACKAGES AND INVOICES.

OTTAWA Dec. 17/45

FILE NO. 61249-15-3
Ont.
19-8-5.

TO Cochrane Dunlop Hardware Co.,
Sudbury, Ont.

Schools

PLEASE FURNISH THE FOLLOWING MATERIALS AND CHARGE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES.
SHIP TO J.A. Marleau, Indian Agent, Whitefish, Ont.

F.O.B. Sudbury, Ont.

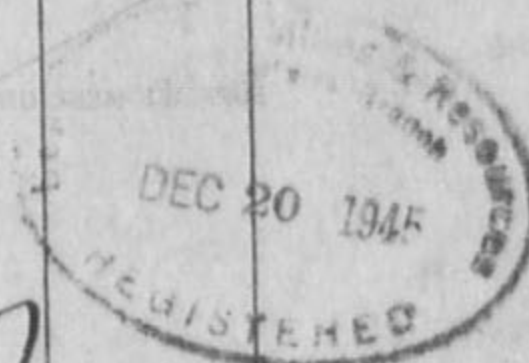
QUOTATION OF to Indian Agent

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COPIES AFTER SHIPMENT

TO J.A. Marleau, Indian Agent, Sturgeon Falls, Ont.

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	UNIT	TOTAL
14	Square Roofing, 210 lb. weight	per sq.	7.04
2000	sq. ft. S.M. Ten Test or Donnacona Board	per M.	50.00
			100.00
			\$198.56
PREPAY TRANSPORTATION CHARGES Sturgeon Falls, Ont. TO AND FORWARD RECEIPTED VOUCHER WITH INVOICES.			



See 7057

Passed - 8 Mar 46

WMV/EC

VOTE	PRIMARY	OBJECT	ENCUMB. NO.
76	10	691	1392.

DELIVERY REQUIRED BY

Earliest possible date.

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FORT WILLIAM GERALDTON COPPER CLIFF HUDSON

DOCHRANE-DUNLOP HARDWARE LIMITED
WHOLESALE HARDWARE

DEPT. MINES & RESOURCES

~~C/O MR. COOPER~~

~~7 CEDAR ST.~~

~~CITY.~~

C/o Mr. J.A. Marleau,
Indian Agent,
Sturgeon Falls, Ont.

ORDER NO. B 12036
YOUR ORDER NO. 7315
TERMS 2-30

INVOICE NO. 3893 W
INVOICE DATE FEB. 5-46 SUDBURY, ONT.
SHIPPED VIA J. MCLEAN WHITE FISH, ONT.
F.O.B. SUDBURY.

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	PRICE	GROSS	NET TOTAL
X 2000 SQ. FT. 4 X 10 X 1/2	DONNA- CONA BOARD		50.00 MSQ.	100.00
X SALES TAX EXEMPT.				

COPELAND-CHATTERSON LIMITED, BRAMPTON, ONT. — 33645-15

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CHEQUE No.....

DATE.....

Pay to.....**Cochrane-Dunlop Hardware Limited.**.....

Address **Sudbury, Ontario.**

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 Teacher in duplicate
 for Accountant to pay.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada. This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter, File No. 61249-A-3, dated Dec 17/45. *J. Maclean*

VOUCHER No. 279

DATE February 27, 1946.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES PURCHASE ORDER

NO. 7056
THIS ORDER NO. TO APPEAR ON
ALL PACKAGES AND INVOICES.

OTTAWA Dec. 6/45

FILE NO. 61249-15-3
Ont.

TO Laberge Lumber Co. Ltd.,
Sudbury, Ont.

PLEASE FURNISH THE FOLLOWING MATERIALS AND CHARGE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES.

SHIP TO J.A. Marleau, Indian Agent, Whitefish, Ont.

F.O.B. Sudbury, Ont.

QUOTATION OF 8/11/45

RENDER A SEPARATE INVOICE FOR EACH ORDER AND SEND 4 COPIES AFTER SHIPMENT

TO J.A. Marleau, Indian Agent, Sturgeon Falls, Ont.

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	UNIT	TOTAL
28	(Bundles) Pkgs. Brick Siding, 22x11x about 11 1/2" x 10 1/8", 2 bundles per square E.P. Insul Bric, 175 lbs. per square	10.08	\$141.12
2000	sq. ft. Surface Measure Insul-Bric	49.00	98.00
			\$239.12

Whitefish, Ont.

*Cancelled
See memo
of P.D.*

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PRIMARY	OBJECT	ENCUMB. NO.
76	10	691
		1350

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Before 22nd instant, if possible.

FOR COMPTROLLER OF THE TREASURY.

PURCHASING AGENT

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19-8-5

Ottawa, March 21, 1946.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

Re: Purchase Order No. 7056.

Please cancel this purchase order, as
the siding and insul-bris have not been secured from
the Laberge Lumber Company, Sudbury, Ont.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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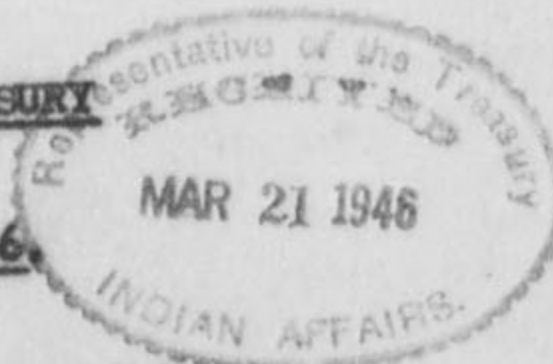
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Ottawa, September 10, 1946.

Memorandum:

DEPARTMENTAL PURCHASING AGENT

On December 6, 1945, you issued purchase order No. 7056 (your File No. 61249-15-3 Ont.) to the Laberge Lumber Company, Limited, for brick siding, etc., for the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School. It was not possible to secure this material before the end of March, 1946, and consequently the purchase order was cancelled.

Recently the Laberge Lumber Company had the material and the Indian Agent secured it. The attached account is therefore forwarded to you, so that you may issue a new purchase order. The coding is as follows:-
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Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Encl.

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THE LABERGE LUMBER COMPANY LIMITED

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SUDBURY, ONTARIO

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SHIPPED TO

Department of Resources,
Indian Affairs,
c/o Mr. J.A. Marleau,
STURGEON FALLS, Ont.

Lake Kenage.

DATE OF INVOICE	OUR ORDER NO.	YOUR ORDER NO.	TERMS	INVOICE NO.
Aug. 30 '46	21231A		Net 30 Days.	64032

1	Out. door Set AG7590			4.00	
1 1/2	pr. Steel Butts & Screws - 4 x 4			.60	
1	Door 2/10 x 6/10 x 1 1/2 #136 gl.			<u>13.15</u>	17.75
ORDER #22054A					
2	Thimble 4 x 7	.35		.70	
2	lbs. 3" C. Nails			.15	
2	lbs. 3 1/2" C. Nails			<u>.15</u>	1.00
ORDER #22101A					
4	O/sash 6 lts. 8 x 10 lts D.D. glass	2.19		8.76	
4	pr. 3 x 3 Plated Butts #F	.42		<u>1.68</u>	
					<u>10.44</u>
					29.19

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

TREASURY ONLY

Cheque No.

DATE.....

Pay to Laberge Lumber Company, Ltd.,

Address..... **Lake Penage.**.....

Whitefish, Ontario.

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TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE
One has 2 duplicates detached
For ATTORNEY GENERAL

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada. This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter, File No. 61249-15-1 dated Dec. 17, 1945 *L. Maclean*

VOUCHER No. 129.....

DATE Sept. 10, 1946.

Indian Agent

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Tel. 297-J

Box 457

Sturgeon Falls, Ont., *Sept 3 1946*

M. A. Drouin, Indian Agent
For White Fish River

En compte avec - In account with

A. J. LAPENSÉE

MACON :: STONE MASON

Aug	30	9 hrs @ 125	11 25
"	31	7 " " "	8 75
Aug	30	R. May in Belton	
		9 hrs @ 65	5 85
"	31	7 " " "	4 55
		1 bag cement	80
		1 bag lime	100
			<u>\$ 32.20</u>

A. J. Lapensée

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CHEQUE No.....

DATE.....

Pay to A. J. Lapensee.....

Address.....Sturgeon Falls,
Ontario.

DUPLICATE FOR FILE 12
6/19/76
Issued in duplicate detached
for Accountant to pay.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada. This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter, File No. dated

VOUCHER No. 133

DATE September 10, 1946.

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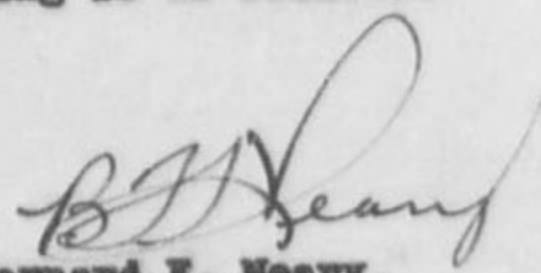
Ottawa, September 10, 1946.

Memorandum:

DEPARTMENTAL PURCHASING AGENT

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Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Encl.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES PURCHASE ORDER

NO. 13460
THIS ORDER NO. TO APPEAR ON
ALL PACKAGES AND INVOICES.

OTTAWA Sept. 13/46 FILE NO. 61249-15-3
Ont.

TO Laberge Lumber Co. Ltd.,
Sudbury, Ont.

PLEASE FURNISH THE FOLLOWING MATERIALS AND CHARGE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES.

SHIP TO. Already received

F.O.B. QUOTATION OF

RENDER A SEPARATE INVOICE FOR EACH ORDER AND SEND COPIES AFTER SHIPMENT

TO Already received

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	UNIT	TOTAL
	Purchased by Indian Agent Marleau for repairing Whitefish Lake Indian Day School		
28	Bdles Insul Bric Siding 14 sq. Jasper Black	10.08	\$141.12
1/2	Gal. special cement		1.50
22	lbs. Nails		9.90
			\$152.52

*V.R. 123-152-52
passed 17/9/46*

WMV/HC

VOTE	PRIMARY	OBJECT	ENCUMB. NO.
76	10	691	1006

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FOR COMPTROLLER OF THE TREASURY.

PURCHASING AGENT

TO BE RETURNED TO HEAD OF BRANCH

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THE LABERGE LUMBER COMPANY LIMITED

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SUDBURY, ONTARIO

SOLD TO

Department of Mines & Resources,
Purchasing Agent,
Ottawa, Ontario.

SHIPPED TO

Mr. J. A. Marleau,
Indian Agent,
Whitefish, Ont.,

DATE OF INVOICE
Aug. 14 '46

OUR ORDER NO.
83126

YOUR ORDER NO.
7056

TERMS
Net 30 Days

INVOICE NO.
62776

28

Bdles. Insul Bric Siding 14 sq.
Jasper Black
whatever colour we have in sufficient
stock Jasper Black,
Gal special cement
lbs. Nails

10.08

141.12

1
22

1.50
9.90

152.52

Nails and cement ordered separately by Mr. J. A. Marleau

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TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE No.....

DATE.....

Pay to.....**Laberge Lumber Company, Ltd.,**.....

Address..... **Sudbury,**

Ontario.....

TRIPPLICATE FOR FILE
1769/46
ORIGINAL & duplicate detached
for ACCOUNTANT TO GOV.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada. This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter, File No. 61249-15, dated Dec. 17, 1945

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DATE Sept. 5, 1946. Indian

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COCHRANE-DUNLOP HARDWARE LIMITED

WHOLESALE HARDWARE

DEPT OF MINE & RESOURCES
C/O J.A. MARLEAU
INDIAN AGENT
STURGEON FALLS, ONT.

ORDER No.
YOUR ORDER No.
TERMS

532807
R BRUNNE
2/30

INVOICE No.
INVOICE DATE
SHIPPED VIA
F. O. B.

5220
SUDBURY SEP 25/46
WHITEFISH AUG 14/46
SUDBURY

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	PRICE	GROSS	NET TOTAL
X25 LBS	1 1/2" X 13 BOT GYPROC NAILS	10 30 04		2 58
X SALES TAX EXEMPT				

COPELAND-CHATTERSON LIMITED, BRAMPTON, ONT. --33648-46

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CHEQUE No.

DATE _____

Pay to.....Cochrane-Dunlop Hardware, Ltd.,

Address.....Sudbury, Ontario.

2/19/46
 Duplicate for
 further in duplicate destination
 for Accountant to pay.

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VOUCHER No. 137

DATE _____

Sept. 25, 1946.

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Agent

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WHOLESALE HARDWARE

DEPT OF MINES & RESOURCES
C/O MR. JA MARLEAU
STURGEON FALLS
ONT.

ORDER No. C 134727
YOUR ORDER No.
TERMS 2/30

INVOICE No. 4158
INVOICE DATE SYDHYRT JAN 3 47
SHIPPED VIA BUS PPD GEMMELL
F. O. B. SUDBURY

QUANTITY		DESCRIPTION	PRICE	GROSS	NET TOTAL
X8	QTS	DARK OAK WOODLAC	1 22	QT	9 76
X2	"	WHITE ENAMEL	1 26	"	2 52
X1	"	RED PAINT	98	"	98
X1	"	SPAR VARNISH	1 00	"	1 00
X1	"	BLACKBOARD SLATING	1 09	"	1 09
					15 35

X SALES TAX EXEMPT

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CHEQUE No.....

DATE.....

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Address..... Sudbury, Ontario.

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Verbal Authority from Col. B.F. Neary,
in Toronto, December 19, 1946.

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VOUCHER No. 227

DATE January 8, 1947. Indian Agent

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Requisition for School Material

Date 1 May 21 1921

For Whitefish Lake ^{Res.} School Sturgeon Falls Agency

NOTE:—

To avoid delay, teachers should give full particulars regarding each article required.

The name, series, number of grade, and name of author and publisher of all books required should be given as fully as possible.

When ordering kindergarten material, the catalogue number of some well known firm should be given for each article required.

Only one item should be specified on each line of this requisition and no entry should be made under heading "Number Authorized".

ARTICLES	NUMBER ON HAND	DATE OF LAST RECEIPT	NUMBER REQUIRED	NUMBER AUTHORIZED	REMARKS
towels face	0	7 years ago	4 pr		
tea towels	0	1940	2 pr		
drinking cups		?	1 doz		
pencil sharpener	0	?	1		
brooms		Sept 1946	4		
dust pan	0	?	1		
dust mops	0		2		
1 - gal veratish stain		Jan 1947	2 gal		
tablecloth white for table	0		2 yds		
1 clock	0	?	1		
horologlobe lamp	0	?	1		

N.B.—Explicit information regarding address must be furnished.

Name *Mrs M. Pettigrew*
School *Lake Penne*
Post Office (nearest) *Whitfish, Ont.*
Express Office (nearest) *Whitfish*
Province *Ont.*

Mrs M. Pittegrove
Teacher

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have examined this requisition, and that the articles asked for by the teacher are necessary and are such as are in use in the Provincial Schools.

J. M. Mullan
Indian Agent

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R. 1137

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Requisition for School Material

Date May 21 19 71

For Whitefish Lake Res. School Sturgeon Falls Agency
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ARTICLES	NUMBER ON HAND	DATE OF LAST RECEIPT	NUMBER REQUIRED	NUMBER AUTHORIZED	REMARKS
face towels	0	7.1940	4 pr		
tea towels	0	1940	2 pr		
drinking cups	17	?	1 doz		
pencil sharpeners	0	?	1		
brushes	—	Sept. 1946	4		
dust pan	1	?	2		
dust cups	0	?	1 R		
1 gal. w. nish stain	—	Jan. 1947	2 gal.		
pile cloth white for table	0	-	2 yds.		
1 clock	0	=	1		
1 wood globe large	0	=	1		

N.B.—Explicit information regarding address must be furnished.

Name..... Mrs. M. Petaligroose
School..... Lake Penash
Post Office (nearest)..... Whitefish
Express Office (nearest)..... Whitefish
Province..... Ont.

Mrs M. Petallegrose
Teacher

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have examined this requisition, and that the articles asked for by the teacher are necessary and are such as are in use in the Provincial Schools.

A. Marsden
Indian Agent

FORM No. I.A. 413
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Requisition for School Material

19-8-5

Date May 27 19 47

For Whitefish Lake Res. School Sturgeon Falls Agency

NOTE:-

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The name, series, number of grade, and name of author and publisher of all books required should be given as fully as possible.

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ARTICLES	NUMBER ON HAND	DATE OF LAST RECEIPT	NUMBER REQUIRED	NUMBER AUTHORIZED	REMARKS
four towels	0	1934	4 pr		
tea towels	0	?	2 pr		
drinking cups	12	?	1 doz		
pencil sharpeners	0	?	1 doz		
brooms	1	Sept. 1946	4		
dust pan	0	?	1		
dust mops	0	?	2 1		
12 gal varnish stain		Jan. 1947	2 gal		
oilcloth white table			2 yds		
1 clock (ordinary alarm)			1		
1 saw blade large			1		

N.B.—Explicit information regarding address must be furnished.

Name Mrs M. P. Rattigan

School Lake Umbagog

Post Office (nearest) Whitefish

Express Office (nearest) Whitefish

Province Ont.

Mrs M. P. Rattigan
Teacher

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have examined this requisition, and that the articles asked for by the teacher are necessary and are such as are in use in the Provincial Schools.

J. M. Maclean
Indian Agent

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R. 1127

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19-8-5 (WT 4)

~~EXD.~~

Ottawa, June 7th, 1947.

Mr. J.A. Marleau, Indian Agent,
Sturgeon Falls, Ontario.

We are in receipt of requisition for supplies
for the Whitefish Lake Indian Day School, dated
May 27th.

You are authorized to make local purchase of
the following articles,-

- 4 pr. Face Towels
- 2 pr. Tea Towels
- 1 doz. Drinking Cups
- 4 Brooms
- 1 Dust Pan
- 1 Dust Mop
- 1 gal. Varnish Stain
- 2 yds. White Oilcloth
- 1 ordinary Alarm Clock.

Our stationery office is being requested to
forward the pencil sharpener and the globe.

[Signature]
Bernard F. Neary
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

AJD/MGD

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SAULT STE MARIE NORTH BAY
FORT WILLIAM

SUDBURY
COPPER CLIFF HUDSON
GERALDTON

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Dept. of Mines & Resources,
Indians Affairs Branch,
c/o J. A. Marleau, Agent,
STURGEON FALLS, Ontario.

SHIP TO
North Bay, Ontario.
Mrs. Mary Petchégoose
Lake Penage,
Whitefish, Ont.

INVOICE DATE INVOICE NO.
Sept. 4, 47 19987

ORDER
NUMBER

135742

YOUR ORDER NO.

TERMS

SHIPPED VIA

CPR frt. coll.

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	PRICE	GROSS	NET TOTAL
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3 only	brooms No. 4	1.19 ea.		3.57
1 only	dust pan	.28 ea.		.28
7 only	drinking cups	.12 ea.		.84
4 only	Qts. light oak woodlne stain *	1.52 qt.		6.08
				10.77

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B. 3187

TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE No.

DATE

Pay to.....Cochrane & Dunlop Hardware Ltd.,
Address.....North Bay, Ontario.

EX'D.

DATE	SERVICE	AMOUNT
Sept. 8	To articles purchased for use in Whitefish Lake school, as per statement attached.....	10.77

Training Division
SEP 15 1947
TB
Indian Affairs Br.

Department of Mines & Technical Surveys
Indian Affairs Branch
SEP 9 1947

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada. This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter, File No. 19-8-5 (M.C.A.) June 7/47

September 8 1947 Indian Agent

VOUCHER No.....200.....

DATE September 8, 1947 Indian Agent

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Form No. I.A. 506A
R. 3187

TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE No.

DATE

Pay to Mrs. Paul Retahtegoose H.X.D.
Address Lake Penage, Whitefish, Ontario.

[illegible]

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada. This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter, File No. 19-8-5 (WT-4) dated June 7/47

A. J. [Signature]
Indian Agent

VOUCHER No.....226.....

DATE October 14, 1947 Indian Agent

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DEPARTMENT
OF
MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE _____

19-8-5

Sturgeon Falls, Oct. 14, 1947.

Indian Affairs Branch, Department of Mines & Resources, Ottawa.

I am enclosing herewith, Return of
Labour Forms for building verandah, and steps, on
the Whitefish Lake School, cutting a new door,
making casings, and applying brick siding to the
exterior of the building.

They have made an excellent job, at
a very small cost.

Will you kindly send cheque to me, for
the payment of same.

JAM/JNM

[Handwritten signature: J. A. Marleau]
J. A. Marleau,
INDIAN AGENT.



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MEMORANDUM

Miss Dean

1. Make out a requisition for cheque in favour of Agent Marleau as an advance for Repairs to Whitefish Lake Indian Day School 447-516.10.691
2. Write Marleau, returning the two forms 1A.702, tell him an advance cheque for \$1.50 is being forwarded under separate covers. That he should pay the men, have them sign the labour form and return them together with a Credit Voucher accounting for the \$1.50.

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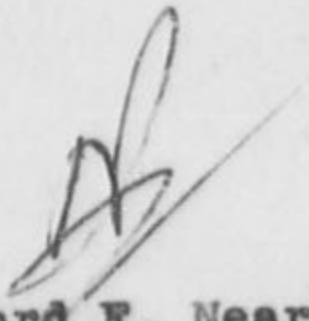
Ottawa, October 17, 1947.

Mr. J.A. Marleau, Indian Agent,
Sturgeon Falls, Ontario.

Whitefish Lake Indian Day School

We are in receipt of your letter of the 14th instant with reference to the building of the verandah, steps, etc., at the above mentioned school.

Return of Labour forms which you enclosed with your letter are being returned herewith. We are arranging to have an accountable advance of \$71.50 sent to you under separate cover. From this amount you can pay the men who did this work. Please have them sign the return of labour forms and return them together with a credit voucher accounting for the \$71.50.


Bernard F. Neary
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

BFN/MGD

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REQUISITION FOR CHEQUE

TO BE USED FOR ADVANCES OR AUTHORIZED PAYMENTS FOR WHICH THERE ARE NO ACCOUNTS

C.T. 17A
100,000-5-46

DEPARTMENT **Mines and Resources**
BRANCH **Indian Affairs** DATE **October 17, 1947.**

DEPT. NO.
FILE NO. **19-8-5**
TREAS. NO.

APPLICATION IS HEREBY MADE FOR THE ISSUE OF THE FOLLOWING CHEQUE OR CHEQUES:-

CHEQUE No.	IN FAVOUR OF	AMOUNT
	Sturgeon Falls Indian Agency Trust Account-- Send cheque to: Mr. J.A. Marleau, Indian Agent, Sturgeon Falls, Ont.	\$71.50

STATE BELOW, WITH DETAILS IN EVERY CASE, WHETHER (a) STANDING ADVANCE, (b) ADVANCE FOR SPECIFIC JOURNEY-- ESTIMATING NUMBER OF DAYS, (c) OTHER ACCOUNTABLE ADVANCE, OR (d) AUTHORIZED PAYMENT.

Accountable advance to cover labour in connection
with repairs to the Whitefish Lake Indian Day
School No. 447

CHARGE TO { VOTE **516** ENC. No.
ALLOTMENT **10-691**
SUB-ALLOTMENT

I CERTIFY THAT THIS APPLICATION IS MADE UNDER THE REQUISITE AUTHORITY, AND THAT THE EXPENDITURE IS NECESSARY IN THE INTERESTS OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

TREASURY OFFICE APPROVAL

HEAD OF BRANCH

DEPUTY HEAD

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RETURN OF LABOUR on the School on Whitfish Lake Reserve.

for week ending

July & August 1940.

NAMES	Nature of Employment or Trade Number of Horses	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat	TOTAL	PRICE PER DAY	AMOUNT OF WAGES	RECEIVED PAYMENT	WITNESS
Paul Peabody	Pittenger Road							26	50¢	13 00		
Stanley Kibby	Birdsberg							20		10 00		
Leon Shubert	Hansen							49		24 50		
Rene Demareuil	son,							48		24 00		
This work was carried on after supper during the summer months as it was impossible to get a man to work at this activity. These men did this work as overtime with being strictly employed during the day. And it is impossible to find to fulfill the from a indicated along the top.										71 50		

Cheque No. 2270386

Balance

Paul Peabody FOREMAN

Vote..... Agency.....

Allotment..... E.R.....

Payment Approved.....

I hereby certify that the services have been performed, materials supplied and prices are fair and just.

J. A. Maclean

AGENT

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

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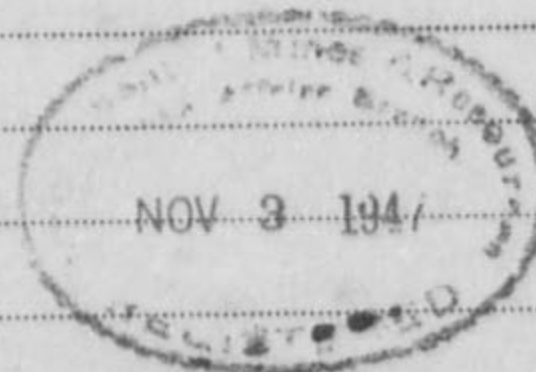
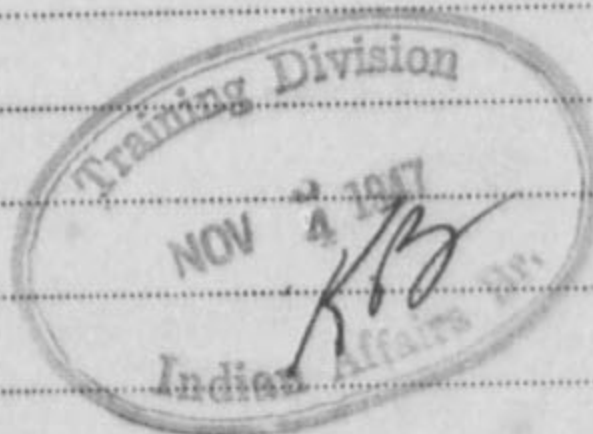
CHEQUE No.....

DATE.....

Pay to.....

Address Sturgeon Falls, Indian Agency.

DATE	SERVICE	AMOUNT
	LABOUR ON WHITEFISH LAKE SCHOOL E.V.D.	
	Authority, 19-85 (WT)	
	CREDIT VOUCHER	
Oct. 27	Received cheque B.22 T 038386	71.50
	Paylist Attached.....71.50	
	71.50	71.50



I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada. This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter, File No.....dated.....

VOUCHER No.....236

DATE

October 31, 1947

Agent

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RICHAUD & LEVESQUE

**LTEE
LTD.**

222-224 rue MAIN St.

STURGEON FALLS, ONT.

A
TO

Mr. J. Albert Marleau
Department of Indian Affairs,
STURGEON FALLS, Ontario.

Interet a 7% apres 30 jours — 7% Interest after 30 days

Nos comptes sont envoyes indistinctement tous les mois — Accounts rendered monthly without distinction

DATE	A MARCHANDISE TO MERCHANDISE	MONTANT DU AMOUNT DUE
Oct. 28th	4 towels	\$ 1.16
	2 yd. linen towelling	.78
	1 clock	2.25
	Tax on clock	<u>.57</u>
	Total	\$ 4.76

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CHEQUE No. 45

DATE.....

Pay to Michaud & Levesque, Ltd.,

Address Sturgeon Falls, Ontario.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada. This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter, File No. 12-8-51 (W.A.) dated June 7, 1947

VOUCHER No. **259**

DATE November 14, 1947 Indian Agent

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Whitefish Lake Indian Day School

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Ottawa, May 27, 1948.

MEMORANDUM TO FILE:

WHITEFISH LAKE (R.C.) INDIAN DAY SCHOOL

I was only able to visit this school on a Sunday and therefore it was not in operation.

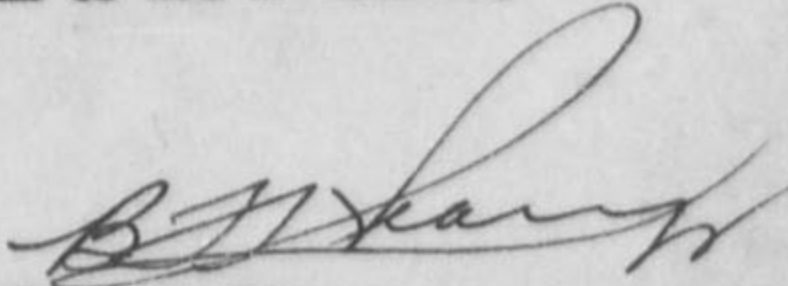
TEACHER

Mrs. Petahtagoose

has a first class certificate and has had 5 years' experience. She seems a bright and capable enough teacher and is definitely interested in her pupils. She has a large family herself and at times seems more interested in her family than in the school. She has made her classroom attractive and is quite keen to learn of new methods and on the whole would seem to be satisfactory. She lives with her husband in a small house near the school.

BUILDING

This is a temporary structure which is gradually being converted into a permanent one. It has now been covered with insul brick and is beginning to look attractive. The inside is covered with Ten Test and is in need of a coat of paint in order to help brighten the inside. Mr. Marleau is planning small teacher's quarters and cloak-room for the back of the building. As the structure has no basement or furnace it departs greatly from our standard plan. However, it will serve the needs of these Indians, particularly in view of the fact that the mill has now closed down. Therefore there is a possibility that some of these Indians or all of them may move away.


Bernard F. Neary

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① Records
② E.H.

NOTE:—

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ARTICLES	NUMBER ON HAND	DATE OF LAST RECEIPT	NUMBER REQUIRED	NUMBER AUTHORIZED	REMARKS
Single desks + seats large size			13		
about 20' covered on #4			WT. 13/7/8		
#4 ✓					

N.B.—Explicit information regarding address must be furnished.

Name..... Mrs. J. Pettigrew
School..... Lakeview Whitefish Lake Reserve
Post Office (nearest)..... Whitefish, Ont.
Express Office (nearest)..... Whitefish
Province..... Ont.

Mrs Paul Pettigrove
Teacher

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have examined this requisition, and that the articles asked for by the teacher are necessary and are such as are in use in the Provincial Schools.

A. A. Moxley
Indian Agent

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

This space for use of Head Office

Requisition No. 832

Order No.

July 16th 19 48

To the Departmental Purchasing Agent, Ottawa, (file: 19-8-5)

PLEASE FURNISH THE FOLLOWING SUPPLIES FOR USE OF

EXH

VOTE 516 ALLOTMENT 12-415 ALLOCATION SYMBOLS

SHIP TO Mrs. Paul Petahtegoose, Teacher, Whitefish Lake R.C. Indian Day School, Lake Penage, Ontario.

Purpose for which required above school

QUANTITY		UNIT PRICE	TOTAL
13	Single chair desks, large.		
	While the desks should be shipped as shown above, the account should be forwarded to Mr. J.A. Marleau, Superintendent, Indian Agency, Sturgeon Falls, Ont.		

P.O. 32659
Yellow copy to Sup. Marleau



I hereby certify that I have personal knowledge that all the above articles are required in the Department and for Departmental purposes only. The expenditure required by this requisition is strictly unavoidable and the public interest will suffer if it is not made.

SIGNED—

APPROVED—

B. F. NEARY
B. F. NEARY

Director

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Whitefish Lake

Acct advance
\$300.00.

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, September 13, 1948.

MEMORANDUM FOR FILE:

Whitefish Lake Indian Day School.

The Department has approved an expenditure of \$600. to add a small teacher's residence at this school. Mr. Marleau is making local purchase of the materials required and will submit vouchers below \$100. in amount.

An accountable advance of \$300. is being sent to pay for the Indian labour for this project at the rate of .65¢ per hour.


Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Indian Education.

BFN/HM.

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REQUISITION FOR CHEQUE

TO BE USED FOR ADVANCES OR AUTHORIZED PAYMENTS FOR WHICH THERE ARE NO ACCOUNTS

DEPT. NO.
FILE NO.
TREAS. NO.
DEPARTMENT MINES & RESOURCES.
BRANCH INDIAN AFFAIRS DATE September 13, 1948.
APPLICATION IS HEREBY MADE FOR THE ISSUE OF THE FOLLOWING CHEQUE OR CHEQUES:-

CHEQUE NO.	IN FAVOUR OF	AMOUNT
111-111	Nipissing Indian Agency Trust Account and send to: Mr. J.A. Marleau, Supt. Indian Agency, Sturgeon Falls, Ontario.	\$ 300. 00

STATE BELOW, WITH DETAILS IN EVERY CASE, WHETHER (a) STANDING ADVANCE, (b) ADVANCE FOR SPECIFIC JOURNEY—ESTIMATING NUMBER OF DAYS, (c) OTHER ACCOUNTABLE ADVANCE, OR (d) AUTHORIZED PAYMENT.

Accountable advance to repair the Whitefish Lake
Indian Day School.

CHARGE TO { VOTE 516 ENC. NO.
ALLOTMENT 10-691
SUB-ALLOTMENT

I CERTIFY THAT THIS APPLICATION IS MADE UNDER THE REQUISITE AUTHORITY, AND THAT THE EXPENDITURE IS NECESSARY IN THE INTERESTS OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

AO

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TREASURY OFFICE APPROVAL

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Indian Affair,
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For Whitefish Lake Shcool,
J.A. Marleau,
STURGEON FALLS, Ont.

DATE OF INVOICE
Sept. 15 '48

OUR ORDER NO.
35827B

YOUR ORDER NO.

TERMS
Net 30 days

INVOICE NO.
7470

7	lbs. Shingle nails		.19	1.33	2.66
7	lbs. gyproc nails		.19	<u>1.33</u>	

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DATE OF INVOICE
Sept 20 '48

OUR ORDER NO.
35883B

YOUR ORDER NO.

TERMS
Net 30 days

INVOICE NO.
7891

1	gal. special cement	2.45	2.45
1	pair plated butts 4 x 4	.88	.88
3	prs. C/R sash 1-3/8 - 24 x 24 - 3/1 P&G	5.73	17.19
40	ln. ft. 1 x 5 3/4 ploughed wind J.B.	10.00	4.00
40	ln. ft. " parting stop	2.40	.96
40	ln. ft. " wind. stop	3.60	1.44
40	ln. ft. " blind stop	3.60	1.44
10	ln. ft. 2 x 8 wind. sill	24.00	2.40
40	ln. ft. 1-3/8 x 3 ins. brick casing	8.50	3.40
1	Door 1 3/4 - 2'10 x 6'10 #130		16.30
1	pc. 1 3/4 x 4 3/4 x 14" door JB)		3.37
1	pc. 1 3/4 x 5 x 3' door JB)		
1	rab. to open outside door)		
1	pine sill 2 x 8 x 3'6"	24.00	.96
1	door set #BT 77591 AY 22		4.75
			59.54

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Mr. J. A. Marleux
STURGEON FALLS, Ontario

Sept 13th 48 35416B

Net 30 days

J. A. Marleux Indian Act

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6 rolls tar felt 15 lbs
1 square asphalt shingles autumn blend
5 lbs 4" com. nails

4.10

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DATE October 2, 1948

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FILE NUMBER 83259-15/38

OTTAWA July 28th, 1948.

SHIP TO

PLEASE FURNISH THE FOLLOWING MATERIALS AND CHARGE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES.

Mrs. Paul Petahtegoose, Teacher, Whitefish Lake, R.C. Indian Day School, Whitefish, Ont., (near Sudbury on C.P.R. Soo Branch)

INVOICE TO

RENDER A SEPARATE INVOICE FOR EACH ORDER AND SEND 4 COPIES AFTER SHIPMENT

J. A. Marleau, Supt., Indian Agency, Sturgeon Falls, Ontario.

F.O.B. Whitefish, Ont.

QUOTATION OF Feb. 4th, 1948.

DELIVERY REQUIRED BY

As soon as possible.

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	UNIT PRICE	TOTAL
FOR: Whitefish Lake R.C. Indian Day School			
13	Movable chair desks, large #1.	16.95	220.35

Yellow copy to Supt Marleau 4.8.48. KB.

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		1198

SECTION 23 OF THE CONSOLIDATED REVENUE AND AUDIT ACT 1931.

FOR COMPTROLLER OF THE TREASURY

W. M. VINCENT
DEPARTMENTAL PURCHASING AGENT

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NO. 32659
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Terms: 30 days net

Your Order No. 32659

Our Order No. 5180

Shipped Via Prt. Ppd.

13 No.1 Model W Chair Desks

16.95

220.35

Fed. sales tax inc.
prepaid

Shipped to:- Mrs. Paul Petahtagoose, Teacher,
Whitefish Lake R.C. Indian Day School,
Whitefish, Ont. (near Sudbury on C.P.R. See Branch)

NO CLAIM ALLOWED UNLESS MADE WITHIN TEN DAYS AFTER RECEIPT OF GOODS

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Letter, File No.....dated.....

DATE October 14, 1948. INDIAN Agent

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STURGEON FALLS, Ontario

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DATE OF INVOICE	OUR ORDER NO.	YOUR ORDER NO.	TERMS	INVOICE NO.
Sept 21/48	36449B		Net 30 days	8017
350	ft. bm. soft floor			38.15

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Letter, File No.....dated.....

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DATE

October 7, 1948

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FILE NUMBER 447-5 VOLUME 3

SUBJECT WHITEFISH LAKE R.C. DAY SCHOOL

BLDGS ACCTS ETC

CORRESPONDENCE FROM JAN 1939
TO OCT 1948

NO FURTHER CORRESPONDENCE
TO BE PLACED ON THIS FILE

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Extract from letter from L. Dugas, S.J., Principal,
Wikwemikong Industrial School, dated July 11, 1913.
original on 38866*/1

Miss Frawley who was at Wikwemikongsing last
year will be the teacher for the day school at Wikwemikong
next year. She is a good teacher and I hope she will give
full satisfaction to the Dept.

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EXD.

Ottawa, July 25, 1913.

Rev. Sir,-

Referring to that portion of your letter of the 11th instant in which you deal with the day school at Wikwemikong next year I beg to say that the appointment of Miss Frawley is approved.

In this connection I may say that the Department has asked once or twice with reference to the building previously used for class-rooms and would like to know if it would be available for day school purposes.

Handwritten:
L. D. M.
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Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEAM

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. L. Dugas, S.J.,
Principal,
Wikwemikong Industrial School,
Wikwemikong, Ont.

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Spanish River Indust. School. Aug. 7 1913

Sir, 431393

In reply to yours of the 25th ult. 430214
I beg to say that the school is available
for day school purposes. The building
needs reparations, the roof is in bad
condition and needs to be repaired at
once.

For other informations regarding that
building address yourself to Father
J. Desautels at Nitrovernikong.

Yours truly
L. H. Lucas s.j.
Principal Spanish River
Indust. school.

The Secy. Dept. of Indian Affairs
Ottawa,



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Ottawa, September 9, 1913.

Rev. Sir,-

From a letter just received it would appear that Miss Duhamel is at Wikwemikong ready to take charge of the day school there. Sometime ago the Department approved of the appointment of Miss Frawley to take charge of this school and Miss Duhamel was to be transferred from Shesheganing to South Bay. If there has been any change in this arrangement the Department would like to be informed.

Your obedient servant,

S. STEWART

fw Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. T. Desautels,
Wikwemikong, Ont.

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Ottawa, September 15, 1913.

Madam, -

Referring to your letter of the 1st instant I beg to say that the returns for the Sheshewganing School have not been received by the Department, but about the 3rd instant a cheque for \$100.00 in payment of your salary for the June quarter was sent to the Indian Agent at Manitowaning and no doubt you have received it by this time.

The Department will await the accounts from Sheshewganing to which you refer.

It was understood by the Department that you were to go to the South Bay School and Father Desautels has been written to in regard to this.

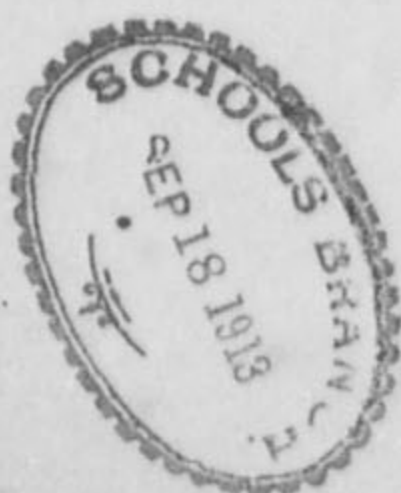
With reference to the supplies for the Wikwemikong Day School the Department regrets that it cannot order these now, as arrangements have not yet been made for the use of the building.

Your obedient servant,

A. C. MOLE

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Adele Duhamel,
Teacher,
Wikwemikong, Ont.



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Wikeverniking, Ont. Sept. 16, 1913

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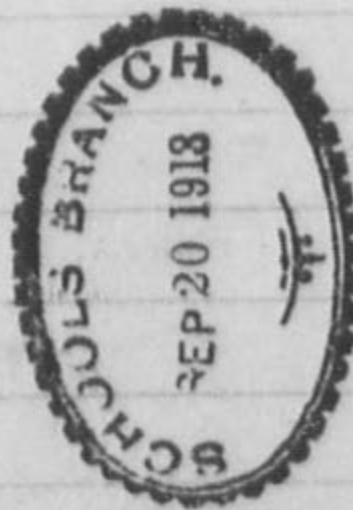
Dear Sir,

In answer to yours of Sept. 9, I beg to state that it is by misunderstanding that the Department has not been informed of the transfer of Miss Duhamel to Wikeverniking school in place of Miss Crawley who is teaching at South Bay. For my part, I thought that the Department had been notified of the change and that it had been approved. I beg for the approval of this transfer, and will pay attention that similar irregularities does not happen in future.

Truly Yours,

T. A. Desautels, S. J.

The Secretary of the
Dept of Ind. Affairs
Ottawa, Ont.



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Mr. Sutherland

Ottawa, September 22, 1913.

Rev. Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 16th instant, and in reply I beg to say that the Department approves of Miss Duhamel taking charge of the Wikwemikong Day School and Miss Frawley of the South Bay School.

[Signature]

Your obedient servant,

[Stamp]

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. T. A. Desautels, S.J.,
Wikwemikong, Ont.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont..

January, 3rd, 1914.

Sir:-

I have the honor to report that three schools on the Wikwemikong Reserve are closed and will be for some time on account of the epidemic, Wikwemikong, South Bay and Buswah's, the teachers are in the hospital in Wikwemikong assisting Dr. Newell to nurse the patients.

Your obedient servant,

Wm. C. L. D.
Indian Agent.



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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Extract from Agent's Monthly report on the Wikwemikong
Indian Day School for the month of May, 1914.
Original on File 430214-7.

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I would suggest that Miss Duhamel be supplied with an
assistant teacher. She has a large school and with the
teaching and other instruction her duties are hard.
If the Department would approve of it, Miss Mercier's
services can be secured and should make a good assistant.

Sgd. W. McLeod,
Agent.



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EXD.

Ottawa, June 18, 1914.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your report on the Wikwemikongsing School for the month of May and with regard to that portion in which you recommend that the school be closed for a time I beg to say that, provided you can make arrangements to have the children who should attend this school placed in the Spanish River Industrial School, the Department will consent to the closing of the school. If the school is to remain closed after the summer holidays it will be necessary for you to have the windows boarded up and the school property safeguarded.

In the event of this arrangement being carried out you may engage the services of Miss Mercier as assistant to Miss Duhamel at the Wikwemikong Day School.

The Department would like to have a reply from you as to the feasibility of carrying out this arrangement, so that there may be time to secure the services of another teacher for the Wikwemikong School, if necessary.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEOD

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Wm. McLeod, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Extract from Agent's Report on the Wikwemikong Indian
Day School for the month of June, 1914.
Original on file 430214-7.

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With giving Miss Duhamel an assistant there will be an
additional supply of furniture required. I would
suggest removing the teacher's desk and what seats would
be required from the Wikwemikongsing school to Wikwem-
ikong school, as there would be sufficient there without
purchasing new ones while that school remains closed.



W. McLeod,

Indian Agent*

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154-5-9, Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont..
July 13th, 1914.

Sir ; -

I have the honor to report that Miss Adele Duhamel, teacher of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School requests the Department to increase her, salary as the work is difficult and the average attendance is large.

I would most respectfully recommend that her salary be raised to \$ 500.00 per annum, the same as Miss Frawleys.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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*Mr. Featherland
noted
J.S.B.*

EXD

Ottawa, July 18, 1914.

Sir,-

154-5-9

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 13th instant recommending that the salary of Miss Duhamel, teacher of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, be increased to \$500.00.

In reply I beg to say that, in view of the large average attendance at this school, the Department has decided to grant her request and this increase will date from the 1st instant.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Wm. McLeod, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Spanish, Ont.,
JUL 27 1914

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To the Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Dear Sirs:— Mr. M. C. Leed,
Indian Agent at Manitowaning, informs
me that you have kindly increased
my salary to five hundred dollars
for teaching the Wikwemikong school.
Please accept sincere thanks for the
favor. I shall, as in the past, do my
utmost to advance the Indian children
and help them in every way.

Thank you, also, for the grant of an
assistant teacher. I trust that no
sickness or anything else will impede
our work this year.

Gratefully yours,
Adelle Duhamel.



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154 -5 - 9, Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont..
September 23rd 1914.

Sir :-

I have the honor to report that Miss Mary I. Mercier has tendered her resignation to this office as assistant teacher to Miss Duhamel at the Wikwemikong Indian School in favor of her sister Miss Florence Mercier which appears to be quite satisfactory to the church authorities and Miss Duhamel.

I would most respectfully recommend that the services of Miss Florence be secured, as she is on her way to Wikwemikong.



Your obedient servant,

W. M. Lord

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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*Mr. Lutherdale
Noted
JCS*

EAD.

Ottawa, September 28, 1914.

Sir,-

155-5-9

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 23rd instant reporting that Miss Mary I. Mercier has tendered her resignation as assistant teacher to Miss Duhamel at the Wikwemikong Day School in favour of her sister Miss Florence Mercier.

In reply I beg to say that this change is approved

of.

[Handwritten signature]
[Handwritten initials]

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Wm. McLeod, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Ottawa, October 7, 1913.

Mr. Pedley,-

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I called on Mr. Agent McLeod that night and he arranged to drive me over to Wikwemkiong on Sunday. We spent the day there and I am pleased to say that I arrived at a satisfactory arrangement with Father Desautels, the priest in charge, in regard to the occupancy of the old school building for the day school on the reserve. Miss Duhamel was there and ready to assume her duties as soon as this matter was settled. I may say that owing to the good offices of Father Dugas, who gave me a letter of introduction to Father Desautels, I had very little trouble in arriving at a satisfactory settlement. We are to have the use of as much of the building as we require for school purposes free of cost. As I was authorized to see that the building was made comfortable for the teacher, we took one of the large rooms and had it fitted up as a living room for Miss Duhamel and her helper. I instructed Mr. McLeod to order the number of desks required for this school from the E.N.Moyer Co., Toronto, and I saw them on my way down in reference to the shipment.

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Martin Bensen.

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154 -5-10, Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont..

October 10th, 1914.

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Sir :-

I have the honor to report that the Rev. T. A. Desautels has advised me that Miss Florence Mercier has notified him that she will not accept the position as assistant teacher to Miss Duhamel at the Wikwemikong School, but recommends her sister Minnie to the position.

The Reverend Gentleman states that he is not in favor of the change, and it is his wishes that Miss Agnes Kelly be recommended to the Department, as she has applied for the position and is on her way from Renfrew to Wikwemikong at present.

I would most respectfully recommend that the services of Miss Kelly be secured as she is a competent teacher having taught in the Industrial School in Wikwemikong in former years.



Your obedient servant,

Wm. L. L.
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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Ottawa October 16th, 1914.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th. instant recommending the appointment of Miss Agnes Kelly as teacher of the Wikwemikong School, in place of Miss Florence Mercier, who will not accept the position.

In reply I beg to say that the Department approves of the appointment of Miss Kelly.

Your obedient servant,

STEWART

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Wm. McLeod
Wm. McLeod, Esq.
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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W.S.A. 430214
Wikwemikong, Oct. 24, 1914.
(Manitoulin Island)

To.—
The Dept of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Dear Sir,—
as you already
know, I am assistant
teacher to Miss Duhamel
at Wikwemikong.

I have had six years
experience in Indian
schools. I do not know



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as yet, how much salary I am to receive, therefore I venture to ask you for Four Hundred and Seventy Five Dollars. \$475.00 per year.

You understand there is considerable inconvenience in an Indian school. It costs a great deal in the line of railway tickets, boat and stage charges, trunk transportation, etc.

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to arrive at Ukwemikon
I shall ask you to
please give this your
deepest consideration
and reply at your
earliest convenience.

I shall do all in
my power towards
the advancement of
the Indian children.

Thanking you in
advance,

I am,

yours sincerely,
Agnes Kelly.

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Ottawa, November 6, 1914.

MEMORANDUM.

Mr. Scott,-

Miss Agnes Kelly, who was appointed assistant teacher of the Wikwemikong Day School, asks that she be given a higher salary than the \$400.00 now provided. She has had considerable experience in Indian school work and is the holder of a second-class permanent certificate. I think the Department would be quite justified in giving her \$450.00.

Marshall Benson

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Ottawa, November 6, 1914.

Madam, -

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 24th ultimo in reference to the amount of salary to be paid you as assistant teacher of the Wikwemikong Day school.

In reply I beg to say that the Department has decided to pay you at the rate of \$450.00 per annum from the time you commenced your duties.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Agnes Kelly,
Assistant teacher,
Wikwemikong Day School,
Wikwemikong, Ont.

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Ottawa, November 6, 1914.

Sir,-

Referring to official letter of the 16th ultimo
I beg to say that the Department has decided to pay Miss
Agnes Kelly, assistant teacher of the Wikwemikong Day
School, at the rate of \$450.00 per annum from the time
she commenced her duties.

*From [unclear]
A.P.A.
[signature]*

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEOD

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Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Wm. McLeod, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Extract from Teacher's Salary Voucher for the Wikwemikong Indian School for the quarter ended September 30, 1915. Original on File 430214-3

REMARKS.

Miss Kelly desires a raise in her salary to \$500.00 per annum, as she claims that she has too much work to do for the salary and has taught school for seven years. If she resigns it will mean something to this school, as she is one of the capable teachers.

If I should have authority I would recommend that her salary be raised to \$500.00 commencing with this quarter.

Sgd. R. J. Lewis,
Clerk for Agent.



Miss Kelly -
Considerable experience in Ind. School work
Holds 2nd class permanent certificate
Appointed Oct 16th 1914 - Salary \$450 -
number attending now - taught by
Miss Kelly - 18 boys + 14 girls = 32 pupils



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Ottawa, November 10, 1915.

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J. H. H.
MEMORANDUM.

Mr. Scott,-

Mr. Inspector Finn, in his report on the Wikwemikong Day School, which is sent you herewith, lays great stress on the excellent work done by Miss Kelly, assistant teacher at this school, and recommends that she be given an increase in salary.

Miss Kelly taught the Nipissing School for four years before going to the Wikwemikong School and, as Mr. Finn points out, has model training and is a qualified and successful teacher. She is now paid at the rate of \$450.00 a year and is deserving of an increase, of at least \$50.00.

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Martin Benson

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Ottawa, November 11, 1915.

Sir,-

Referring to your remarks on the vouchers for the salary of the teachers of the Wikwemikong Day School for the quarter ended September 30th, last, that Miss Kelly desires a raise in her salary to \$500.00 per annum, as she claims that she has too much work to do for the salary and has taught school for seven years I beg to say that the Department has decided to grant her an increase of \$50.00 in her salary as assistant teacher of this school. This increase will date from the first of the current quarter and will bring her salary up to \$500.00 per annum. You will be good enough to advise her of this increase.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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WIKWEMIKONG Ont. May 10/16
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To Mr. Benson,
Superintendent of Schools,
Ottawa.

Dear Sir, -

Owing to ill-health I am
obliged to ask you to accept my
Resignation for the Wikwemikong
Day School.

I shall continue to teach to
the end of the present quarter.

Thanking the Dept for past
kindness and trusting the
enclosed letter will receive
prompt attention

I am

Yours humbly,
Agnes Kelly.



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Ottawa, May 18, 1916.

Madam, -

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th instant stating that, owing to ill health, you are obliged to resign your position as teacher of the Wikwemikong Day School.

In reply I beg to say that your resignation is accepted.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEARY

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Agnes Kelly,
Teacher,
Wikwemikong Day School,
Wikwemikong, Ont.

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Ottawa, May 20, 1916.

Sir,-

I beg to advise you that the Department is in receipt of a communication from Miss Agnes Kelly, assistant teacher of the Wikwemikong Day School, in which she states that, owing to ill health, she is obliged to resign her position. Her resignation takes effect at the end of the current quarter.

You will be good enough to take the necessary steps to secure a suitable person for the position of assistant teacher of this school after the holidays. Any applications you receive should be forwarded to the Department and each applicant should give full information as to her age, religion, qualifications, experience, etc.

Your obedient servant,

H. STEWART

For

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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154-5-13, Indian Office, Manitowaning,
May 16th, 1916.



Sir :-

I have the honor to report that Miss Agnes Kelly, assistant teacher at the Wikwemikong Day School, has submitted her resignation to this office, which is to take effect at the end of this quarter. She states that it is on account of ill health that she is obliged to ask me to accept her resignation.

Your obedient servant,

W. H. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..



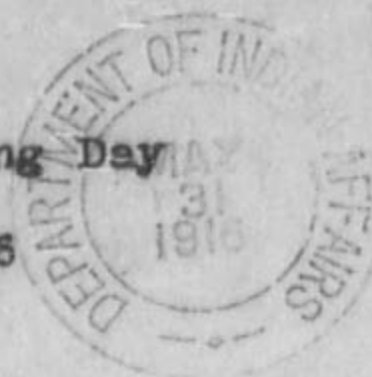
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Extract from Inspector's Report on the Wikwemikong Day
School, dated May 18, 1916. Original on 430214-6



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I regret very much that Miss Kelly's health will not
permit her continuing her work in teaching longer than
the end of June.



Sgd. J. P. Finn,
Insp.



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Ottawa, July 27, 1916.

Madam,-

In reply to your letter of the 18th instant addressed to Mr. MacKenzie of this Department in which you apply for a transfer from the CapC Croker No. 1 school to the one at Wikwemikong I beg to say that, in view of the reasons given by you, the Department will agree to your being transferred to the Wikwemikong school at the same salary you now receive. As there is a vacancy there now owing to the resignation of Miss Kelly, there will be no need of an exchange of positions between yourself and Miss Duhamel, as suggested, and the arrangement of ^{the} classes will be left to yourselves.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Mary Moffitt,
Spanish, Ont.

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Ottawa, July 2, 1916.

Madam,-

In reply to your letter of the 18th instant offering to exchange positions with Miss Moffitt, teacher of the Cape Croker No. 1 School, who considers that a change would be beneficial to her health and has asked for a transfer, I beg to say that Miss Moffitt has been informed that the Department will consent to her continuing her work at Wikwemikong. As there is a vacancy there now owing to the resignation of Miss Kelly there will be no need for an exchange of positions between yourself and Miss Moffitt. You can both remain at this school and the arranging of the classes will be left to yourselves.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Adele Duhamel,
Teacher,
Wikwemikong Day School,
Spanish, Ont.

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Ottawa, August 18, 1916.

Rev. Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letters of the 8th and 13th instant in further reference to the change of teachers in the Indian schools conducted under the auspices of your church.

The Department has noted that it has been decided to continue Miss Moffitt at Cape Croker.

With regard to the other changes recommended by you I beg to say that the Misses Burke, whose engagement you recommend for the West Bay and Wikeemikong schools, were both previously in the service of the Department and should have known that it was necessary for them to make their applications to the Department. It is a question, had they done so, whether they would have been employed, as the Department is in receipt of a number of applications from experienced Roman Catholic teachers who are possessed of higher qualifications. As you are practically committed to their employment, Miss Mary Burke may be placed in charge of the West Bay school at a salary of \$500.00 per annum and Miss Sadie Burke may act as assistant teacher at Wikeemikong at a salary of \$450.00 per annum.

With regard to the employment of Miss Hickey I may say that the Department does not approve of the employment of aliens, but, as you are again committed in her case, she

Rev. L. N. Dugas, S.J.,
Principal,
Spanish River Industrial School,
Spanish, Ont.

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she may take charge of the South Bay school on the same conditions as were applied to Miss Moffitt's engagement at Cape Croker in 1903, which were that she be possessed of the required qualifications and be a British subject. The Department will require Miss Hickey at the first available opportunity to take out her naturalization papers and secure a provincial certificate as was done by Miss Moffitt. Miss Hickey will be paid at the rate of \$500.00 per annum.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEMAN
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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REPORT OF INSPECTOR FINN ON THE WIKWEMKONG DAY SCHOOL.

NUMBER OF CHILDREN ON RESERVE, - 50

Number of pupils present, - 21

Date of Inspection, - October 17th, 1916.

I expect that the attendance will improve within a few weeks when the parents return from other quarters. The only solution for the irregular attendance at this school would be the appointment of a truant officer.



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Ottawa, November 2, 1916.

Sir,-

Mr. Inspector Finn in his report on the Wikwemikong Day School states that there are fifty children on the reserve and that at the time of his inspection there were only twenty-one pupils present in the school. He says that the only solution for the irregular attendance at this school would be the appointment of a truant officer.

Kindly state whether you consider a truant officer should be appointed and, if so, give the name of a suitable Indian to act in this capacity and state what remuneration he would expect for his services.

Your obedient servant,

W. STEWART

Assistant Secretary.

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[Signature]
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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154-5-0 Indian Office, Manitowaning,
November 14th, 1916.

Sir:-

I am in receipt of Official Letter No. 430214/I of the 2nd Instant, and in reply I have the honor to report that the cause of the small attendance of the pupils at the Wikwemikong Day school at the time of Mr. Inspector Finns' inspection was that there are a number of the families moved away to the mill-towns for the fall season where they secure work loading lumber boats and work in the mills, also there were a number of measles cases on the reserve which has kept a number of pupils from school for some time, but the families are moving home now and the measles epidemic is about over and the attendance at this school will soon be up to the average.

I would not recommend the appointment of a truant officer, as it is hard to get an Indian to act in this capacity. I might say that during last year truancy officers were appointed on the Sucker Creek and Shegati-andah reserves which did not help matters any.

Your obedient servant,

R. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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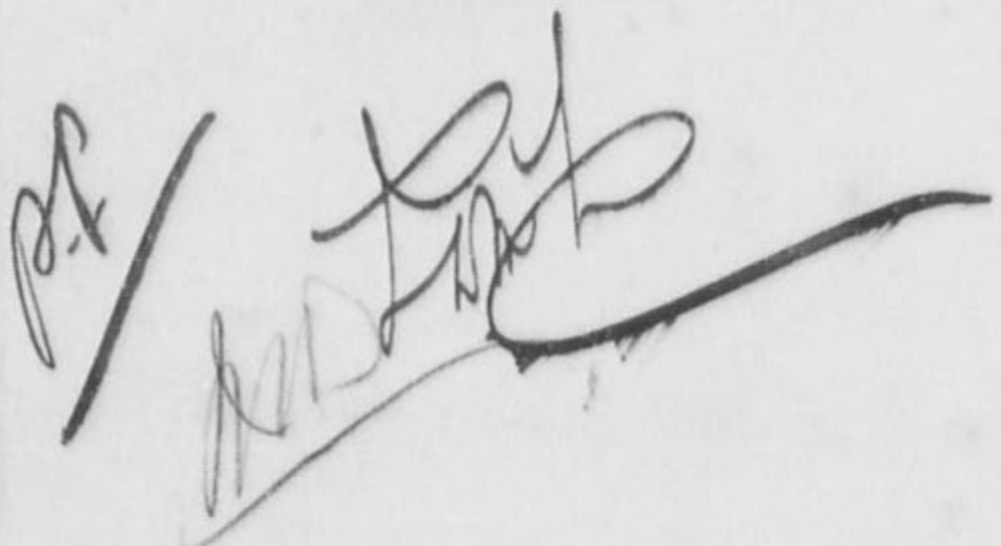
Ottawa, November 17, 1916.

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Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th instant, with regard to the attendance at the Wikwemikong Day School.

It is hoped that the attendance will improve as you think it will. The Department considers that it would be well for you to point out to the Indians the necessity of their children attending school, and you might also inform them that, if the children do not attend school regularly, the regulations will have to be enforced.


Your obedient servant

J.D. McLEAN
Assistant Deputy and Secretary

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
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Excerpt from letter of January 8, 1917, from Rev. Eug. A.
Papineau, S.J., Industrial School, Spanish, Ont. : -

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We have been perplexed about the means of
replacing her.-- Finally we have thought to propose to
the Department the following arrangement: We would send
Miss Sadie Burke to teach at West Bay, instead of Wikwemi-
kong where she was teaching before and to ask Miss Suzanne
Fex, the teacher of Cockburn Island, to teach the small
class at Wikwemikong, with Miss Duhamel.

*Reference to
late Miss
Mary Burke.*

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Excerpt from letter of January 8, 1917, from Rev. Eug. A. Papineau, S.J., Industrial School, Spanish, Ont. : -

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We have been perplexed about the means of
replacing her.-- Finally we have thought to propose to
the Department the following arrangement: We would send
Miss Sadie Burke to teach at West Bay, instead of Wikwemi-
kong where she was teaching before and to ask Miss Suzanne
Fex, the teacher of Cockburn Island, to teach the small
class at Wikwemikong, with Miss Duhamel.

*Reference to
Leah Muri
Miss Burke.*

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Ottawa, January 24, 1917.

Rev. Sir,-

In reference to your letter of the 8th instant addressed to Mr. MacKenzie of this Department, I beg to say that Miss Sadie Burke, who has been teaching at the Wikwemikong School and who you suggested should be sent to West Bay, has resigned, as she is required at home.

As you have already been informed the Department has secured a teacher for West Bay and the appointment of Miss Suzanne Fex as assistant teacher at Wikwemikong is approved.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. Eug. A. Papineau, S.J.,
Principal,
Spanish River Industrial School,
Spanish, Ont.

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Ottawa, January 24, 1917.

Sir,-

I beg to inform you that Miss Sadie Burke has sent in her resignation as assistant teacher at the Wkwemikong School, as she is required at home.

Rev. Father Papineau, Principal of the Spanish River Industrial School, has suggested that Miss Suzanne Fox, who taught at Cockburn Island, should take her place. Father Papineau has been informed that the Department approves of this appointment.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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~~January 26~~
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Ottawa, January 26, 1917.

Rev. Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 24th instant addressed to Mr. Benson of this Department, in which you request that Miss Zoe St. James replace Miss Burke as teacher of the West Bay School and that Miss Grimes, who was recently appointed teacher at West Bay, be transferred as assistant teacher at the Wikwemikong Day School.

In reply I beg to say that the Department will have no objection to this change being made, provided Miss Grimes is willing to go to Wikwemikong. You should consult her in this matter and, if she consents, she may take charge as assistant teacher at Wikwemikong and you can appoint Miss St. James as teacher of the West Bay School.

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The salary of Miss Grimes, if she consents to take charge as assistant at Wikwemikong, will be \$450.00 a year and you may appoint Miss St. James at this same amount. Kindly inform the Department of the arrangements you have been able to make regarding these teachers.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Rev. Eug. A. Papineau, S.J.,
Principal,
Spanish River Industrial School,
Spanish, Ont.

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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495558 May 28 1917

The Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa, Can.



[Handwritten signature]

Dear Sirs:-

I write to inform you
that conditions of health prevents
my returning to Wikwemikong
School as teacher for the
coming term, and there by
inclose my duties to the
Department by signing my
resignation.



I am,

Yours Respectfully,
Annie Grimes

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Ottawa, June 1, 1917.

Madam,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 28th ultimo resigning your position as assistant teacher of the Wikwemikong Day school on account of ill health.

In reply I beg to say that your resignation is accepted.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAM

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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[Signature]
Miss Annie Grimes,
Assistant Teacher,
Wikwemikong Day school,
Wikwemikong, Ont.

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Ottawa, June 1, 1917.

Sir,-

I beg to advise you that the Department is in receipt of a communication from Miss Annie Grimes, assistant teacher of the Wikwemikong Day school, resigning her position on account of ill health.

Miss Grimes has been informed that her resignation is accepted and I have to ask you to be good enough to state the date on which she gives up her duties at the school.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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West Bay

Manitoulin Island

Ontario.

To the Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa, Canada.

Dear Sirs:-

I hereby present to the Department my
resignation as teacher of the West Bay School for
the end of the June quarter.

I beg also to submit my application as teacher
of the Wikwemikong School where Miss Duhamel has resigned,
for the beginning of the coming year.

Very respectfully,

Joe St. James.

May 13, 1917.

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Wiwemikong

Manitoulin Island

Ontario, Canada.

To the Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa, Canada.

Dear Sirs:

I hereby tender my resignation as teacher
of the Wikwemikong School, with thanks for the
courtesy there shown me.

Very respectfully,

Adèle Duhamel.

May 11, 1917.

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W. Kewemikong, June 5 - 1917

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To the Secretary of the Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Dear Sir

Please find enclosed the resignations of Miss
Duhamel and Miss St James, and the application of the
latter for the W. Kewemikong school.

I have received an application to fill the vacancy created
by the resignation of Miss Grimes. There is only to know
the age and qualifications of the applicant, which will
be submitted to your approbation in due time.

Yours truly

V. Renaud S. J.



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Ottawa, June 8, 1917.

Rev. Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 5th instant enclosing the resignations of Miss Duhamel as teacher of the Wikwemikong school and of Miss St. James as teacher of the West Bay school and the application of Miss St. James for the Wikwemikong school.

In reply I beg to say that these resignations are accepted and Miss St. James may take charge of the Wikwemikong school after the summer holidays. She will be allowed a salary at the same rate as she is now receiving, viz.- \$450.00 per annum. Mr. Agent Lewis is being advised of her appointment.

As soon as you have received full information in regard to the applicant for the position of assistant teacher of the Wikwemikong school you will be good enough to forward this application to the Department for consideration.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. V. Renaud, S.J.,
Wikwemikong, Ont.

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*2 letters
Mr. Huthersland
noted
J. D. McLean*

Ottawa, June 8, 1917.

Sir,-

I beg to inform you that the Department is in receipt of a communication from the Rev. Father Renaud, with which he encloses the resignation of Miss Duhamel as teacher of the Wikwemikong Day School and the application of Miss St. James, who is at present teacher of the West Bay School, for this position.

He has been informed that Miss Duhamel's resignation is accepted and that Miss St. James may take charge of the Wikwemikong School after the summer holidays. She will be allowed a salary at the same rate as she is now receiving, viz.- \$450.00 per annum.

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Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Dodd Lake, Que.
July 17, 1917.

Rev. Father Renaud,
Manitoulin Island,
Ont.

Rev. Father:

Having learned that you are in need of a teacher for one of the schools of your parish, I hereby respectfully offer my services for the position. I am a Roman Catholic, holding an Academy diploma in English, and a Model diploma in French, and I have taught two years in bilingual schools.

Awaiting a favorable and early reply.

Yours respectfully,
Verlie Leveston,
Dodd Lake, Que.

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Dear Sir

The Secretary
Indian Dept.
Ottawa

Yours truly
V. Renaud S. J.

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Ottawa, July 26, 1917.

Madam,-

Rev. Father Renaud of Wikwemikong has forwarded to the Department your application for a position as teacher in an Indian school.

Before considering this application the Department would like to obtain some further information from you. I have to ask you to be good enough to state your age and also where you have been teaching and forward copies of any testimonials you may have. Kindly forward this information as soon as possible.

n. E. J.

[Handwritten initials]

[Handwritten signature]

Your obedient servant,

[Faint stamp]

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Verlie Hewaton,
Dodd Lake,
Que.

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Ottawa, July 28, 1917.

Rev. Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 24th instant enclosing an application from Miss Verlie Hewston for a position as teacher in an Indian school.

In reply I beg to say that the Department has written to Miss Hewston for further information and as soon as a reply is received you will be advised in regard to her appointment.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAM

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. V. Renaud, S.J.,
Wikwemikong,
Ont.

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Dodd Lake Que.

Aug. 4. 1917.

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*Immediate
H. H. H.*

Secretary Dept. Indian
Ottawa.

Dear Sir:-

In reply to
your letter of July 26,
430214, I regret to inform
you that I am already
engaged for a school.
Hoping that
you will have no difficulty
in procuring a teacher,
I am,

respectfully,
Verkie Hriston.



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F.D.

Ottawa, August 7, 1917.

Rev. Sir,-

In reference to your letter of the 24th ultimo, with which you enclosed an application from Miss Verlie Hewston for a position as teacher in an Indian school, I beg to say that the Department is in receipt of a communication from Miss Hewston in which she states that she is already engaged for a school.

The Department has applications for positions in Indian schools from several Roman Catholic teachers and one of these applicants might be secured for the position of assistant teacher of the Wikwemikong school, if you do not know of anyone for the position. Kindly state whether you have anyone in view for this school.

Handwritten signature
Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. V. Renaud, S.J.,
Wikwemikong, Ont.

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Ottawa, Aug. 17, 1917.

Madam,-

The Department has decided to offer you the position of teacher at the Wikwemikong Day School at a salary of \$450 a year. You should take charge of this school on September 5th. For any further information that you require you should write to R.J.Lewis, Esq., Indian Agent, Manitowaning, Ont.

Kindly inform the Department at once if you will be able to take charge of this school.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Long
Miss Agnes Dolighan,
Vinton, Que.

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Z. P. L. L.

Ottawa, Aug. 17, 1917.

Reverend Sir,-

With further reference to your official letter of the 7th instant in regard to securing a teacher for the Wikwemikong School I beg to say that as the Department has not heard from you the position has been offered to Miss Agnes Dolighan, Vinton, Que. She is being requested to communicate with Mr. Lewis.

Your obedient servant,

(See under)
J. D. McLEAN
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. V. Renaud, S.J.,
Wikwemikong, Ont.

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Mr. Rivemitting, Aug. 16. 1917

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No 430214

Aug. 7-

Dear Sir

I have another application for the school here, from a Miss Margaret Kelly, Fieldville, Que. I am writing her, telling her that if she wishes to secure the position, she should write immediately to the Department, stating her qualifications. As Miss Hurston has disappointed us, I have not much faith in that application. If you do not hear from that Miss Kelly shortly, please hire one of those Roman Catholic teachers, who applied for a position, and send her here.

L. D. McLean
Asst. Deputy and Secretary
Ottawa

Yours truly
V. Renaud S. J.

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Winton Aug 20 1911
Mr. D. McLean
Ottawa
Ont.

Sir: I have written Mr. Lewis
Ind. Agent of Saginaw
for further information
about this school which
the Dep. has offered me
and will write you as
soon as I hear from him
as I cannot decide
until I get full particulars
Yours Respectfully
Agnes Deligian
Winton

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*noted
J.B.L.*

Ottawa, August 29, 1917.

Sir,-

I beg to advise you that the Department has appointed Miss Agnes Dolighan of Vinton, Quebec, as assistant teacher at the Wikwemikong Indian day school, and she will be allowed salary at the rate of \$450.00 a year.

She has been notified to be ready to commence duties at the school on September 5th.

*MP
JMS*

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Your obedient servant

J. B. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manatowaning, Ont.

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Winton, Aug 31, 1917
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To the Secy. of Ind. Affairs
Dept. of Indian Affairs
Dear Sir: -
When told
my parents of the school
at Wikuemikong Indian
Village according to the
particulars Mr Benson
had given me about the
place, they think I
am too young to
go to such a place
and perhaps, if I
went I would not
stay, in the meantime
accept my sincere
gratitude for the

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caution. Trusting you
will be able to get
a teacher to fulfil
the vacancy.

I Remain

Respectfully Yours
Agnes Dolighan
Vinton, D.C.
Que

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Ottawa, Sept. 1, 1917.

Madam, -

In regard to your application for appointment as teacher in an Indian School I beg to say that there is a vacancy as assistant teacher at the Wikwemikong Day School for which a salary of \$500 a year will be allowed. The best way to reach this school is to go to Cutler on the C. P. R. and from there to Manitowaning by boat, which meets the train daily. The Department would like you to open this school on the earliest possible date.

If you require transportation, you should call at the Department and your ticket will be advanced to you, and you can repay the cost of it out of your salary.

There are two teachers at this school and a comfortable teachers residence is provided for their accommodation. An immediate reply is kindly requested.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Margaret Kelly,
Fieldville, Que.

[Handwritten signature]

*Miss Kelly
apptd teacher
St. James Rd sch*

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154-5-16.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
September 5th, 1917.

Sir:-

In reply to Official Letter No. 430214-1 of
the 29th Ultimo, I have the honor to report that
Miss Agnes Dolighan has notified me that she has
taken another position and will not take charge
of the Wikwemikong Day School as assistant teacher.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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noted
J. D. McLean
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Ottawa, September 7, 1917.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 5th instant, in which you inform the Department that Miss Agnes Dolighan, who was offered the position of assistant teacher in the Wikwemikong Day School, is unable to accept the position.

In reply I beg to say that the Department has appointed Miss Angela Morris of Sheenboro, Que., to this position at a salary of \$500.00 per annum.

J. D. McLean
MMS
K. H. B.
Miss Morris, in a letter received from her to-day, states that she will accept the offer and will arrive at the school to begin duties on Monday the 10th instant.

Your obedient servant

J. D. McLean

Assistant Deputy and Secretary

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Mamitowaning,
Ont.

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*Noted
for*

EXD.

Ottawa, Sept. 14, 1917.

Sir,-

In official letter of June 8th you were informed that Miss St. James might be placed in charge of the Wikwemikong Day School as teacher at a salary of \$450 per annum.

With reference to the amount of salary I beg to say that it has been decided to allow Miss St. James salary at the rate of \$500 the same as is being allowed to the assistant teacher Miss Morris.

You will be good enough to inform Miss St. James accordingly.

Your obedient servant,

J. B. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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*See letter under
no action necessary
in this extract
P.F. 430214/1*

Extract from report of Inspector J. P. Finn on the Wikwemikong School
dated Sept. 18, 1917. Original on 430214/6.

Miss St. James is a teacher of many years' experience and is doing excellent work. She is teaching sewing, knitting, cooking, and agriculture. It seems to me that the Department has overlooked the fact that this teacher is second to none in the Indian Schools and taught successfully in for many years the Indian Schools. She is getting only \$450 while her assistant, who knows little about the work, is getting a salary of \$500. I am sure it is but an oversight.

J. P. Finn,
Inspector.

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154-5.17, *[Signature]* Indian Office, Manitowaning,
January 15th, 1918.

Sir:-

I have the honor to report that the Reverend Father Artus, now in charge of the Roman Catholic Mission at Wikwemikong, has called at this office on two different occasions, and requested of me to take the matter up with the Department to start a small boarding school at Wikwemikong for the Indian children residing in the vicinity of the village alone. He stated that the building in use at the present time for a day school is large enough for class-rooms, and a portion of the large building used as a residence could be made comfortable for sleeping quarters for the children, and that he thought that the children would receive better results at the boarding school than they are getting at the present time at the day school, on account of ~~se~~ many having good excuses for not attending regularly, such as no shoes, and others not having clothes.

I might say that I believe that the children would get better results from the boarding school on account of the attendance, but as the Department has been at a big expense re-fitting the building for a day school, and the children appear to be doing nicely I would not recommend that a boarding school be started, but will leave it to the decision of the Department.



Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa, January 21, 1918.

Sir,-

154-5.17

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th instant reporting that the Reverend Father Artus, now in charge of The Roman Catholic Mission at Wikwemikong, has called at your office on two different occasions and request^{ed} you to take up with the Department the matter of starting a small boarding school at Wikwemikong for the Indian children residing in the vicinity of the village alone.

In reply I beg to say that the Department is unable to establish a boarding school there, as it has no funds available for this purpose.

In reference to Father Artus' statement that so many of the children have good excuses for not attending the day school regularly, such as no shoes and not having clothes, I beg to say that, if there are any Indians who are not able to provide clothing for their children, the Band should pass a resolution authorizing the expenditure of the necessary amount from their funds to provide shoes and clothing for these children.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAM

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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REPORT OF INSPECTOR FINN ON THE WIKWEMIKONG DAY SCHOOL.

Miss St. James is an excellent teacher.

The work done in the senior room is excellent. Miss St. James is deserving of a much higher salary. It might be better if she had charge of West Bay.

Date of Inspection, -June 4th, 1916.

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Transferred from
West Bay Sept 1917

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Spanish, Ont.

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July 12, 1918.

S. M. Benson

M. M. Benson,

School Branch

Ottawa

Dear Sir,

I beg to say before you
a suggestion in regard to the
Wikeemihong School, which is
the advisability of applying to it
the working plan of a
consolidated school and have
the children who live at a
distance brought to school
in vans. I understand there
are more than twenty children
of school age living across the

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bay and the same number, if
not more, living west or south-
west who are unable to attend
school. The expense of building
schools there or of sending these
children to residential ² would be
much greater than to employ
runes to bring them to Wicwemihong.
~~Moreover~~, the Indians who are
engaged to bring the children will
be encouraged by the salary and
the home life of the children will
not be interrupted; not small
benefits to either parties.

Consolidated Schools have been
a success in rural districts, so
it would be worth while to make
the trial at Wicwemihong.

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where there is good material to
work on. The building and
surroundings are all that can be
desired, and the children are in
sufficient numbers to justify the
plan.

512038

I am not familiar enough with
the locality to state just what routes
could be opened, as I did not talk
the matter over with the resident
Missionary or the Agent, which I
should like to have done had I
not feared delays in correspondence
which would give you too little
time to consider the matter before
the re-opening of School.

I might add that my five months
stay at West Bay convinced me
that the use of waste on that
Reserve would greatly improve

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the attendance there.

You understand I am writing this because I know that any suggestion for the improvement of the Indian Schools is acceptable, even if not feasible, and also because knowing a little the conditions in these two Reserves I feel certain the conveying of children who live at a distance to the school will be a benefit not only to the children but to the whole community.

Trusting that you will give the subject your attention as soon as your pressing duties permit.

I am

Yours with respect,

Jos. St. James.

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OTAWA
Ottawa, August 8, 1918.

Madam,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 12th ultimo in regard to the Wikwemikong School and suggesting that the children who live at a distance be brought to school in vans.

In reply I beg to say that the Department is not prepared to carry out this suggestion at the present time, as, owing to the war, the funds at its disposal are limited.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEARN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Zoe St. James,
Teacher,
Wikwemikong Day School,
Spanish, Ont.

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REPORT OF INSPECTOR FINN ON THE WIKWEMIKONG DAY SCHOOL.

I wish to call the attention of the Department to the excellent work done by the Principal of this school, Miss St. James. A substantial increase in salary should be given to show that the Department appreciates her superior work. The pupils won thirty prizes at the Manitowaning school fair, last year, in competition with the white children. They took first prize in composition, drawing, knitting, sewing etc. For vegetables, first in potatoes, oats, peas, wheat and corn.

Date of Inspection, -May 19th, 1919.

Note -

March yr. return 1919 shows:
Enrollment in Miss St. James' room = 35
Average attendance " " = 29

Present Salary = \$500.00
Began duties at West Bay on Jan 31/17 at \$450.00
Transferred to Wikwemikong on Sept. 1/17 at \$500.00

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Ottawa, May 26th, 1919.

Sir, -

With reference to your recommendation that the salary of Miss St. James be increased, I beg to say that, for the year ending March 31st, last, she was allowed a bonus of \$150.00, in addition to her salary of \$500.00.

As it has been decided to allow a bonus at the same rate, for the present quarter, at least, the Department will defer consideration of increasing Miss St. James' salary until after the summer holidays.

Your obedient servant

MARTIN BENSON

In Charge of School Branch.

J.P. Finn, Esq.
Separate School Inspector,
Britannia,
Ont.

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P.P.
/ *[Signature]*

Wikwemikong June 2nd 1881
Re Lewis Esq
Indian Agent
Manitowaning Ont

Dear Sir

At a meeting of the Indians of
Manitowaning Island unceded held this day
in Council and called in accordance with
the rules of the Band

It was moved by Peter Eschikobok and
seconded by Joseph Eschikakogan Sr and
carried that the Indian Department be
requested that Boarding Schools be
created and operated in the Reserve
One for Boys and one for Girls
A great number of children cannot attend
schools on account of living too far from
schools and roads are not generally good
especially in winter

Joseph Eschikakogan

Peter Eschikobok

Chief Jonas Odjig
Ignatius Eschikakogan
Joseph Odjig
Joseph Brundage
James Shawano
Ciri Eschikakogan
Joseph Shawano

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188-56,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

June 4th, 1919.

Sir:-

I have the honor to enclose herewith a resolution by the Chief and Councillors of the Unceded portion of Manitoulin Island requesting that two boarding schools be erected and operated by the Department for the Indian children, as a great many live at too great a distance from any school to allow them to attend regularly.



As there are now five day schools erected on this reserve, namely:- Wikwemikong day school with a staff of two teachers, Bugwah day school with one teacher, Kabei day school with one teacher, South Bay and Wikwemikongsing day schools which are closed on account of non-attendance, and a boarding school at Spanish where pupils, who live at too great a distance from any day school to allow them to attend, can be placed, I cannot recommend that boarding schools be erected.

Your obedient servant,

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont. *R. Lewis*
Indian Agent.

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EX-111

Ottawa, June 10, 1919.

Sir,-

188-56

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 4th instant enclosing a resolution by the Chief and Councillors of the Unceded portion of Manitoulin Island, requesting that two boarding schools be erected and operated by the Department for the Indian children, as a great many live at too great a distance from any school to allow them to attend regularly.

In reply I beg to say that the Department cannot grant the request of the Indians, and you will be good enough to inform them accordingly. Any children who live too far away from a day school to be able to attend should be placed in the Spanish River Industrial School.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. A. J. MacKenzie
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

W. C. D.
R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Catharine Register
June 20/1919

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WANTED—Two teachers for Indian children, holding second-class certificate: one for assistant in Wikwemikong, Manitoulin Island; the other, six miles from it across the Bay of Manitouwaning, to be alone. Salary, \$500.00. Easy conditions for board and no other expenses. — Send recommendations to Rev. G. A. Artus, Wikwemikong P.O., Ont.
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Ottawa, June 30, 1919.

Rev. Sir,-

The Catholic Register for June 20th, last, contains the following advertisement,- "Wanted - Two teachers for Indian children, holding second-class certificates; one for assistant in Wikwemikong, Manitoulin Island; the other, six miles from it across the Bay of Manitowaning, to be alone. Salary \$500.00. Easy conditions for board and no other expenses.- Send recommendations to Rev. G. A. Artus, Wikwemikong P.O., Ont."

You should not have placed this advertisement in the papers without consulting the Department. If you had done so you would have been advised of the change which has taken place in the appointment of teachers to our Indian schools, which in future must be made by the Civil Service Commission, as provided for by their regulations approved by His Excellency the Governor General in Council on the 21st of December, 1918.

Your obedient servant,

A. D. McLEAN
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. G. A. Artus,
Wikwemikong P.O., Ont.

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Dear Sir

In reply to your communication of June the 30th, received only the day before yesterday in Winkemitsong. I beg to say, that I had and have no intention to assume upon myself the authority of appointing teachers. - I only desired to help the Indian Department, in presenting to them subjects who can be recommended. - I had asked Mr. Timm Inspector whether he knew of any: he said no. - I also told Mr. Agent Lewis of the advisability to advertise in papers: and, as a matter of fact, to the said Agent I have sent the applications of such candidates who seemed to me suitable.

While, Dear Sir, I regret that your Department has taken away from the missionaries the selection of the teachers, because he is the most interested in the choice, and the most able to know the qualities required to have success with our Indians, I went before all to act in perfect union with you for the welfare temporal moral and spiritual of the Indians: and I thank you for consideration so far given to my suggestions.

Remain, Dear Sir

With consideration

Yours in the Lord

Rev. G. A. Arthur

I am here for a few days only.

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154-5-20,

Indian Office, Manitowaning

July 25th, 1919.



Sir,-

I have the honor to report that the Rev. Father Artus, of Wikwemikong, has informed me that Miss Angela Morris has resigned her position as assistant teacher at the Wikwemikong day school, and Miss Gertrude Tierney of Allumette Island, Que. has applied for the position.

The reverend gentleman states that Miss Tierney holds a model diploma of qualification, is twenty five years old, had seven years of successful experience as teacher, three of which have been in Ontario.

I would most respectfully recommend that Miss Tierney be appointed as assistant teacher at Wikwemikong day school.

Your obedient servant,

R. Kewie
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa, July 30, 1919.

Sir,-

154-5-20

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 25th instant reporting that the Rev. Father Artus of Wikwemikong has informed you that Miss Anegla Morris has resigned her position as assistant teacher at the Wikwemikong Day School and that Miss Gertrude Tierney of Allumette Island, Que., has applied for the position, and recommending that she be appointed.

In reply I beg to say that the Department approves of the appointment of Miss Tierney as assistant teacher of the Wikwemikong Day School, her duties to commence on the re-opening of the school after the summer holidays. She will be allowed a salary at the rate of \$500.00 per annum. Kindly inform her of her appointment, and also Father Artus.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
September 10th, 1919.

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Sir,-

Referring to Official Letter 430214/I of July 30th, last, in regard to the Department approving of the appointment of Miss Tierney to the position as assistant teacher at the Wikwemikong Day School, I have the honor to report that I have been advised by the Rev. Father Artus, Missionary in charge of Wikwemikong Mission, that Miss Tierney is to be married on the 16th Instant, and has declined the position as teacher at Wikwemikong.

The Reverend Gentleman has requested that Miss Mary Sullivan, of Sheenbaro, Que., be appointed to the position. She has graduated from Pembroke Convent this past July, and holds an entrance to Normal Diploma.

I would most respectfully recommend that Miss Sullivan be appointed to the position.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa, September 15, 1919.

154-5-20

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th instant, stating that you have been informed by Rev. Father Artus, of Wikwemikong, that Miss Tierney, who was recently appointed assistant teacher at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School has declined the position and requesting that Miss Mary Sullivan of Sheenboro, Quebec, be appointed in her place.

In reply I beg to say that the Department will consent to the temporary appointment of Miss Sullivan and will pay her a salary at the rate of \$500.00 per annum. It is noted that she has no professional qualifications and you should advise Rev. Father Artus that the Department would like him to obtain the services of a teacher with professional qualifications as soon as he can arrange to do so. It is considered that a teacher with the education which Miss Sullivan possesses would not meet with much success in the Indian Day Schools.

You will be good enough to inform the Rev. Father of the temporary appointment of Miss Sullivan and she should arrive at Wikwemikong and take up her duties as assistant teacher as soon as possible. You will be good enough to inform the Department of the date on which she begins duty.

Your obedient servant

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Assistant Deputy and Secretary

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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Ottawa, October 9, 1919.

Sir,-

In further reference to your letter of the 10th instant in regard to the appointment of Miss Mary Sullivan to the position of assistant teacher at the Wikwemikong Day School I have to request that you will be good enough to state whether the Rev. Father Artus has been successful in securing her services. It is noted from the quarterly returns received that temporary teachers carried on the work in the junior class-room during the quarter. If Miss Sullivan accepted the position you will be good enough to inform the Department of the date on which she began duties.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
[Signature]
M. D. McLEAN
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

[Signature]
R. C. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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I54-5-20,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

October 11th, 1919.

Sir,-

In reply to Official Letter No.430214/I of the 9th Instant, in regard to the appointment of Miss Mary Sullivan to the position of assistant teacher at the Wikwemikong Day School, I have the honor to report that Miss Sullivan was advised that her services was accepted but she declined to teach this term as she is attending Normal School in North Bay.

I asked Rev. Father Artus, Missionary in charge at Wikwemikong, to recommend another teacher for the position, and he informed me that he had not anything further to do with recommending teachers for the schools. He informed me further that he had received a letter from the Department in connection with the appointment of teachers for the Indian Schools which displeased him very much, and in future he would not make any more recommendations, therefore, the Department will have to appoint a teacher for the position as assistant at Wikwemikong School without the recommendation of the Missionary in charge.

The work in the junior class-room is being successfully carried on by a temporary teacher, Mrs. Chas. S. King, who taught at South Bay School some years ago, and she will continue to teach until the Department secures the services of another teacher.

Your obedient servant,

T. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.



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Ottawa, October 17, 1919.

Sir,-

154-5-20

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th instant, in which you state that Miss Mary Sullivan, who was offered the position as assistant teacher at the Wikwemikong Day School, has declined to accept the offer, as she is attending Normal School.

In reply I beg to say that the Department will endeavour to secure the services of another teacher for this position and will inform you, should it succeed in obtaining the services of a suitable person.

In the meantime, Mrs. Chas. S. King may continue the work as temporary teacher until such time as the services of a suitable teacher are secured.

Your obedient servant,

J. B. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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B.C.D.

Ottawa, October 17, 1919.

Madam, -

see file 173736/2
for application

With reference to the application which you made to the Department in September, last, for a position as teacher in an Indian day school I beg to say that there is a vacancy at present for an assistant teacher in the Wikwemikong Day School on Manitoulin Island. The salary paid is at the rate of \$500.00 per annum.

The Department would like to hear from you at an early date as to whether you will accept this position, and, if so, the earliest possible date you could take up your duties. An early reply will oblige.

Your obedient servant,

J. B. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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Miss B. McCart,
Calumet Island,
Que.

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Calumet Island, Oct 20/
1919
Sec Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa, Ont.



Sir, -

In reply to yours of
Oct. 17, No. 430214, I beg to
say that your offer of
\$5.00 per annum is too low
a salary for these times.
You will see too by
the testimonial enclosed

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in my application that
I was principal, not assistant.
If you can offer me some-
thing better I would be only
too glad to accept

Yours truly

B. McCarl -

Galumet Island
Que.

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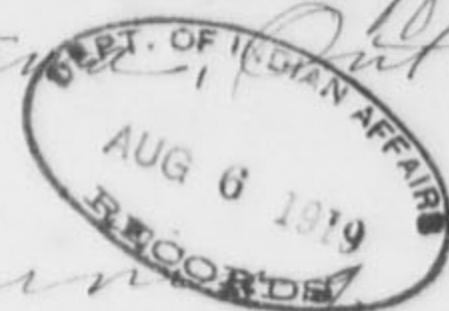
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Venosta, Ind.

Aug. 4, 1919.

School
James D. McLean,
Secy. Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



Dear Sir,

I learn
that your department
has charge of the
Indian schools.
I take the liberty of
writing you with
regards to them.
I would like to
hold a position
as teacher in one of
your schools. My
qualifications are
a Model Diploma

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and six years' experience. I can give references as to my character and teaching ability, if necessary.

Should a personal interview be desired I can call at the Department at any time convenient to you.

Hoping for a favorable reply, I remain,

Respectfully yours,
Ethel Sloane.
Venosta,
Ind.

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Ottawa, October 23, 1919.

Madam, -

*Applied on
File 73736*

With reference to the application you made to the Department in August last, for a position as teacher in an Indian School, I beg to say that there is a vacancy at present for an assistant teacher in the Wikwemikong day school on Manitoulin Island with salary at the rate of \$500.00 per annum.

If you are at present in a position to accept this offer, the Department will be pleased to hear from you by return as to whether you will accept, and, if so, kindly state the earliest possible date on which you could take up duties.

Your obedient servant

J.D. McLEAN

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary

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Miss Ethel Sloane,
Venosta,
Que.

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Copy for 430 21471

Ottawa, November 4, 1919.

Madam,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 27th ultimo applying for a position as teacher in an Indian school.

In reply I beg to say that there is a vacancy at present for an assistant teacher in the Wikwemikong Day School on Manitoulin Island, with salary at the rate of \$500.00 per annum. This position was offered to an applicant for a position as teacher in an Indian school on the 23rd of October, last, but up to date no reply has been received.

The Department would be pleased to hear from you by return whether you would accept the above offer. If so, kindly state the earliest possible date on which you could take up duties.

Your obedient servant,

Sydney J. MacKenzie
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Mary Irene Harty,
Campbells Bay,
Que.

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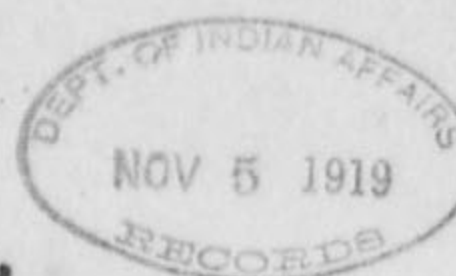
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Indian Office, Manitowaning,

November 3rd, 1919.

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Sir,-

With further reference to securing the services of an assistant teacher for the Wikwemikong day school, I have the honor to report that Miss Angela Morris, who was assistant last term, has advised Miss St. James, the principal of the school, that Miss Sloan of Sheenboro, Que., is willing to take up the duties as assistant teacher at Wikwemikong.

If Miss Sloan's qualifications will permit her to take charge of the Junior Class at the Wikwemikong School I would most respectfully recommend that her services be secured by the Department.

Your obedient servant,

D. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

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The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa, November 10, 1919.

Sir,-

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I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 3rd instant with reference to the securing of the services of an assistant teacher for the Wikwemikong Day School.

In reply I beg to say that Miss Ethel Gloane, who is mentioned by you, called at the Department today and stated her willingness to accept the position. She will leave Ottawa for Wikwemikong on the 17th instant. She is being appointed at a salary of \$500.00 per annum.

You will be good enough to give Miss Gloane any assistance you can in her work at this school.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.



R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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M. J. B.

Ottawa, November 10, 1919.

Madam,--

Referring to your conversation while in the Department today, in which you stated that you would accept the position as assistant teacher in the Wikwemikong Day School on Manitoulin Island I beg to say that the Department will approve of your appointment to this position. Your salary will be at the rate of \$500.00 per annum.

Mr. Agent Lewis, Manitowaning, is being informed of your appointment and requested to give you every assistance he can in your work in this school.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

ASB
AGM
For
Miss Ethel Sloane,
Manitowaning,
Que.

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Copy for Wikwemikong No. 1



Ottawa, July 31, 1920.

Madam,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 28th instant informing the Department that, upon reconsideration, you have decided to resume duties as assistant teacher at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say that this is satisfactory to the Department and it hopes that you will take up duties when the school re-opens after the holidays, on or about the first of September, next.

Your obedient servant,

A.D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Ethel Sloane,
Venosta,
Que.

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Spanish, Ont.
August 16, 1920.

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The Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,



Dear Sirs, -

I beg in consideration of my
nineteen years experience in teaching
Indian Schools and of my success
during those years, to do me the favor
of considering the matter of increasing
my salary.

There has been a marked increase
in the attendance at the Wikwemikong
Indian School and the Inspectors have
given satisfactory reports of the class
work and industrial work done by
the pupils.

Confident that you will give my
request due consideration.

I am, Sirs,

Respectfully yours,

Joe St. James.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

Ottawa, August 19, 1920.

MEMORANDUM

Mr. McLean -

Miss Zoe St. James, teacher of the Senior Room at the Wikwemikong Day School, applies for an increase in her salary.

She entered the employ of the Department about nineteen years ago and has been teaching continuously since that time. Her present salary is at the rate of \$500.00 per annum, which was raised from \$450.00 from the first of September, 1917, the time she was transferred to this school from the West Bay Day School. She has a Normal School Certificate and the Inspector states that the work done in the Senior Room is excellent and that Miss St. James is deserving of a much higher salary. There is a total enrolment of 96 pupils at the school, with an average attendance of 57. Miss St. James has an enrolment of 40 in her room, with an average attendance of 26.

The salary received by the assistant teacher is the same as paid Miss St. James, and I submit that, as principal and in view of her long and faithful service, she should receive a higher salary than the assistant. I beg to recommend that she be granted an increase of \$100.00, which will make her salary at the rate of \$600.00 per annum. She and the assistant also receive the bonus at the rate of \$150.00 per annum.

Mr McLean -
I agree.
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Ottawa, August 20, 1920.

Madam,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 16th instant applying for an increase in your salary as principal of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

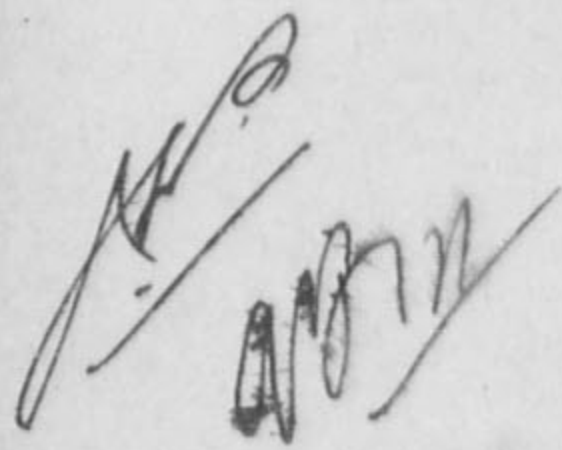
In reply I beg to say that, in view of your long service and the favourable reports received on your work, it has been decided to grant you an increase of \$100.00 per annum from the first of July, last. This will make your salary at the rate of \$600.00 per annum from that date, with bonus additional at the rate of \$150.00 per annum during the period which it is continued to teachers in Indian day schools.

Mr. Agent Lewis is being informed of the increase in salary granted you.

Your obedient servant,



For Asst. Deputy and Secretary.



Miss Zoe St. James,
Principal,
Wikwemikong Indian Day School,
Spanish, Ont.

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Miss [unclear]
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Ottawa, August 20, 1920.

Sir,-

I beg to inform you that it has been decided to grant an increase in the salary of Miss Zoe St. James, principal of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School. She is at present receiving \$500.00 per annum and has been granted an increase of \$100.00 from the first of July, last, making her salary at the rate of \$600.00 per annum from the above date. She will receive bonus additional during the period which it is continued to teachers in Indian day schools. Miss St. James is being informed of the increase being granted in her salary.

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Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]
For Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Ottawa, August 25, 1920.

Sir,-

Miss Ethel Sloane, assistant teacher of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, called at the Department today and requested that she be granted leave of absence from her duties until the 22nd of September, next, owing to family reasons. She has been granted this extra leave and will be at the school to assume duties on the above date.

She has suggested that, in the meantime, it might be possible to secure the services as a substitute teacher of Mrs. King or her daughter, Miss King, who have formerly taught in a like capacity during the past. You may, therefore, arrange with one of these ladies to teach temporarily from the time the school re-opens after the present holidays until Miss Sloane returns. Miss Sloane will arrange to pay the salary of the substitute teacher and, in preparing a return for the September quarter, will include the days taught by the substitute with the days taught by herself and the cheque for the September quarter's salary will be made payable and sent to Miss Sloane. You will be good enough to endeavour to arrange for a substitute, in order that there will be a teacher to take up the work in the junior room when the school re-opens. I shall be pleased to hear from you as to whether you have been able to arrange with Mrs. King or Miss King to teach temporarily.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis

For Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Mikwemikong, Ont.
August 30, 1920.

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The Department of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa.

Dear Sirs,-

I wish to tender my sincere
thanks to the Department for considering
my request of August sixteenth and
granting me an increase of salary.

Respectfully yours,
Joe St. James.

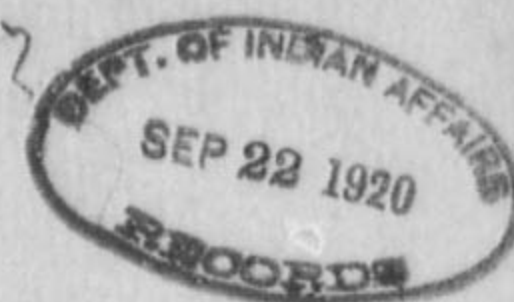
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Kenosha, Ind.
Sept. 20, 1920.



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~~Mr. D. McLean.~~
~~Secretary~~ ~~Schools~~ ~~Dept't Indian Affairs.~~
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir, -

I regret very much to inform you that, owing to the serious illness of my father, I am unable to resume my duties as assistant teacher in Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

Trusting that this will not cause you too much inconvenience. I am,

Respectfully yours,
Ethel M. Sloane.



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Ottawa, September 23, 1920.

Madam,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 20th instant tendering your resignation as assistant teacher of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say that your resignation is accepted. It is regretted that you are unable to return owing to the serious illness of your father.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie
For Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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Miss Ethel M. Sloane,
Venosta,
Que.

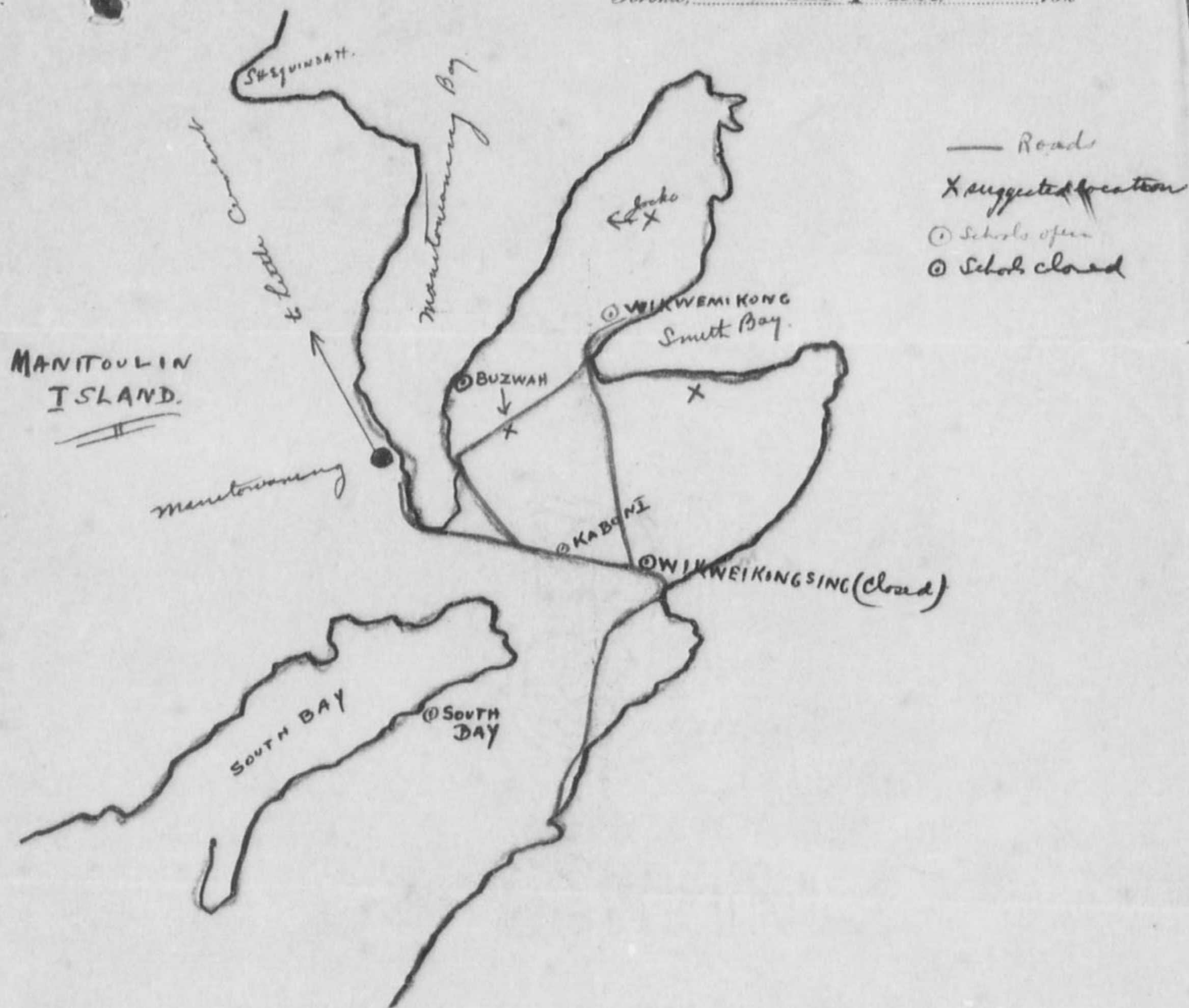
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J. M. BENNETT, B.A.
Inspector of Separate Schools
47 BROWNING AVENUE
TORONTO

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a Rough sketch of island reserve
showing location of schools now open
& suggest position for new schools
Manitoulin Unceded Reserve

J. M. Bennett

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Toronto, 192

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In case you build any
of the school suggested much
expense could be saved by
building on a smaller scale.
The rooms in some schools and the
teachers rooms are much too large.

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J. M. BENNETT, B.A.
Inspector of Separate Schools
47 BROWNING AVENUE
TORONTO

Toronto, September 18th, 1920

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Canada.

Dear Sir:-

I am sending you the school reports on the Catholic Indian Schools of Whitefish Lake, West Bay, Buzwah, South Bay, Kaboni, Wikwemikong.

Also enclosed you will find a report on the Indian children in attendance at the Little Current Separate School. Please take particular note of this as I feel that the school board concerned should be reimbursed. An early reply to this will favour. I trust you will look on it favourably.

Would you be good enough to give each report a close scrutiny for the following reasons?

South Bay has just been opened after some years being closed. Naturally there are things needed.

West Bay needs some necessary articles.

Buzwah school can only be condemned as a school building. However if other school buildings were to be erected to meet the needs of other parts of this reserve I would suggest that this be left as it is, and kept in repair until a new school could be built. When you contemplate this I would suggest that it be located somewhere east of the Buzwah church on the Wikwemikong road. The present location is not at all central for the territory served.

Wikwemikong school serves a good number of children but it cannot serve all that it is supposed to do. Across the bay from this school is a group of children (30) who never can come due to the distance. North West of here about five miles and more at a place called Joeke village is another group unable to attend. I found this out on enquiry from the teacher as to the large number (150) on the reserve served by this school and the few in comparison that attend (57). I am a firm believer in the efficiency of the small rural school, if properly staffed, and in its ability to serve the people. Can something be done to build small schools one at each of these places?

The school at Wikwemikong is closed. Some 10 children here are not at school. Kaboni is too far, over five miles.

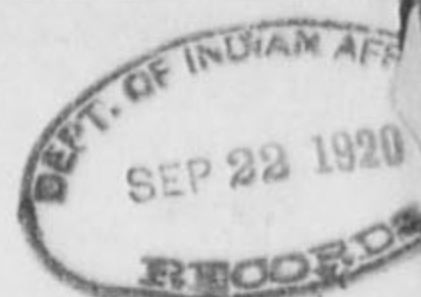
Now regarding Whitefish Lake school five miles from the C.P.R. Station at Naughton. This school is being held in the Indian church and the teachers rooms are in a lean to at the back. This is my first visit here. Last year I had very little time to spare. I will not say very much except that you know the situation well and no doubt agree that it is not suitable to hold school in the Indian church here. I urgently call this to your attention. When could the Department arrange to build?

I present the above to your favourable consideration.

I remain,

Yours sincerely

J. M. Bennett
Inspector of Separate Schools
Northern Ontario.



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Ottawa, September 27, 1920.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th instant furnishing your reports of inspection on the Roman Catholic Indian Schools on Manitoulin Island.

In reply I beg to say that, as you have already been informed, your report on each of the schools visited has been given careful attention and the various matters referred to therein are being attended to.

With reference, however, to the school situation at Wikwemikong, in which you recommend that two new schools be established for the purpose of accommodating the children residing at a place called Jocko village and also at a point across Smith Bay from Wikwemikong, I beg to say that, owing to the many calls on the Department at the present time, it will not be possible to erect new school buildings this year. The matter of providing school accommodation for the children at both these points will not be lost sight of.

The Department has to thank you for the full reports you forwarded regarding each of the schools visited and for the interest you take in the education of the Indian children.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie
For Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. M. Bennett
J. M. Bennett, Esq., B.A.,
Separate School Inspector,
47 Browning Ave.,
Toronto, Ont.

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Ottawa, October 9, 1920.

Sir,-

I beg to inform you that Miss Ethel M. Sloane, the assistant teacher of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, has forwarded her resignation, which has been accepted. She will not, therefore, return to resume duties.

You should endeavour to obtain the services of a teacher to succeed Miss Sloane and the name, qualifications and experience of all applicants should be forwarded for the consideration of the Department. In the meantime and until a teacher is secured, the substitute may continue the duties of teacher in the junior class-room.

When the returns for the September quarter are received the cheque for the amount of salary due the substitute teacher will be sent her instead of the arrangement with the former teacher for the payment of salary.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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*See letter under
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Extract from Inspector's Report on the Wikwemikong
School ----- Dated Sept, 14, 1921. 430214-6

Zoe St James
Miss ~~Isabel Butler~~ - Teacher
Experience of 6 years teaching
Salary \$550.00
Satisfactory in class work



I would recommend that this teacher's salary be in-
creased. The amount of work being done by this able
teacher merits more

J. M. Bennett.
Insp.

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Wikwemikong, Ont.
Sept: 24, 1921.



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The Secretary.

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Dear Sir,

I beg you to grant me the favour
of considering the matter of
increasing my salary.

The attendance at Wikwemikong
School has increased since I have
held the position as Principal and
The Inspectors have expressed
satisfaction at the work accomplished.

I begin now my twenty-first year
of teaching in Indian Schools.

In consideration of my many
years experience and of the satisfaction
given I feel confident that you

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will give my request due
consideration

Very respectfully yours,

Joe St. James.

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September 30th, 1921.

Approved
del
MEMORANDUM:

Mr. Scott.

Miss Joe St. James, senior teacher of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, has applied for an increase in her salary. She is at present receiving \$600 per annum and bonus at the rate of \$150. She has been in our employ for 21 years and has also taught 9 years in white schools. She has had normal training in the U.S.A.

There is an enrollment of 113 children at this school with an average attendance of 84; 50 pupils are enrolled in the senior room with an average of 38, and 63 in the junior room with an average of 46.

Mr. Bennett, the Separate School Inspector, in his report of inspection dated September 14th, last, states that Miss St. James is one of the most capable and earnest teachers in the Indian schools. The work done by her is of a very high order and he recommended that her salary be increased.

The junior teacher, Miss Peltier, is paid at the rate of \$550 per annum and bonus of \$150. There is a difference of only \$50 in the amount received by these teachers.

The salaries are paid from the appropriation for Indian education, and I would beg to recommend, in consideration of Miss St. James' many years experience and the satisfactory work she is performing, that she be granted an increase of \$100 from the 1st of September, last, the beginning of the present ~~fiscal~~ year.

J. D. Luthers

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OTTAWA, Oct. 4th, 1921.

Madam, -

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 24th ultimo, applying for an increase in your salary, as senior teacher of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

In reply, I beg to say that in view of your experience, and the satisfactory work you are performing, the Department will approve of an increase of \$100 in salary being granted you from the 1st of September, last. This will make your salary from that date at the rate of \$700 per annum, and you will also be entitled to the bonus allowed teachers of Indian day schools during the present fiscal year.

Mr. Agent Lewis is being informed of the increase in salary allowed you.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Zoe St. James
Miss Zoe St. James,
Senior Teacher, Indian Day School,
Wikwemikong, Ont.

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19-6-1.

OTTAWA, Oct. 4th, 1921.

Sir, -

I beg to inform you that it has been decided to increase the salary of Miss Zoe St. James, senior teacher of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, \$100 per annum from the 1st of September, last. This will make her salary from that date at the rate of \$700 per annum. She will also be entitled to the bonus allowed teachers of Indian day schools during the present fiscal year.

Miss St. James has been informed of the increase allowed her.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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*Miss Baer
to note
Dr. J. B.*

*J. B.
A. F. MacKenzie
Letters*

A. F. MacKenzie

Wickwemikong, Ont.
Oct. 24, 1921.

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Mr. J. F. MacKenzie,
Ottawa.

Dear Sir, -

I wish to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of October fourth and to thank you for the increase of salary granted by the Department.

Respectfully yours,

Jos. St. James.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 16 1922
RECORDS

Wikwemikong, Ont.,
10th May, 1922.

To the Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs,

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Honourable Sir,-

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Now, to come to an altogether different subject: Owing to the fact that justice forces me to oppose the actual chiefs in what I wrote above, they did not speak to me of their idea of having here a third teacher. I would have told them that there is no need of it, because, while for a short period every year when I have preparation for first communicants, and again for a short while when there is to be an entertainment, the average attendance is never more than what the two present teachers can very well manage. I would have added that next year the number of pupils shall be smaller, owing to a good many of them going to the Industrial School, - and again that the families leaving more and more the village to live on the farm, the attendance at school shall no more be large as it has been.

Of course, if there had been a real need of a third teacher, worth the expense of it, it is I first and the teachers who would have applied for it.

If there is money to spend, they should support some better their poor, their old or sick people.

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Rev. G. A. Artus,
Supt. of the Mission.

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Wikwemikong May 8th 1922
R. J. Lewis Esqr.
Indian Agent
Manitowaning Ont.

Dear Sir -

At a meeting of the Indians of Manitowling Island unceded held this day in Council and called in accordance with the rules of the band moved by Joseph Wabi'gipig seconded by Joseph Eshekogon and Carried

That the Department of Indian Affairs be requested that an assistant teacher be employed duties to commence in the near future

	Joseph Wabi'gipig	mover
	Joseph Eshekogon	seconded
Chief	Joseph P. Manitowabi	
Councillor	Joseph Wabi'gipig	
"	John Revell	
"	Joseph Osawamick	
"	Louis Osawaminick	

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
May 10th, 1922.



Sir:-

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I have the honour to enclose herewith a copy of a resolution by the Chief and Councillors of the Manitoulin Island Unceded Band requesting that a third teacher be employed at the Wikwemikong day school.

With regard to this resolution, I have the honour to report that I cannot recommend that they be granted their request as it is not necessary that a third teacher be employed. During this season of the year there is always a large attendance but later on in the season the attendance is much smaller, and at any time the attendance is not more than two teachers can manage.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. [Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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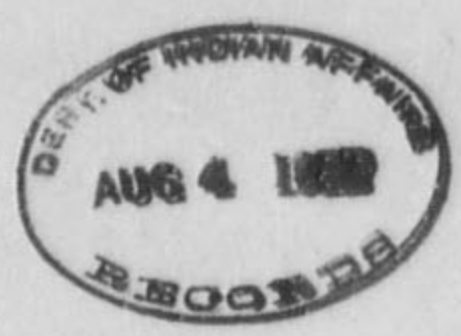
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*Note. Mr. Phelan who was at
Spawinang Aug 4th saw Miss St. James
the principal of the Wickwemikong school and
discussed the matter of applying a 3rd teacher.
Miss St. James advised that as soon as the
present line a 3rd teacher would
not likely be wanted. The offer of a 3rd teacher
and then only for one month the next year.*

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EXTRACT FROM MR. INSPECTOR PARKER'S REPORT
DATED AUGUST 1, 1922. Manitowaning Agency

Original on File 77-19.

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There are seven day schools in this Agency,
all of which are visited regularly by the Agent.
Attendance is fair but especially good at Wikwemikong,
where I think another teacher could well be provided
as the classes are too large for the present staff.

(Sgd.) C. C. Parker.



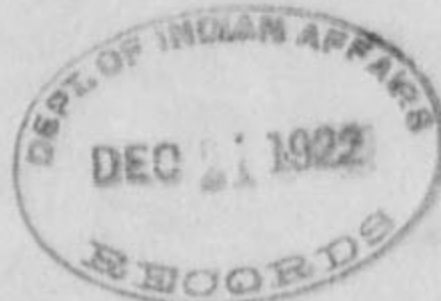
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Wikwemikong, Ont.
Dec. 11th, 1922.

To the Dept. of Indian Affairs,-
Ottawa, Ontario.

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Dear Sirs.-

The following is the Report of my work
on this reserve for the past month.

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If only they all would send their children
to school. I see so many children of school age running
around the roads during school hours.

On November 15th I visited the two school
rooms here. I did not think it was a good idea to have
two single desks close together as they have them. The
primary teacher frequently complains of her pupils having
sore throats. My idea of the children sitting close
together, is that they catch one another's breath, and they
transmit their diseases this way. I am mentioning this
to Mr. Lewis, the Indian Agent.

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Agnes Sampson,



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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
January 23rd, 1923.

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Sir:-

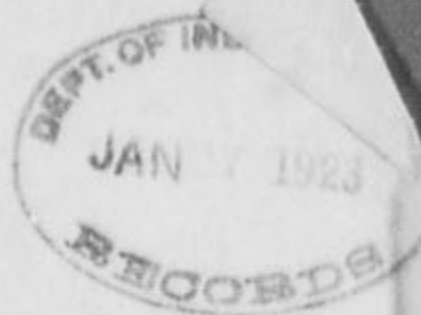
I have the honour to report that Miss Isabelle Peltier, assistant teacher at the Wikwemikong School, is ill and cannot perform her duties in the class-room, and rather than have the junior room closed arrangement has been made with Mrs. Chas. S. King to take charge until Miss Peltier recovers sufficiently to resume her work, which I hope will meet with the approval of the Department.

Mrs. King has taught for several years in the different schools on the Manitoulin Unceded Reserve and has always been a capable teacher with the junior classes.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

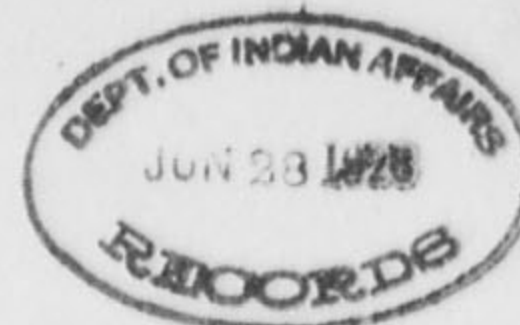


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154-5-26,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
June 23rd, 1923.

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Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 19-6-1 of the 11th, instant, with reference to obtaining the services of a teacher to replace Miss Peltier as assistant at the Wikwemikong School, I have the honour to report that Miss Suzanne A. Fex of Spanish Station, Ont., has made application for the position as assistant teacher at Wikwemikong for the next teaching year.

Miss Fex states that she has a Preliminary Certificate, and has three years experience in Indian Schools, and she has been recommended to the position by Miss M. Hickey, Matron in charge of the Industrial School at Spanish, at the request of the Missionary in charge at Wikwemikong who is out of this district at the present time on business.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Hewson
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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154-5-26.

Ottawa, June 29, 1923.

Sir:

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 23rd instant, informing the Department that you have received an application from Miss Suzanne A. Fex for the position of assistant teacher of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, for the next school year, and stating the qualifications and experience of the applicant.

In reply I beg to say that it is considered the services of Miss Fex would be satisfactory, and her appointment is approved, -duties to begin when the school re-opens after the midsummer holidays. The salary allowed her will be at the rate of \$550 per annum, which will be supplemented by any bonus provided by law.

You may inform Miss Fex of her appointment and arrange with her to be ready to take up duties when the school re-opens. We note that she has been recommended by Miss Hickey, Principal of the Girls' School at Spanish.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

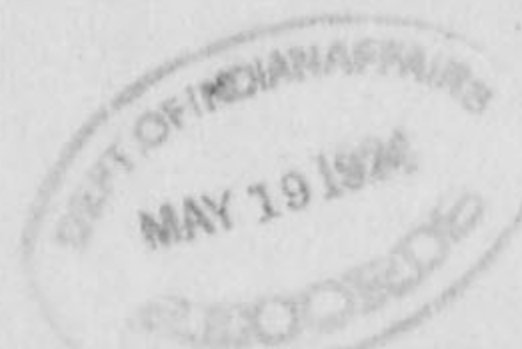
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Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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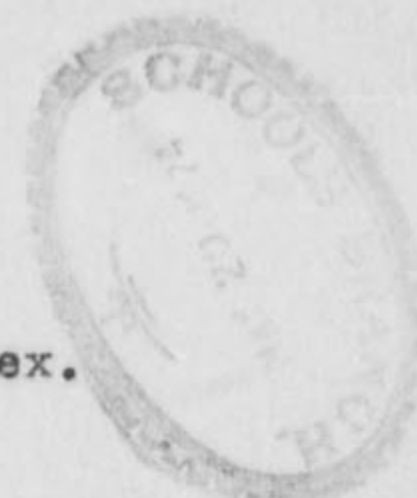
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Extract from Inspector's Report on the Junior Room
of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School. May 13, 1924.

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School



Teacher..... Miss Susan A. Fex.

Salary \$550.00

Salary of the Junior Room teacher should be raised.

I am endeavouring to get permission for this
teacher to attend the Ontario Summer Model
School at Gore Bay.

J. M. Bennett,
Insp.

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Ottawa, May 20, 1924.

Sir:

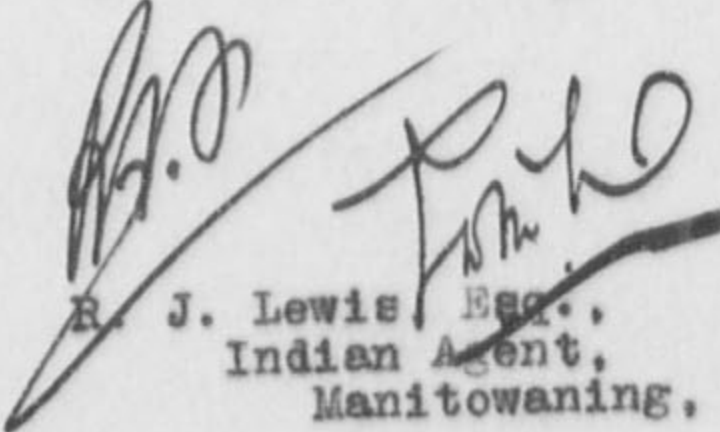
Mr. J. M. Bennett, the Public School Inspector, reports that Miss Susan A. Fex, the Junior Teacher at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, is worthy of a salary increase and that he is endeavouring to arrange for her attendance at the Ontario Summer Model School at Gore Bay. Please inform Miss Fex that the Department will give favourable consideration to an increase of \$50 in her salary if she attends the Model School.

In the event that this teacher is not able to secure permission to attend the Summer Course, I should be pleased if you would make a recommendation concerning the salary increase.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.


R. J. Lewis Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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19-6-1.

Ottawa, May 20, 1924.

Sir:

I have to acknowledge that portion of your report on the Wikwemikong Indian Day School which refers to Miss Susan A. Fex, the Junior Teacher. I have to thank you for your effort to have Miss Fex attend the Summer Model School at Gore Bay. Mr. R. J. Lewis, Indian Agent at Manitowaning, has been informed that the Department will allow salary at the rate of \$600 per annum for the ten teaching months, plus any bonus which may be provided by law, if this teacher takes the special course.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

J. M. Bennett
J. M. Bennett, Esq., B. A.,
Public School Inspector,
47 Browning Ave.,
Toronto, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

Manitowaning, Ont.

June 2nd, 1924. 19

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No.

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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Sir,—

With reference to Official Letter No. 19-6-I of the 20th ultimo, in regard to the Separate School Inspector, reporting to the Department that Miss Susan A. Fex, the Junior Teacher at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, is worthy of a salary increase and that he is endeavouring to arrange for her attendance at the Ontario Summer School at Gore Bay, and to inform Miss Fex that the Department will give favourable consideration to an increase of \$50 in her salary if she attends the Model School, I have the honour to report that I have taken the matter up with Miss Fex, but she would not give me a favourable reply as she does not know at the present time whether, or not, she will take charge of the Junior classroom at the Wikwemikong School next year.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Wikevenikong, Ont.
June 16th 1924.

[Signature]
Superintendent of Indian Schools,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Dear Sir, -

Mr. Lewis, our Indian Agent, here, informed me the other day, that the Department was offering me \$50.00 if I wished to attend the summer school at Gore Bay. I am sorry to say, that I must decline the offer this year, but I trust to be able to accept it next summer.

I wish to thank you most cordially for this offer, and for all past favors.
Very respectfully yours,
Suzanne A. Fief



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Spanish, Ont.
July 28, 1924.

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To the Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa.

Sir:-

I hereby tender my resignation as
teacher of the Senior Class in Wikevewikong
Indian Day School.

Thanking you for your kind
co-operation in the work during the time
spent at this school.

Trusting I may at some future day be
employed again in some of your schools.

I am,

Very respectfully yours,
Joe St. James.



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19-6-1.

Ottawa, July 30, 1924.

Madam:

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 28th instant, tendering your resignation as senior teacher of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School. In reply I beg to say it is regretted that you find it necessary to give up your duties at this school. Your services, while in the employ of the Department as teacher, have been satisfactory. Your resignation is accepted and we will endeavour to obtain the services of a teacher to succeed you.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Miss Zoe St. James,
Spanish,
Ont.

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E. D. McLean

Ottawa, July 30, 1924.

Sir:

The Department has received the resignation of Miss Zoe St. James as teacher of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School. We have a number of applications for positions as teachers in Indian schools, and, if you have no person in view whom you would recommend, we would arrange to make the appointment from here. If you have any applicant with the necessary qualifications, I shall be pleased if you will submit the name, qualifications and experience. I shall be glad to hear from you as to whether or not you can obtain a teacher to succeed Miss St. James. I may add that Miss McFaul, who taught the Kaponi Indian Day School, has applied for another school, and, if you consider her services would be satisfactory for Wikwemikong, she might accept the position.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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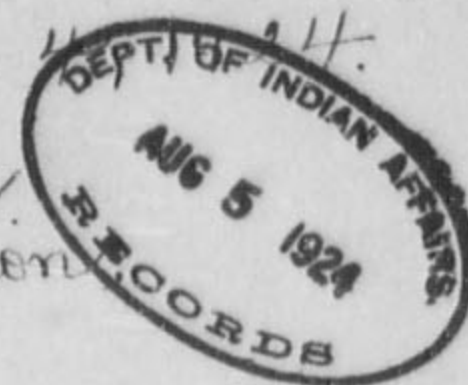
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Ottawa, Aug. 11/24.



Schools
The Superintendent of Indian Education,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir,

Learning from the Department of Indian Affairs, that a vacancy exists in Wewikemikong Indian Day School, I would like to apply for the position as principal of the school.

For salary I will ask a total sum of one hundred dollars a month, for a term of ten months.

My qualifications have been stated in several previous applications.

If the Department honours me with the position, I shall take charge with the determination and confidence that my services will give satisfaction to all concerned.

Yours respectfully,
F. Theresa McPaul.

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64-5-28.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
August 4th, 1924.



Sir:-

I am in receipt of Official Letter No. 19-6-I of the 30th ultimo, in regard to Miss Zoe St. James placing her resignation as teacher of the Wikwemikong Day School in the hands of the Department and the question of appointing another teacher to the position; I have the honour to report that I am in receipt of an application for the position as principal of this school from Miss Sadie Burke, of Spanish, Ont.

Miss Burke is willing to take charge of the school at the same rate of salary as has been paid to Miss St. James during the past year, and I might say for the information of the Department that Miss St. James has asked Miss Burke to apply for the position on account of her being a capable teacher and having a number of years experience in teaching.

I might say that I have not any objection to the Department making the appointment from Ottawa, but I believe it better for the school if the teacher is appointed from the staff at Spanish, as Wikwemikong School is a heavy school on account of the large attendance of Indian children and the teachers from Spanish are acquainted with the work among Indians.



Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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154-5-28.

Ottawa, August 7th, 1924.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 4th instant, with reference to the securing of the services of a teacher for the senior room at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School to succeed Miss St. James who has resigned.

In reply I beg to say that an application has been received from Miss Sadie Burke, and the Department is approving of her appointment. The salary allowed her will be at the rate of \$700 per annum, the same as was paid Miss St. James. She will also be entitled to the bonus provided by law, which, during the present fiscal year ending March 31st, 1925, is at the rate of \$15 per month. Payment of both salary and bonus is based on ten teaching months in the year. We have requested Miss Burke to be ready to take up duties when the school re-opens after the present summer holidays, on September 2nd, next. I shall be pleased if you will give her every assistance you can in her work at this school.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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19-6-1.

Ottawa, August 7th, 1924.

Madam:

I have your letter of the 4th instant, applying for the position as senior teacher of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, and stating the salary which you would require.

In reply I beg to say that the highest salary paid to the senior teacher of this school was at the rate of \$700 per annum, supplemented by the bonus provided by law. We will, therefore, be unable to accept your services, and have made arrangements to obtain a suitable teacher who has had previous experience in the schools on Manitoulin Island.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

FTM
Miss F. Theresa McFaul,
115 Clarendon Avenue,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
November 3rd, 1924.

Sir:-

With reference to Official Letter No. 19-6-I of May the 20th, last, with regard to the question of a raise of \$50 in the salary of Miss Susan A. Fex if she would attend the Ontario Summer Model School at Gore Bay, I have the honour to report that Miss Fex did not take the Summer Course as the School at Gore Bay has been discontinued, but I would most respectfully recommend that she be given the increase of \$50 in her salary for the current year.

In the event of the Department granting her the increase in salary there will be a balance of \$5.00 due her on September month salary, as she only received \$55.00 for that month.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]
Indian Agent.

*S. Becker - 700
Miss Fex 530*

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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Ottawa, November 6th, 1924.

Sir:

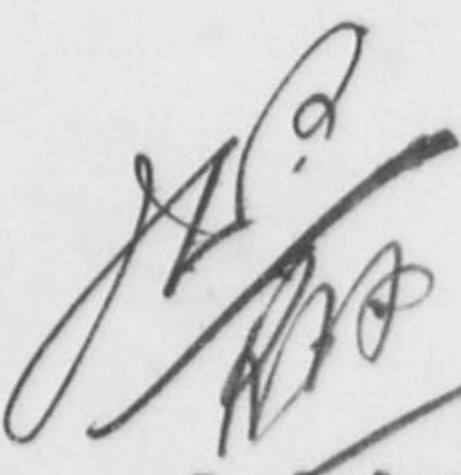
I have your letter of the 3rd instant, recommending an increase in salary to Miss Susan A. Fex, junior teacher of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say that the Department will approve of an increase of \$50 in the salary of Miss Fex from the 1st of September, last, the beginning of the present school year. This will make her salary from that date at the rate of \$600 per annum. She will also be entitled to the bonus provided by law. Payment of both salary and bonus is based on ten teaching months in the year. A cheque for \$5, being the balance due at the increased rate for the month of September, last, will be sent Miss Fex. Please inform her of the increase in salary allowed.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.


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Manitowaning, Ont.

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Wickwemistong. Feb. 2nd 1925-

R. J. Lewis Esq.
Indian Agent.
Manitowaning Dist.
Dear Sir.

At a meeting of the Indians of Manitowling Island blusaded held this day in council and called in accordance with the rules of the Band It was proposed by John H. Beabarnikawee and John Osawanimitti and carried unanimously that a request be sent to the Department of Indian Affairs for the erection of a new School House in the vicinity of Rabbit Island in the lot of Isaac Wm Assinime. There are about forty one children of school age which necessitates of having a school at that place.

The Band is in favour of using the capitol fund of the band for the construction of said school.

John H. Beabarnikawee
John Osawanimitti
John Wabigij
John J. Ekkoogan
James Shawana
Joe X Pontiac

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
February 5th, 1925.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a copy of a resolution by the Chief and Councillors of the Manitoulin Island Unceded Band, of the 2nd instant, requesting the Department to authorize the erection of a new school house in the vicinity of Rabbit Island on the farm of Mr. Isaac W. Assinewai on the Manitoulin Island Unceded Reserve and the cost of the same be charged against the funds at the credit of the Band.

It is claimed by some of the members of the Band that there are forty one children in the section where they ask the school building to be erected, but on looking over the whole situation I find that there are a number of these children under school age, and it is a question if there would be ample children of school age who could attend regularly to warrant the opening of a school.

At the present time I cannot recommend to the Department that a new building be erected and a school opened in the section of Rabbit Island.

I might also say for the information of the Department that Rabbit Island section referred to, is a farming section north of Wikwemikong Village, and the location for the proposed school is about a distance of four miles from Wikwemikong.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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Ottawa, February 12th, 1925.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 5th instant, enclosing copy of a resolution of the Chief and Councillors of the Manitoulin Island Unceded Band dated the 2nd instant, requesting the Department to erect a school for the benefit of the Indian children residing in the vicinity of Rabbit Island, the cost thereof to be charged against the funds at the credit of the Band.

In reply I beg to say that the Department, after considering this request, is not prepared at the present time to erect a new building and open a school at this point. Arrangements could, no doubt, be made to have a number of children of school age who are too far distant to attend the day school at Wikwemikong placed in the Spanish Residential School. However, as the Spanish School has at present the full number of pupils in residence which it can accommodate, the placing of any of the children residing in the vicinity of Rabbit Island would have to remain in abeyance until after the summer holidays next. You might take up with the Principal the matter of placing a number of these children in the Spanish School, and he could consider it when arranging for recruiting for the school next summer.

Please inform the Indians interested that the Department is unable to accede to the request as contained in their resolution.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Spanish, Mar. 2, 1925

Mr. T. Phelan.

Ottawa.

Dear Mr. Phelan,

I believe I can save
you unnecessary work.

Fortunately, there is a
Miss Paribere of Mackay, a friend
of ours and certified teacher, who
is willing to substitute for
Miss Burke.

Now, I would like to know,
Mr. Phelan, whether it will be
all right to have business still
carried on in Miss Burke's

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name as it is just possible
we may not quite substitute
for very long; I shall be glad
if it may be so, as it will
save transferring agreements.

I shall communicate with
Mr. Lewis Agent at Wickenburg
as soon as I hear from you.

I trust I may not be acting
contrary to any regulations, but
should such be the case, I
shall be grateful to you if you
just let me know.

Thanking you and hoping
this may meet with your
kind approval.
I am

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Yours very sincerely,
Louise Bombard.

P.S. Hope you received telegram
I sent you this morn.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY'S TELEGRAPH

TELEGRAM¹⁹⁻⁶⁻¹

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J. McMILLAN, General Manager of Telegraphs, Montreal.

Send the following Message, subject to the terms printed on the back hereof which are hereby agreed to.

Ottawa, March 23, 1925.

Miss Louise Bonnett,
Indian Residential School,
Spanish, Ont.

Department approves of Miss Lariviere acting as
substitute for Miss Burke at Wikwemikong.

J. D. McLean.

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St. Joseph's Residential School
Spanish, Ontario.

Spanish, March 27 1925.

P. Phelan, Esq., Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Dear Mr. Phelan,

Your letter of 23rd. to hand and I
thank you for kind attention given.

I regret to be obliged to trouble
you again regarding the matter, for despite the fact
that Miss Lariviere promised to accept, provided your
approval, she send word that she cannot accept. So I
request that you try to secure one to be on duty, if
possible by April 1st.

I know of one, Miss Ethel Sloane of
Venasta, Que., who taught there some years ago, and she
was succesfull with the Indians, I thought it might
(a mere chance of course) be possible to secure her
services.

In the case of your not having names on file,
would you kindly communicate with her.

I am writing her also, explaining matters a
little, so that she may, if she is able, go straight to
Wkwemikong.

Trusting you may be successful in securing
her or some one soon, and thanking you, I am

Yours very gratefully,

Kindly let me hear from you soon as possible.

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Ottawa, March 30, 1925.

Madam,-

The teacher of the senior room of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School has been obliged to give up work owing to illness and the Department requires a substitute teacher to take charge of this school at once.

If you are willing to accept this appointment, please arrange to proceed to the school immediately. The method of reaching the school is to go to Sudbury by C. P. Railway and from there to Little Current by the Algoma Eastern Railway. From Little Current you can be driven to the school.

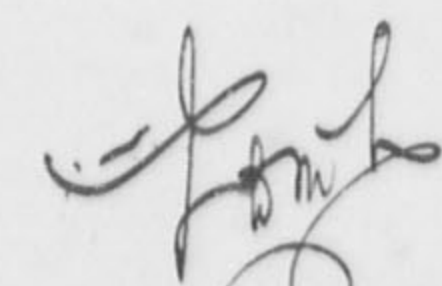
Miss Bennett, principal of the Girls' School at Spanish, advises us that she has already written to you with reference to accepting this appointment. The monthly salary is at the rate of \$85.00, which includes both salary and bonus.

I trust that you will be able to accept this appointment and proceed to the school at once. If you have an opportunity you might call at the Department when passing through Ottawa.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.



Miss Ethel St. John,
Venosta,
Q U E.

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Ottawa, March 30, 1925.

Madam,-

In reply to your letter of the 27th instant, I beg to say that the Department is, today, writing Miss Ethel Sloane, Venosta, Que., requesting her to proceed to Wikwemikong at once to act as substitute teacher in the senior room.

Miss Sloane called at the Department a couple of weeks ago requesting an appointment and we are, therefore, in hopes that she has not yet received a school and will be available for Wikwemikong. As soon as we hear further from her you will be advised.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss L. Bennett,
Indian Residential School,
Spanish, ONT.

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I54-5-29.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
March 28th, 1925.

[Handwritten signature]

Sir:-

I have the honour to report that Miss Sadie J. Burke, Principal of the Wikwemikong School, has to discontinue her duties as teacher for the time being on account of ill health, and the Reverend Father Desautels has recommended Miss Rivers, a qualified teacher at Spanish, to take charge of the senior class room as a successor to Miss Burke.

Miss Rivers has had four years experience, and much success in her teaching, and as Miss Burke is unable to teach the balance of the school term, I would most respectfully recommend that the Department approve of Miss Rivers taking charge of the school for the balance of the school year.



Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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154-5-29.

Ottawa, April 2nd, 1925.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 28th ultimo, informing the Department that on account of illness Miss Sadie J. Burke, senior teacher of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, had discontinued her duties.

In this connection I beg to say that the authorities of the Spanish Residential School informed the Department to the same effect. We are in correspondence with a prospective teacher and hope to be able to make a temporary appointment at an early date. The authorities at Spanish in notifying us of the illness of Miss Burke recommended the appointment of a Miss Lariviere, but subsequently informed us that she could not accept. You will be informed in the course of a few days as to whether the teacher to whom we have offered the position will accept or not.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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19-6-1.

Ottawa, April 3rd, 1925.

Sir:

With further reference to your letter of the 28th ultimo, and the Department's reply of the 2nd instant, regarding the appointment of a substitute teacher to succeed Miss Sadie J. Burke, who had to give up duties at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School on account of illness, I beg to inform you that we have appointed Miss Ethel Sloane temporarily. The salary allowed her will be at the rate of \$85 per month. Miss Sloane left Ottawa last night to proceed to Wikwemikong to take up duties. Miss Sloane taught at this school several years' ago and is familiar with the conditions and work, and it is thought that she will meet with success during the period she acts as substitute teacher for Miss Burke.

Your obedient servant,

J.D. McLean
J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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 Venosta, Sue
 Mar. 30. 1925;

No action
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J. D. McLean, Secretary,
 Department of Indian Affairs
 Ottawa

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 APR 1 1925

Sir. -
 In reply to your letter
 of March 30th., (No. 19-6-1)
 I wish to say that I
 accept your offer and
 will be ready to begin
 teaching Apr. 6th. I will
 call at the Department on
 Wednesday, Apr. 1st.
 Yours Truly,
 Ethel Sloane

SCHOOLS BRANCH
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Send the following Message, subject to the terms printed on the back hereof which are hereby agreed to:

Ottawa, April 2, 1925.

Miss L. Bennett,
C/o Indian Residential School,
SPANISH, Ont.

Miss Slocane leaving Ottawa tonight arrive Wikwemikong
Saturday.

J. D. McLEAN.

Chg. Dept. I. A.

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TORONTO, SATURDAY, MAY 30, 1925.

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Father
Desautels
S.J.

Heirs of The Seventeenth
Century. Tradition Still
Carry The Cross to Indians
as of Yore—Priests Spend
Lives in Ministry to the
Redskins—Father Desau-
tels Seen at Wekwimikong

By F. G. GRIFFIN

It is indeed an old tradition as traditions go in Canada. Since the first members of the Society of Jesus came up the St. Lawrence in 1625, three hundred years ago, the Jesuits have conducted missions to the Indians. Though there was a break of some sixty years after the conquest.

In this Indian tongue. And frequently, when he had occasion to preach in French or English, he found himself breaking into the native speech, only discovering his lapse when the astonished looks of his hearers became evident.

It was Mr. J. M. Bennett of Toronto, inspector of separate schools in part of northern Ontario, who suggested that someone should come with him on one of his inspecting trips to the Indian schools of Manitoulin Island and write about it. It was on such a trip recently with Mr. Bennett that I had several interesting days' contacts with

Jesuit Fathers of Lonely Manitoulin Still Minister to Canada's Aborigines



The Church and
Jesuit Mission of
Wekwimikong,
Manitoulin
Island



Three Little Indian Maids Ready for
School



Eight Jesuit Missionaries
and lay brothers lie
Buried Beneath This
Group of Stones.



Joy Riding on the
Manitoulin Reserve.



canoe, which they plugged with a little pork. On such trips, winter and summer, Father Desautels carried his vestments and equipment of the mass in a box. This last was built so that it could be split in two and set up as a table. Sometimes it was under a tent; frequently it was just under the trees.

In his work in the north Father Desautels met numbers of pagan Indians who had never heard of God. He spoke of the difficulty of instructing them. He always used the objective method. At night he would walk out among them and ask them to look at the stars. As they looked he would try to drive home his conception of the God who made them.

Bishop Gets a Thrill

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So that it is not surprising to find Jesuit missionaries, living in the tradition, still devoting their lives to saving the souls of the Indians. The Indians have changed. These peaceable modern Redskins, farmers, trappers, fishermen, living subdued existences on reserves as wards of the white man, are very different from the savage Iroquois of the seventeenth century.

But the missionaries have not changed. They are as full of zeal to serve, as willing to bear hardship and isolation, as their forerunners in the Society of Jesus. Even though the crown of martyrdom and the seal of beatification can scarcely come to them as they came to Lalumet and Brebeuf.

These Jesuit priests are men who have gone through a long and severe novitiate of study and preparation to achieve a priestly culture of wide proportions. Perhaps no priesthood in the world fits its members in more scholarly fashion for their special task of ministry. Having this in mind, their scholarship and mental attainments, I asked a Jesuit missionary on Manitoulin Island why he and his fellows should think it worth while to bury themselves for years and years among the ignorant, unsocial, unresponsive Indians. He replied simply: "They have souls to save."

Yet he admitted that the Indians were little better than children; that in the main little could be done but lead them by example and teach them to perform "acts of devotion." He spoke of the difficulty of speaking to them, of teaching them, of their total lack of response. You might plead with them, argue with them, talk logic. They just sat there with dull, emotionless faces that gave no hint of effect or understanding. It was necessary to preach and talk in the simplest words. Only when you talked in terms of the things of their ordinary lives was it possible to get the slightest reaction.

"But it is indeed well worth while," said the Jesuit, his face lighting. "The first Friday of the month is a day of special devotion, and they will come twenty miles to attend the service. I have seen them coming in from their work in the bush, on the farms, wherever it may be, tramping a whole day, to perform their religious duties."

The Jesuit missionaries one found on the Manitoulin missions were all French, natives of the province of Quebec, except for a Belgian at Wekewikong. Another link with the past. In their service to the Indian they even forget the language of their youth. "I never thought a man could do that," declared Father Eugene Papineau, S.J., "but now I know he can."

Priests Link Past and Present

HE has been nearly twenty-five years on Manitoulin, preaching in English to the Indian people. So that the French that he learned to talk on his father's farm near Montreal has actually become rusty through disuse. To achieve this Indian tongue in the first place Father Papineau spent months on the Wekewikong reserve before ordination studying with his "professor of Ojibway."

Father Desautels, S.J., whose whole intercourse and preaching is practically all in Ojibway, declared that he even thought all the time

the Jesuit missionaries. That I happened to have been born and brought up a non-Catholic made this none the less interesting or their courtesy in providing me with beds and meals any the less kindly.

On the way we called at a separate school in Baldwin township, outside Espanola. Fifteen years ago here was a hardwood bush. In 1912 George Deguire and two other French-Canadians came and settled. To-day Deguire has thirty-nine acres cleared. His sons have cleared a similar number. Altogether there are fourteen families living there on good cleared land that is now where the bush was so recently. A good road has been cut in. In brief, here is a cameo of the way the French-Canadians are colonizing and developing large sections of northern Ontario.

"Number one soil," as Deguire called it, lay in the valleys between the rocks. Beyond spread the Spanish River limits. There was lots of work in the bush during the winter. Now, well, to-day they were still stumping, still clearing, still making land. Compare this with what Father Papineau said of the farms on Manitoulin Island: "You can't get the young people of to-day to clear an acre of land. They are satisfied with what they inherited from their fathers. Yet making land to-day is easier for the colonist in this generation than in the past. To-day he can find a ready market for his wood and earn money where in the past he had to burn it all up and perhaps wait for five years before he had producing land. It seems as if the English speaking settlers have not the instinct for colonization that the French have."

The separate school in Baldwin township was built in 1921. The people had a building bee and quickly put it up. "In two years," said Deguire proudly, as chairman of the little school board, "my children learn to speak and write both French and English."

Manitoulin's Peculiar Position

WE went into the small, white, neat school-house, with its spotless floor of squared cedar. It was cold enough for a May morning, and Mr. Bennett sent two of the older boys out for some wood. Soon a lad of fourteen, biggest in the school, was kneeling in front of the big box stove whittling off chips to start a fire which was presently cheerily crackling and filling the room with warmth. The children were a clean, frank, healthy group of youngsters whom the inspector was presently putting through their small gamut of knowledge in the English tongue. It must be difficult for such French children as some of these small boys and girls of five, six and seven who have to learn English in addition to acquiring the usual load which their years must face.

So much for this little school in the hardwood bush. To reach Manitoulin you must take the train from Espanola on the Sudbury-Soo line of the C.P.R. and travel by the Algoma Eastern to Little Current, which is the terminus on the northeast tip of the island. This is the only way of reaching it except by water. Manitoulin Island is in the peculiar position of having over a thousand miles of excellent roads, but there is no way of getting your car or horse to them unless you carry it there by train or boat. For no road

Separate School Built in Hardwood Bush of Baldwin Township Near Espanola

runs to Little Current. It is a great, and apparently a just, complaint of the islanders—isolating them in a sense and, worse still, preventing the motor touring outlander from reaching there. A road has been begun from Espanola, but for some reason or other operations have been halted, and the partly made road has been hung up in the heart of the bush.

The day after our arrival we spent on the Manitoulin unceded Indian reserve, driving past Manitowaning to Kaboni school, where a twenty-year-old girl, Miss Kelly, was trying to instill knowledge into youthful Indian heads. As we waited for the school to open an Indian woman of intelligence came along and talked. "I do want the Indian children to get an education," she said. She discussed the question of compulsory attendance. She was indeed anxious to see native teachers. There was a sadness in her liquid brown eyes. There was a longing in her soft pleasant voice. She seemed to express, for me, all the tragedy that lay in the lost glories of her race. And yet—

I asked Father Desautels if the Indians ever thought regretfully of their past or suffered from any feeling of conquest or inferiority at the hands of the white man. "I don't think," he replied, "that their lost land or departed glory ever costs them a thought. They suffer nothing. They take no unhappiness. They are satisfied with little in living."

Indians Lacking in Ideals

"OH, yes, they feel their inferiority. They know it. They are easily hurt. And they have an ambition to rise, but the development is very late. Though they can learn as easily as white people. What is missing in them then? It is the lack of ambition in life. They have no ideals. They would like success, but provided it cost nothing. There is no constancy in their efforts."

"But were not the Indians of the past of a higher, finer type? Are not these Indians to-day mere shadows of what the race once was?" "I don't know," replied Father Desautels. "I think the old-timers were all the same. I've seen them in the north, Indians who never knew civilization, and, on the whole, they are a race lacking the qualities which we are proud of. There is no purpose in their lives. If we read history carefully we see that the Indian has always lacked something. Even their speeches, if we read them carefully, we find them written by missionaries. They are people of nature. They have not very strong reason. They have no logic. They destroyed themselves without knowing it. They were always at war for no reason. Short-sighted. They drew on their youth and weakened it."

Yet as one passed from Kaboni to Buzwah and then to Wekewikong, which is the capital of the reserve, and later to West Bay and Shegawaning, visiting the Indian schools and missions, the idea of underlying sadness in the Indians persisted. They were so shy and speechless, these brown-eyed Indian children, like

scared animals that were afraid of man as they stood up to answer the unusual ordeal of the inspector's questioning. Not that all of them were so timid and emotionless as they seemed. Young Dominic, a tall boy in a brown sweater, broke down reading in Kaboni and was soon rubbing his eyes as tears trickled down his cheeks.

Hopeless, sad little people. They sang in sing-song, some of the boys not moving their lips. Then little Louise, a quaint, tiny figure in a grey-print dress and with bright black eyes and bobbed hair, recited brightly with a bravery that must have cost a tremendous effort. "Sleep, my baby, sleep." She was not much more than a baby herself. Followed Josephine, a tall dark girl with hair as black as night, who mumbled some passage in a formless monotone.

It was strange to hear these Indian children meeting the pretty harmless songs of the white child instead of some saga of their own barbaric past. Though the effect of their singing "O Canada" in one of the schools gave a certain thrill. And one or two of the schools finished up with "God Save the King." I asked Mr. Bennett to ask a couple of classes if they knew what this king was for whom they had been singing. Several members of a senior third class at Wekewikong were more or less conversant with His Majesty's status, but another class to whom the question was put seemed very hazy indeed about exactly who or what the king was. Though you could not judge from that, for some of the Indian children might know much more than they said and not wish to speak through hesitancy or shyness.

A Chief's Massive Monument

WEKWEWIKONG is a considerable village that faces on Manitowaning bay, capital of the reserve. Here is a school for Indian children conducted by the Nardene sisters; the Roman Catholic church, a fine stone building; and the great building, also of stone, where live the Jesuits. Once this last was a boarding-school for Indian boys and was alive with activity. But now this school has been removed to Spanish on the mainland, and the big building of many rooms is empty except for the occupancy of Father Desautels and the Belgian priest and two Jesuit lay brothers.

Between the church and the Jesuit house is the old massive stone mission built in 1838 in which the first missionaries nearly a century ago resumed the work of the Jesuits among the Indians. It is now a general workshop, cluttered up with tools, benches and small machinery. "Over there one of our old missionaries died," said Father Desautels, pointing to a corner. This is the whole place sacred. He led the way into the beautiful church, the altar, the pulpit and the other fine work all done by the hands of Jesuit brothers and the Indians whom they trained.

Then he conducted one into the adjacent cemetery, now full, where under the shadow of a tall, thin cross stand eight similar headstones to mark the quiet resting place of Jesuit priests and lay brothers who had died serving the church, far from home, among these distant In-

dians. Here lay Du Ranquet, 87 when he died in 1900, a nobleman of Alsace, a strong man of remarkable physique, first of the Jesuit missionaries of the last century, who had for fifty years traveled up and down the northland, winter and summer, carrying the cross to the scattered Algonquians.

Here, too, slept Jean Pierre Chose, another native of France, seventy when he died in 1873. And under this stone was the body of a young Jesuit priest, Father Rodrigus Roy, who was only thirty-two when he died of consumption. And under that one Premiot, drowned on one of his mission trips in the rapids of the Mississauga river away back in 1854 and brought back here to rest with these others. And here was Brother Jeuneux who came as a lay teacher with Father Du Ranquet.

A hallowed spot indeed to the Jesuit father who stood beside me looking at the graves and who was following in the footsteps of these men. Overshadowing the Jesuit headstones was a more massive monument to William Kinoshamee, chief here for twenty-two years, son of a man who had fought against the Nokomanish ("Big Knives"—the Americans) in the war of 1812. So said the lettering cut in Ojibway on the face of the stone.

Priest's Stirring Adventures

MISS PEX and Miss La Victoire, Nardene sisters, gave us lunch. The sisters of this order do not wear distinguishing hoods and habits as do most of the Roman Catholic orders. I was told that during the time of the French Revolution, when members of the religious orders were harried and persecuted in France, this sisterhood got into the custom of proceeding alone in muff, ministering at the risk of the guillotine; and that they have dressed thus ever since.

After lunch Father Desautels told me something about his work since he came among the Indians at the beginning of the century. He made many trips in the north each year into the country of the Albany, one summer as far as Fort Osnaburg right up to Lake St. Joseph. The missionary was accompanied by two daring Indians, the best he could find. They encountered some nasty rapids. For sixty miles going up they had to pole mile after mile. There was no rest, no let up while the canoe was in the water. Sometimes they crawled along a foot at a time, fighting by sheer force of their arms from stone to stone.

Coming down they encountered a long stretch of terrible rapids which they had avoided by portaging on the way up and with which the Indians were not very familiar. "Can you make it?" asked Father Desautels. "At a little risk," answered the Indians. "All right, go ahead," said the priest.

They shot ahead, zipping down shooting waters, gliding past the edge of treacherous rocks. Suddenly, loomed up a waterfall. They looked for some place to shoot. There was none. Yet they could not make the shore to land. About 200 feet from the bank they saw a rock about twelve feet square on the very edge of the fall. The Indians steered the canoe close. As it swept by in the current the three men jumped, scrambled on the rock and held the canoe with a rope. They pulled up the canoe and their baggage on the rock. They figured out their stranded position. Finally they lowered the canoe over the fall with ropes; and then the missionary and one of the Indians in turn. The second Indian had to jump.

The only mishap was a small hole in the

rock. Some two or three years ago Bishop Hallé, of the new diocese of northern Ontario, made a trip north with Father Desautels. The father told with evident delight of the thrill they gave his lordship on a northern lake when the Indians came up with a moose swimming and threw a noose over its head, so that the animal, driven by their shouts, towed them speedily down the lake, until as they drew close to the shore they despatched it with a blow of an axe.

The mission work among the Ottawa-Ojibway Indians of Manitoulin was begun in 1838 at Wekewikong, not by the Jesuits, but by a secular priest, Father Jean Baptiste Proulx. In that year he performed his first baptism of Madeline Assinive. Strangely enough, Father Desautels buried her last year. Her life of 54 years had completely spanned the history of this mission. By a coincidence the first male whom Father Proulx baptized, Pierre Lamorandiere, also died last year, though at Killarney on the mainland, not like the woman, at the spot where he had been first blessed by this early priest.

The Jesuits came to Wekewikong in 1844, the year in which the order sent out two missionaries from France to resume their traditional ministry to the Indians of Canada. Father Jean Pierre Chose came to Wekewikong; Father Dominic Du Ranquet made his headquarters on Walpole Island.

Father Desautels, a grave, kindly, bearded man of scholarly aspect, wearing glasses, has given nearly twenty-five years of his life to lonely life among these Indians. In a sense, his headquarters at Wekewikong, while not isolated from the viewpoint of mileage, are actually as far away from civilization for him as if he lived at Herschel Island. "I do not go out," he said simply. "I see few visitors. I have no time."

Except for his Belgian colleague and the Jesuit lay brothers Father Desautels sees none of his kind. His whole intercourse is with the Indians, of whom he has charge of some 1,700 souls. He is their priest, their father confessor, their mentor, their leader. He writes their letters. He keeps track of the casualties who go off to the lumber camps. He settles their domestic tangles. He advises in their land difficulties. Always he preaches and talks in the Ojibway tongue, walking miles and miles up and down his reserve or driving behind his Indian pony.

He is scholarly even in the Indian tongue. He has just concluded the translation of a book of devotion and hymns into the Ojibway, one of several native devotional books which he has prepared.

(Concluding article next week.)

HEARING BY HAND

TO teach the totally deaf to hear through the palms of their hands is the purpose of an instrument invented by Dr. Robert Gault.

The instrument resembles a telephone receiver and operates on a similar principle to the telephone, except that, instead of carrying sound vibrations to the ear, it causes them to reach the hand or some other sensitive part of the body.

It is necessary for the person using the apparatus to recognize what speech sounds caused the particular vibration he detects through his sense of touch. With the aid of the instrument Dr. Gault has succeeded in teaching five deaf persons to identify fifteen sentences containing ninety-one syllable words.

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Like The Proverbial Worm, a Dusky Damsel, One Jonquil Beek, Turns On a Prodigal Husband—Another Laughter-Compelling Story of Folks in Birmingham's Darktown—A Battle For a Divorce and a Tuxedo Suit

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"I and Jonquil have decided unanimous that we don't crave no divorce."

AND so the prodigal husband returned. He did it with jaunty confidence, and if there was a slight absence of warmth in the welcome vouchsafed by Mrs. Jonquil Beek, the deficiency did not penetrate his armor of self-esteem.

He re-established himself casually, and at breakfast time. Jonquil heard the front door open. She turned to gaze into the smiling countenance of her spouse. As he stood in the doorway there was an air of smug complacency about him which engendered a surge of annoyance in the bosom of Mrs. Beek, but at the same time she mentally confessed that he was not unpleasant to the eye.

Jasper was a large man, symmetrically formed. At the present time he was well groomed, and if there were patches on the southernmost portion of his trousers they were not visible to the comely young colored woman who stood regarding him through the haze of smoke which hovered appetizingly above the kitchen range. Nor did he permit the nature of his business to remain long in doubt.

"Heah's me," he announced.

She did not immediately bid him welcome. "Is you?" she asked, somewhat uncordially.

"I is."

She transferred a fried egg from the skillet to her plate and dexterously surmounted it with a sizzling strip of juicy bacon. "You ain't almin' to bum a breakfas' offen me, is you, Jasper?"

"Well—kinder. An' also dinner an' supper an' breakfas' to-morrow an' et cetera. I has returned home fo' keeps."

"Keeps which?"

He injected the full power of an undeniably appealing personality into the sunny smile he bestowed upon her. "Sugarfoot," he suggested, "they ain't no sense of us gettin' divorced away from each other."

"Humph! Tha's what you says."

"Is they?"

"No sense in us stayin' ma'led, is they?"

"Shuh! Always you gits pessimistic. I reckon the best thing us can do is to forget we ever was foolish enough to stah't a divorce—an' live happy ever-after." He tossed his hat on the lounge, pulled a chair up to the table, and sat down. "An' now—let's eat."

Jonquil scrutinized her husband closely. He didn't appear seedy, but there was no denying the presence of a hungry look in his eye. The fifty dollars which had been paid by Jo-

sonquil—desperately—"Is we ain't or ain't we is?"

"That all depen's. What you want that fifty dollars fo'?"

Jasper waxed loquacious. He spoke swiftly and tensely and earnestly. There was a sandwich concession in an Eighteenth street pool-room which he could swing for fifty dollars. According to the facts as he gave them, it was certain of netting not less than a thousand per cent. profit. The only trouble, he explained glibly, was the lack of fifty dollars. He was at the moment financially embarrassed.

"Huh. Way you been swellin' aroun' Bud Pezlar's place, you wa'n't so broke."

He grimaced with distaste. "Don't never mention that place to me again, sweetness."

"Way not?"

"Cause it ain't no good an' it's gittin' mo' so et'y day."

Urgent Need of \$50

JONQUIL knew the man. "Who won all yo' money playin' pool?"

"Florin Slappay."

"Serves you right fo' thinkin' you could beat that shark. Ain't I hearn you say lots of time he was a wizzid?"

"Yeh—but—"

"But you is broke an' you wants fifty dollars cash money an' so you returns back to the wife of yo' bosom which you departed away fum th'e weeks ago. Reckon they ain't nothin' doin', Jasper. You is entirely too gay an' festival fo' a hard-workin' gal like me."

Jasper frowned slightly. This was something which he had not anticipated. But he needed that fifty dollars, and he thereupon proceeded to unleash the full force of his latent histrionic ability. He made it quite clear to Jonquil that she was the single person in the world essential to his utter happiness; that without her there just wasn't no cosmic scheme worth the name; that his recent vacation from the marital roof had awakened in him keen realization of her wifely worthwhileness.

Mr. Beek was a persuasive operator, and Jonquil was merely a woman. Here was Jasper in a new role; his insufferable conceit submerged; his manner humble. And so, not entirely without premonition, she agreed that he might stick around awhile. Immediately his face brightened and he touched once again on the matter of the fifty dollars which had been paid by Jo-

sonquil nodded. "Reckon so."

"Ain't you shauh?"

"Uh-huh. Guess I am. Reckon I was foolish enough to ma'y him in the fust place. 'tain't gwine make things so much wuss to stay ma'led a while longer."

"Attaral!" enthused Jasper. "She sho' is teetin' now, ain't she, Lawyer Carter?"

"I don't know nothin' 'bout her tool," responded the attorney with dignity. "An' as fo' her reconsiderment 'bout this heah divorce, that's a matter betwix you an' her."

"An' you," stated Jasper significantly.

"Says which?"

"An' you also."

Lawyer Carter Aggressive

"HOW come I is in on it?"

"Ain't you in the divorcin' business?"

"I is you-all's counselor, if that's that you mean."

"Himself. Also you is our banker. You has got that fifty dollars us paid you."

A light of understanding dawned on the Colorado clare face of the lawyer. "You say words, Mistah Beek, but they don't mean nothin' I ain't got any cents which ain't mine."

"Aw! G'wan! Di'n't us pay you fifty dollars down on a one hundred dollar divorce?"

"Yeh."

"An' is we gwine git the divorce?"

"You says not."

"Then how come us not git the fifty dollars back?"

Lawyer Carter did not care for his male client, and the lean face hardened.

us back what we has paid. You reckon he means it?"

"Uh-huh."

"In other words, we has paid a heap of money an' we ain't got nothin' to show fo' it."

"Cept each other."

"Shuh!" The exclamation indicated clearly to Jonquil that her husband considered this poor return for a fifty dollar investment. "We had that all the time. An' neither I don't like Lawyer Carter. I craves to put one over on him."

"How?"

"He thinks we is gwine let him keep that fifty dollars 'thout him doin' no work."

"You reckon?"

"Uh-huh. An' it's wuth fifty dollars fo' me to show him I ain't the kind of a man he can put somethin' over on."

She glanced at him from the corners of her eyes. "What you aims to do, Jasper?"

"Just this"—Jasper had the grace not to meet his wife's scrutiny—"seems like the on'y way us can git our money's worth is by goin' th'oo with the divorce."

"But you said this mawnin' you di'n't want no divorce."

"This mawnin'! That ain't now."

"You said you loved me an' aimed to git to be my husban' again."

"Daw-gone it! That was this mawnin'."

"Wasn't it?"

"An' you has changed up?"

"Yeh."

"How come?"

"I craves to git even with Lawyer Carter. He's got me sore, an' when I gits sore, I gits sore all over. I say let's go ahead with the divorce."

Jonquil was silent as she reflected upon the

pleading again—"aint you got fifty dollars you c'n loaned me fo' a few days?"

The sheer effrontery of the man took her back for a moment. Then her face flamed a vivid lavender. "Goodness Goshness Miss Agnes! Cullud man—serve is suttin' the one thing you ain't got nothin' else but. Don't you know that did I have fifty dollars I wouldn't spen it fo' no suit of dinner clothes to put on yo' figger? Trouble with you is that you is too uppity already."

They walked southward in silence, but both were busy with personal thoughts. In the mind of Jasper was a great yearning for the Tuxedo outfit, and Jonquil was telling herself fervently that this brief return to the matrimonial state was positively her last adventure with Jasper.

In fact, the more she thought of it the more convinced she became that she had been a fool to marry him in the first place, a still bigger one to respond to his overtures that morning, and she had no intention whatsoever of permitting him to use her any further.

On the other hand, she was opposed to the idea of defraying the entire divorce expense. At the same time she wanted the divorce now more than ever. And there was another fifty dollars due Lawyer Carter. It wasn't that one hundred dollars was more than she was willing to spend for freedom from the perfidious Jasper—but she rebelled at the idea that the separation should cost him nothing.

And then an idea came to her. She smiled benignly upon her husband.

"Jasper," she announced, "us goes by the bank."

"Fo' which?" he asked suspiciously.

"I aims to draw fifty dollars out of my savin's account."

Hope dawned in his eyes—hope and suspicion. "Whaffo' you draws out fifty dollars?"

"So as I c'n go down to the express office an' git yo' Tuxedo suit."

He clasped her arm. "Honeybunch—you ain't triflin' with me, is you?"

"Noesuh."

"You really means you is gwine git my Tuxedo out of the express office?"

"Uh-huh."

"Aw—"

But further than that she said nothing. She stopped by their once happy home where she secured her bank book, and he trailed her downtown to the Birmingham Trust, where she received fifty dollars in exchange for her check.

Jasper found it hard to believe his good luck; it seemed to him that Jonquil must have put in operation some dire and dark plan for his undoing, but until he was convinced of that fact he played the game adroitly. All the way from the bank to the express office he kept up a running fire of comment which had to do with her magnificent goodness, her generosity, his undying gratitude. To none of his blatant endearments did she make any response. Jasper was decidedly ill at ease.

Some Funny Fumadiddles

AT the express office he secured the coveted box containing his tuxedo suit. And there, for the first time, Jonquil made a definite move which gave him some slight indication of the

taking her grim earnestness. "In that there box, Lawyer Carter, is the fondest thing Jasper is of in this world. Fo' that he is willin' to lie to me an' Lawy knows what else. A'right, he craves that suit an' I craves a divorce away from him. You keep that suit until Jasper comes to you with one hund'ed dollars. Tha's fifty fo' his half of the divorce an' fifty fo' the suit. Minute he pays that hund'ed dollars he gits the suit—an' not one minute o'efo'. Is that satisfactory?"

Lawyer Carter explained unctuously that it was highly satisfactory to him, but Jasper's misery was unrelieved. "Where at is I gwine git he a hund'ed dollars?" he wailed. "Just answer me that, will you?"

Jonquil shrugged. "Go fool some other woman like you done me. Reckon you has got a heap of lady frien's which would loan you money. I reckon you want that suit 'bout as much as I craves to git shet of you, so the sooner you gits you a job of work an' earns them \$100 the quicker bofe of us is gwine be happy."

They departed; Jonquil more or less satisfied with the misery she had caused her miscreant spouse, and Jasper wallowing in the nadir of despair. And meanwhile, Lawyer Pistach Carter gazed intently at the door through which Jonquil had disappeared. The bachelor heart of Lawyer Carter was touched.

"Some gal!" he murmured softly. "Ain't no sense of a man livin' alone c'n he git him a woman which has got the common sense Miss Beek has got. Reckon she's a wife mos' any man would be glad to have proud of him."

"You is Crazy in the Head"

JONQUIL returned home. Somehow the atmosphere of the little cottage was clearer than it had been in many a day. No longer was there a disturbing uncertainty as to her status. It was definitely settled that she was done with Jasper and she knew now she was gloriously glad. His darksome scheming had almost caught her napping—and she reveled in the thought of the unhappiness which he was facing, for in order to procure one hundred dollars she believed that he must work, and she knew Jasper hated work, almost as much as he loved his tuxedo suit.

As for Jasper, that individual gloomed around Darktown, pondering on ways and means for raising the money for his tuxedo. The more he pondered, the more certain he became that Jonquil had been unreasonable. As he saw it she was eventually due to be out of pocket one hundred dollars: the fifty paid Lawyer Carter plus fifty she had advanced on the suit. By evening he convinced himself he was a sadly misused young man, but that did not get him one nickel nearer the coveted clothes.

Nor did the day following present a method of escape from his dilemma. He needed one hundred dollars, and he saw no prospect of getting it. Work was out of the question—but he found on investigation that his credit was severely limited. There were a few friends who were willing to trust him two bits' worth, but were willing to make it took entirely too many quarters to make one hundred dollars. The only solution he could see was work, and Jasper was no more fond of work than a boy is of toothache.

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with profound yearning. Mrs. Beek said something—and she said it most pointedly.

"You cut yo'self a slice of bacon," she invited coolly. "You useter could broil it real good."

Reluctantly and impatiently Jasper arose and plunged into the cook's job. A few minutes later he returned to the table bearing a plate containing several slices of freshly broiled bacon and two pieces of bread which had been fried in the bacon grease. He attacked the meal with gusto, washing each mouthful down with draughts of steaming coffee, and whilst he ate his wife regarded him through half closed eyes. Finally she spoke.

"What Do You Crave?"

"A N' now that you has ate you' breakfast—what do you crave?"

He looked up with well simulated guilelessness: "Want? Met? He shrugged. "Nothin'."

"Tha's pretacly what you is gwine git."

"Now, honey, they ain't no use of you keepin' on bein' sore."

"Huh! Burnt dog never strikes twice in the same place, Jasper."

"Who's burnt?"

"I is."

"How come?"

"You know good an' well how come. You know you done me wrong; always has, since us gotten ma'led the fast time. Then you goes an' wins a heap of money down to the Pool an' Gimwine lottry an' you leaves me. Next thing I heahs fun you, you is almin' to git a divorce."

"I was awful foolish in the head that day, Jonquill."

"You wa'n't so foolish that you forgot to work it so I would pay the fast fifty dollars on the divorce."

"Well—you said you was just as glad to git divorced away fum me as I was fun you."

"Yeh, an' I ain't so shuah I has changed my mind any since then, neither."

Jasper produced a battered packet of cigarets. From this he extracted one which he lighted. He threw back his head, puffed deeply, and exhaled three beautiful smoke rings which he gazed upon fondly. Jonquill's lips curled into a faint sneer.

"That," she remarked acridly, designating the smoke rings, "is the most work I ever seen you do."

Jasper smiled genially. "Gallise just fixin' to stah to work."

"Who?"

"Ev'body. I an' you is gwine be partners! tha's how come I to return home. I has got a good scheme all schum out."

"All you lacks is the cash money, huh?"

"Well, Peaches—"

"On yo' way, culled boy. I ain't got any time. Loo' money I had was that fifty dollars I paid Lawyer Carter to stah to our divorce fo' us."

"That's jus' exacly it." Jasper struck a triumphant attitude. "Ain't no use spendin' that fifty dollars when us needs it fo' other things, an' ain't gwine git a divorce nohow."

"Who says we ain't?"

"We ain't, is we?"

"I ain't said we ain't."

on a one hundred dollar divorce.

"Us travels down to the Penny Prudential Bank bullcin' an' gits Lawyer Carter to give back them fifty dollars. Le's go."

Jonquill hesitated, but only for a moment. It was possible Jasper had determined to err no more. And after all, he was her husband and she had agreed he could continue to be. Therefore, it was downright foolish to permit Lawyer Carter to retain the fifty dollar instalment on a divorce which was no longer desired.

Together they left the house and turned northward toward the welter of activity which marks Birmingham's civic centre. They walked swiftly, crossed the L. & N. tracks, and found themselves in the heart of Birmingham's Darktown. They attained the lobby of the Penny Prudential from whence they were whisked to the seventh floor. Within five minutes they were in the private office of Lawyer Pistach Carter.

Lawyer Carter was an impressive figure. He was about a size with Jasper, but his demeanour was thoughtful where that of the husband was carefree. The attorney gazed curiously upon them. Jasper assumed the spokesmanship.

"Lawyer Carter," he announced, "I an' Jonquill has decided unanimous that we don't crave no divorce."

"Hm," murmured Pistach judicially, his eye roving to Jonquill's face. "Does our mutual friend state the case correctly, Mis' Beek?"

"Tain't his lookout that I an' you has made up."

"It ain't!" howled Jasper. "What you talks with you' mouf, Jonquill Beek, is foolishness. This beah feller has got fifty dollars of our'n an' I is gwine see that he gives it back."

Pistach Carter moved suggestively around his desk. He looked large and formidable. "You ain't cravin' to take it out of my hide, is you, Brother Beek?" he inquired, sweetly.

Jasper eyed the man speculatively. Lawyer Carter was entirely too eager for physical combat to suit the divorce suit defendant. "I ain't said nothin' 'bout takin' it out of yo' hide, has I?"

"N-o-o. An' you better had not, 'cause I studied once to be a butcher an' I'se terrible handy with carvin' tools."

"But I craves that fifty dollars."

"Reckon they is a heap of other things you want which you ain't gwine git. On'y way you procures that fifty back is in trade."

"Trade?"

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Jack: "Ye'll give up Wullie then?"
Jenn: "Yeh. I'll send him back his ring to-morrow."
Jack: "Ye needna do that, Jenn. Wullie is frienly w' me, he might like to sell it to me cheap."

—Passing Show, London.



"Mum, the new Vicar spoke to me this morning."
"That's verry nice of him. What did he say?"
"He said—'Stop sniffin'!'"

—Passing Show, London.

himself in its austere embrace—a mahogany symphony of masculine elegance. "Fral! I know, I could ma'y me a rich widder quick did I have that suit."

He paid a despairing visit to the office of Pistach Carter. Mr. Carter was adamant: Jasper could have clothes and divorce when he produced one hundred dollars and not one day before, and Lawyer Carter took occasion to express in no uncertain terms his opinion of Jasper Beek—"treatin' a good lookin' gal the way you done Miss Jonquill."

"Treatin' a which?"

"A good lookin' gal."

"Who says good lookin'?"

"I does."

"You is crazy in the head. Jonquill ain't good lookin'."

"Hush yo' mouf, Mistuh Beek. I ain't gwine 'low no man to straduce Mis' Beek in my presence."

"Huh!" warmly. "If'n a man cain't straduce his own wife, whose wife c'n he straduce?"

They parted warm enemies. Lawyer Carter was exceedingly peeved at the thought that any man could be so colossaly unobservant as to be unaware of the obvious excellencies of Jonquill; in fact, Pistach admitted to himself he was more than a trifle impressed by the fifty per cent. wife of the recently departed gentleman.

Jasper Gets a Job

THAT night Lawyer Carter took home with him for safe keeping the tuxedo outfit of which he was the bailee. Curiosity mastered him and he opened the box. The sight disclosed was quite impressive. In the mind's eye of Pistach there arose a picture of Jasper Beek; he reflected that he and Jasper were about of a size.

The good things of life had come slowly to Lawyer Carter. He was a young, earnest, hard-working man, and he had always coveted the habiliments of formal gentility, wherefore the temptation proved too strong for him, and within five minutes he was partially denuded.

He tried on the tuxedo outfit. The effect was irresistibly magnificent. He gazed at his mirrored self and marveled.

"What I has got is some class. I suttinly wish Jonquill could see me as is."

For a single wild moment he entertained the idea of calling upon Mrs. Beek clad in her husband's clothes, but he was overcome by a surge of timidity and reluctantly removed the valiant garments and settled himself for a two-hour perusal of "Greenleaf on Evidence." But the thought persisted.

The following day Jasper secured a job. It wasn't much of a job as jobs go, but it did guarantee him fifteen dollars a week as long as it lasted. "Dawg gone!" mused Jasper. "I never did crave to chaperone no ice."

The ice was heavy, the work hard, Jasper in expert. Throughout the warm spring days he struggled with huge blocks of ice; climbing the never ending stairways of apartment houses, struggling half heartedly up and down the terraces of South Highlands homes, and he knew that by rigid economy he could save about ten dollars a week. In ten weeks then—the tuxedo—the freedom of divorce and the elegance of a peacock!

Meanwhile Pistach Carter found it necessary to consult with Jonquill on professional matters. Their friendship progressed rapidly to an intimacy. Jonquill suggested that he call upon her, and he eagerly accepted the suggestion.

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Ottawa, August 6th, 1925.

Madam:

The Department has received the resignation of Miss Sadie J. Burke as senior teacher of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

It will be necessary to engage the services of a teacher to succeed Miss Burke for the next school year, and I have to request that you will be good enough to state whether you can recommend a suitable teacher. If desired, Miss Fex, the junior teacher, could be appointed to take charge of the senior room and the new teacher could replace her in the junior room. Miss Fex would be paid salary at the same rate as Miss Burke received, if she takes charge of the senior room, and the teacher of the junior room would be paid the same salary as Miss Fex is at present receiving. I shall be pleased to have your early reply as to whether you can arrange for a teacher for this school or not.

Your obedient servant,

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154-5-29.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
August 7th, 1925.

Sir:-

I have the honour to report that I am in receipt of a communication from Miss Susan A. Fex to the effect that she has resigned her position as junior teacher at the Wikwemikong School and it is her wish to have the appointment as senior teacher of this school.

As Miss Fex is a capable teacher having several years of experience in teaching in Indian Schools, and is recommended to the position by the Reverend Sisters at Spanish, I would most respectfully recommend that she be appointed to take charge of the senior class-room.

In the case of Miss Fex taking charge of the senior room an assistant teacher will have to be appointed which the Sisters at Spanish cannot name as they have not a teacher whose services is available to take charge of this room, but I have on file in this office applications from different girls requesting a position as teacher in an Indian School should a vacancy occur. Miss Inez McGuire of Demers Centre, Que. who claims to have had three years of successful experience in teaching has asked for a school, and Miss Mary Stella McDonnell, Metcalfe, Ont. who has a good standing in her first year in High School and has been teaching in the Convent, is very anxious for a position as teacher in a school, also Miss Isabelle Peltier who has taught in the junior class room at Wikwemikong on previous occasions and has charge of different schools under the supervision of the Department, has made application for the position as junior teacher at Wikwemikong, but I understand that Miss Peltier has charge of a school in the agency at Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.

Your obedient servant,

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Indian Agent.

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Ottawa, August 12, 1925.

Sir:

I have your No. 154-5-29 of the 7th instant, recommending that Miss Susan A. Fex be appointed to the position of senior teacher at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School and announcing that the Rev. Sisters at Spanish are unable to supply a junior teacher. In reply I have to state that the Department approves of the appointment of Miss Fex to the position of senior teacher, at a salary of \$85.00 per teaching month. Further, we have selected from the applicants for schools Miss Josephine Charlebois for the position of junior teacher, at a salary of \$75.00 per teaching month. Miss Charlebois has a Second Class Professional Certificate for the Province of Ontario. I am writing to her, advising her to communicate with Miss Fex as to what she should take to Wikwemikong and I am informing Miss Fex of this arrangement. You may inform those who apply to you for the position of junior teacher that the vacancy has been filled.

Your obedient servant,

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Ottawa, August 12, 1925.

Madam:

Pursuant to your conversation with Mr. Ferrier, I have to inform you that you are appointed assistant teacher at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School. Salary at the rate of \$75.00 per teaching month will be allowed. You should understand that the Department is assisted in the management of this school by the Rev. Hardean Sisters, of Spanish, Ont., and the senior teacher, Miss Susan A. Fex, belongs to this Order. You should write immediately to Miss Fex, whose present address is the Indian Residential School, Spanish, Ont. She will advise you as to what you should take to Wikwemikong and will inform you concerning the date you should arrive at Little Current, which is the nearest railway station.

In all matters concerning your duties, you should seek the advice of Miss Fex, who is responsible for the school. As Mr. Ferrier has explained to you, a furnished residence is provided for the teacher. Mr. Indian Agent R. J. Lewis, of Manitowaning, Ont., is the Department's local representative.

Your obedient servant,

Miss Josephine Charlebois

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334 Besserer St.,
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19-6-1.

Ottawa, August 12, 1925.

Madam:

I am enclosing, for your information and guidance, a copy of my letter of today's date appointing Miss Josephine Charlebois to the position of junior teacher at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School. I have today written to Mr. Indian Agent Lewis, informing him that you have been appointed senior teacher at this school at a salary of \$85 per teaching month. Miss Charlebois is a young teacher with second class professional qualifications for the Province of Ontario and I am quite hopeful that she will do well in Indian school work. She will look to you for advice in all matters pertaining to her duties. Please write to her as soon as you receive her letter, advising her concerning what she will need at Wikwemikong also giving her instructions as to how to proceed from Little Current and what date she should arrive.

Your obedient servant,

Encl.

[Handwritten signature]

Miss Susan A. Fex,
Indian Residential School,
Spanish, Ont.

[Handwritten signature]
A. F. MacKenzie,
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St. Joseph's Residential School
Spanish, Ontario.

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Aug. 5, 1909



~~Ind. A. F. McKenzie~~
~~Chief Indian Agent,~~
~~Altona~~
~~Ont.~~

Your letter of Aug 6th
was received, and I beg to
say - Minister has sent in
his application to succeed
Miss Burke in Seniority
of Wilkewilona School,
where she sent in her re-
-ignation as Junior Teacher,
to Mr. Lewis.
I regret to say we have

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no teacher free to command
for Junior room.

As Fr. Desautels was here -
in July, we talked the
matter over with him;

He approved of Miss Fed
for Senior room, and
stated there would be no
trouble in getting a teacher
for the Junior room, so
we left it to him to arrange
with Mr. Lewis.

You may be pleased to
know that Miss Barker is to
remain at Spanish, and
will teach in Senior room.

Thus she can have more
rest and care - until

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her health is completely
restored.

Thanking you for your
kindness in writing & your
in accepting this fee
to replace Miss Burke, and
hoping by this time a teacher
has been secured for
Junior room.

I remain

Yours respectfully
Lucie Bonob.

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19-6-1.

Ottawa, August 14th, 1925.

Madam:

I have your letter of the 8th instant, regarding a teacher for the Wikwemikong Indian Day School for the next school year.

In this connection I beg to inform you that we communicated with Miss Susan A. Fex, and informed her that she had been appointed senior teacher at a salary of \$85 per teaching month, and that Miss Josephine Charlebois was appointed assistant teacher. Miss Charlebois has second class professional qualifications for the Province of Ontario, and will receive salary at the rate of \$75 per teaching month. She was informed that, in all matters concerning her duties, she was to seek the advice of Miss Fex, who would be responsible for the work at this school. We hope that both these teachers will meet with much success in their work during the next school year.

We have noted that Miss Burke will remain at the Spanish Residential School and teach the senior girls.

I wish to thank you for the interest you have taken in this and other schools on Manitoulin Island.

Your obedient servant,

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Dunrobin, Ontario,
Aug. 23/₁₅

Mr. Terrier
Boothby,
Ontario.

Dear Mr. Terrier; -

I have been patiently waiting
for a reply from Miss Fox but
have not heard from her as yet.

I expect the school shall open
on the First of the month, I
mentioned this date in my letter.

I have made inquiries about
trains. The midnight Sault train
make best connections. I think
I shall get there alright.

If there is any information
that you know would be any
use I shall be very thankful
for your trouble. Yours sincerely,
Josephine Clay

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19-6-1.



Ottawa, August 26th, 1925.

Madam:

I have your letter of the 23rd instant, and I note with regret that you have not heard from Miss Fex, the senior teacher of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School. I am convinced that some delay in the mails has been responsible.

It will be satisfactory if you arrive in Little Current on Tuesday, the 1st. You should see the parish priest, who will advise you as to how to get to Wikwemikong. Miss Fex, no doubt, knows of your appointment by this time, as I have received a letter from her superior at Spanish.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

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Supt. of Indian Education.

R.T.F.
Miss Josephine Charlebois,
Dunrobin,
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19-6-1.

Ottawa, June 10, 1926.

Sir:

If you are entirely satisfied with the services of Miss Charlebois, teacher of the junior room at Wikwemikong, please inform her without delay that the Department has increased her salary from \$75 to \$85 per teaching month as from September first, next. Ask her to inform you if she will resume her duties on that date.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

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Manitowaning, Ont.

*Miss Charlebois
could not consent to
re-engagement on June 28
I allowed her until July 28
to decide R.J.L.*

*Perhaps Hardman
Sisters can fill any vacancy here now*

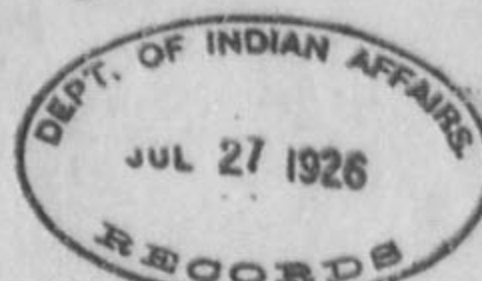
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Dunrobin, Ontario.
July 24, 1926.

Mr. R. Ferrier,
Superintendent of Indian Education.
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir: -
At your request for a reply by
July the 28th I hereby inform you
that I shall resume my duties in
teaching, in the Junior class-room at
Nikwemikong School for the following year
beginning September 1st.

Yours truly,
Josephine Charlebois.

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Ottawa, July 29th, 1926.

Madam:

I have your letter of the 24th instant, informing the Department that you will resume duties as teacher of the junior classroom at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School for the next school year.

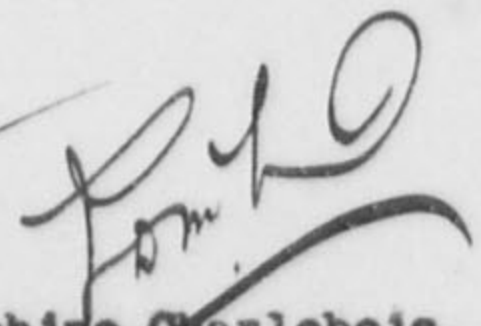
In reply I beg to say that the Department will be pleased to re-engage your services, with salary at the rate of \$85 per teaching month, from September 1st, next. You should be ready to resume duties on that date.

We are informing Mr. Agent Lewis, Manitowaning, of your reappointment.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.



Miss Josephine Charlebois,
Dunrobin,
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Ottawa, July 29th, 1926.

Sir:

I beg to inform you that Miss Josephine Charlebois has been re-engaged as teacher of the junior room at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School for the next school year, beginning September 1st. We are informing her of her reappointment and requesting her to be ready to resume duties on the date mentioned. As stated in our letter of the 10th ultimo, the salary allowed her will be at the rate of \$85 per teaching month.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN
J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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I have examined by X-Ray and
Fluoroscope Miss Fay and find
suspicion of Pyloric Ulcer and sub-
acute appendicitis and advise
operation at once.

Dated

Sept. 21/26

J. A. Dixon M.D.

Sudbury.

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154-5-31 Indian Office, Manitowaning,
November 4th, 1926.

Sir:-

I have the honour to report to the effect that Miss Susan A. Fex, teacher in charge of the Senior Class room at the Wikwemikong School, is in poor health and it is necessary for her to undergo an operation which will mean that she will have to be granted one month leave of absence.

It is thought that Miss Charlebois, teacher in charge of the Junior Classes, can manage all the Classes during the absence of Miss Fex.

I enclose a copy of a certificate by Dr. J.A. Dixon, of Sudbury, regarding this case.

I would most respectfully recommend that Miss Fex be given one month leave of absence in order that she may have the necessary operation performed, and that Miss Charlebois be given charge of all the Classes during her absence.



Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa, June 20, 1930.

The Department has received the resignation of Miss Charlebois, teacher of the junior classroom at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, to take effect at the end of the present month. In this connection, I shall be pleased if you will inform me if you can nominate the services of a teacher to succeed Miss Charlebois for the next school year, beginning September 1st, next. If you have a teacher in view for this position, I shall be pleased if, in due course, you will forward her name, qualifications and experience.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie
Acting Asst. Deputy & Sec.

Miss Bonnet
Miss Bonnet,
Ojibwa Indian Residential School,
Spanish, Ont.

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154-5-31.

19-6-1.

Ottawa, November 10th, 1926.

Sir:

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 4th instant, informing the department that, owing to illness, it will be necessary for Miss Susan A. Fex, senior teacher of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, to be granted one month's leave of absence, and enclosing a doctor's certificate regarding her case. In reply I beg to say that the illness of Miss Fex is regretted. Her absence from duty for a period of approximately one month is approved.

In view of your report that Miss Josephine Charlebois, the assistant teacher, can take charge of all the classes during the absence of Miss Fex, the Department will approve of this arrangement. It is hoped that Miss Fex will be able to resume duties at the end of the month's leave of absence and that in the meantime Miss Charlebois will be able to carry on the work. Miss Fex will be allowed salary during the month she is absent. Please advise her of the leave of absence granted.

It should be definitely stated on the quarterly return the date on which Miss Fex gave up duties and also the date on which she resumes same.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

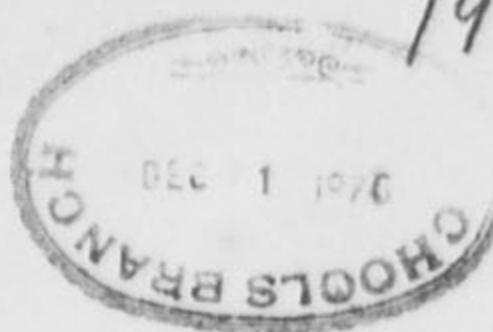
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154-5-32,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
November 27th, 1926.

Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 19-6-I of November the 10th, instant, relating to the question of Miss Charlebois, the assistant teacher at Wik-wemikong Indian Day School, taking charge of the Senior class during the absence of Miss Fex while undergoing an operation, I have the honour to report to the effect that after visiting the school recently I found that the pupils attending Miss Charlebois class-room has increased to fifty and it would be impossible for her to teach the senior classes and give the junior classes the required attention, therefore, I believe that it would be advisable to close the senior class-room or secure the services of a substitute teacher during the absence of Miss Fex.

If the Department considers it wise to have this class-room kept open during the absence of Miss Fex I am almost certain that the services of a suitable substitute teacher can be procured in this district.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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154-5-32.

Ottawa, December 1, 1926.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 27th ultimo, relative to the continuing of the classroom work at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School during the absence, on account of illness, of Miss Fex, the senior teacher. It is noted that, owing to the large number of pupils attending, Miss Charlebois, the assistant teacher, finds it impossible to give both classes the required attention.

Rather than close the senior classroom, you should, if you can arrange to do so, engage the services of a substitute teacher until the Christmas holidays, by which time it is hoped Miss Fex will be able to resume duties. Miss Charlebois could take charge of the senior room and the substitute teacher the junior room. The question of salary to be allowed a substitute will be determined when we have particulars as to the name, qualifications, etc. The Department will leave this matter in your hands to make the best arrangements for carrying on the work until Miss Fex returns, and you should state, at an early date, the name, qualifications, etc., of the substitute teacher engaged. We note that you are of the opinion that a substitute teacher can be obtained locally.

You should ascertain from Miss Fex when she expects to be able to resume duties, and if her condition of health will not permit her to return after the Christmas holidays, the services of a qualified teacher could then be engaged.

Please give the matter of obtaining a substitute teacher your early attention.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN
J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
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Impressario
The Secretary
Ottawa, Ont.
Nikwemikong, Ont.
Dec. 14th 1926.



Dear Sir, -

I beg to inform you that I'd like to leave here as soon as possible, after school closes for the Christmas holidays, to go to the hospital, if a substitute teacher can be secured to take my class January 3rd 1927.

I would be grateful if the Department would send me all the cheques, that are due this quarter, before Christmas so that I could settle all accounts before leaving.

I shall send reports and bills to Mr. Agent Lerois as usual at end of quarter, but that would be delaying me too much if I have to wait till then for the cheques.

The cheques due are as follows: Salary \$255.00, janitor's \$12.50, ✓

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Prizes for Sr. Room \$6.00, Carrying of water
for this quarter \$3.75. ✓

I think it best to settle all accounts
before leaving, and to have a substitute
teacher for my class in case I should
not be able to return to finish the year.

One of my pupils died last week, and
we regret her death immensely because
she was a child of excellent conduct.

Thanking you for past favors
and trusting to be favored with an
early reply, I remain

Respectfully yours,
Susan A. Fay.

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19-6-1.

Ottawa, December 20, 1926.

Madam:

I have your letter of the 14th instant, informing the Department that it will be necessary for you to enter a hospital, and requesting that a substitute teacher be secured to take your class when the Wikwemikong Indian Day School reopens after the Christmas holidays. In reply I beg to say that the Department regrets to learn of your illness and hopes that you will recover your usual health at an early date. The Department will arrange for a substitute teacher for the remainder of the academic year.

Cheques covering your salary as teacher and for the janitor services and the carrying of water are being sent you. We regret that we will be unable to pay the cost of the prizes for the senior room until itemized accounts, certified by the Agent, are received. This cheque will be sent you later to any address you may desire.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J.D.M.
For M.
Miss Susan A. Fox,
Wikwemikong,
Ont.

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19-6-1.

Ottawa, December 20th, 1926.

Sir:

The Department has received a communication from Miss Fex, senior teacher of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, in which she states that it will be necessary for her to enter a hospital and requests that the services of a substitute teacher be secured to take her class when the school reopens after the Christmas holidays. The illness of Miss Fex is regretted. We are informing her that the matter of engaging the services of a substitute to begin duties January 3rd, next, will be dealt with by the Department. You will be informed later as to the name, qualifications, etc., of the teacher appointed for the balance of the school year.

The Department has had no reply to its letter of the 1st instant, relative to the obtaining of a substitute teacher to carry on the work to the end of the current quarter, and I shall be pleased if you will state whether a substitute was engaged or whether Miss Fex was able to carry on the work. If a substitute was engaged, you should furnish full particulars as to the dates between which she taught, in order that the salary due her can be paid. *none*

We are forwarding Miss Fex cheques for her salary as teacher, janitor services and for the carrying of the water during the present quarter. It will, therefore, not be necessary for you to forward vouchers covering these services. She states that there is an amount due her of \$6 for prizes for the senior room, and you should obtain and forward itemized accounts, properly certified, for the amount due, and you should state thereon the address to which the cheques should be sent.

Your obedient servant,
J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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J. Charlebois
Dunrobin, Ont.

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19-6-1.

Ottawa, December 23, 1926.

Madam:

There is a vacancy in the senior classroom of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, on Manitoulin Island, and I am pleased to offer you the position. The salary will be at the rate of \$90 per teaching month. Furnished and heated residential quarters for the teachers are supplied. Mr. Phelan, of this Department, informs me that you might be interested. Please let me have an immediate response. Duties will commence on the 10th of January. If you accept the position, I shall have for you a further letter with full explanation.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Indian Education.

J.K.

Miss Jessie Kerr,
Alexandria,
Ont.

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Alexandria, Dec. 27th. 1926.

Secretary, Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa



Dear Sir

I received your letter on Christmas Eve, and must say that the School situated on Manitoulin Island, being so difficult of access and exit, I am a little afraid to tackle it.

I visited a couple of Indian Schools and thought I should like to teach there, but in this case the salary does not seem commensurate with the disadvantages incurred in taking so long and arduous a journey to the scene of work.

Teaching among the Savages would interest me very much, and I am sure I should like it, but report speaks very unfavorably of the trip to and from Manitoulin in the winter months.

I am disappointed that there is nothing nearer home, or at least easier of access.

Respectfully yours Jessie G. Kerr.

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I54-5-32 Indian Office, Manitowaning,
December 22nd, 1926.



Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 19-6-1 of the 1st, instant, with reference to the question of obtaining the services of a substitute teacher to replace Miss Fex, while she is undergoing hospital treatment; I have the honour to report that Miss Fex has finally decided to go into the hospital, at Sudbury, to undergo an operation during the next week.

Miss Fex gave me to understand yesterday, when I paid the school a visit, that she would not return to take charge of the school for at least six weeks or two months, and it may be the case that she would not return until the re-opening of the school after the mid-summer holidays, next. As it is uncertain whether she will return, or not, I believe that it would be advisable to engage a teacher to take charge of the senior class-room, to replace Miss Fex, for at least the March quarter, next, or until the end of the school term.

Arrangement was under way to secure the services of a substitute teacher, in the person of Miss Jean McDonald who taught for some years at the West Bay school, to take charge of Miss Fex's room until the Christmas holidays, but as Miss Fex could not decide as to the exact date she would enter the hospital I could not carry out any arrangement in the way of securing the services of a substitute teacher or advise the Department in the matter. Now that she has finally decided to go to the hospital next week, I would ask the Department to make an effort to secure the services of a suitable teacher to succeed her. It may be the case that the services of Miss McDonald are still available, but I cannot assure the Department of this as at this season of the year communication with Killarney, where Miss McDonald resides, is closed for two weeks or more on account of ice condition.

Your obedient servant,

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs, Indian Agent.
Ottawa, Ont.

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19-6-1.

Ottawa, January 5, 1927.

Sir:

I have your 154-5-32 of the 22nd ultimo, with reference to the appointment of a teacher to replace Miss Fox for the rest of the academic year. I am glad to inform you that the Department has secured the services of Miss Rita Chishelm, who is fully qualified and experienced. She will be allowed salary at the rate of \$100 per teaching month. She will meet Miss Charlebois, the junior teacher at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, here in Ottawa on Monday next and they will proceed to their duty together.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.


R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Ottawa, January 5, 1927.

Madam:

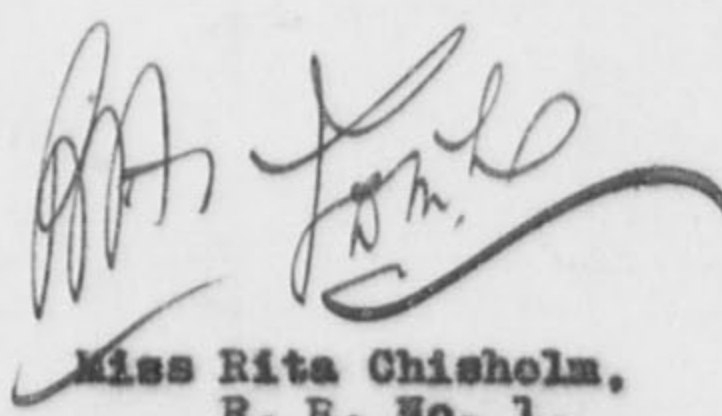
I wish to confirm telephone conversation with the Superintendent of Indian Education and to inform you that you are appointed to the position of teacher of the senior room at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School. Salary at the rate of \$100 per teaching month will be allowed. You will please report to Room 501, The Booth Building, Sparks St., Ottawa, on Monday morning, the 10th instant. You will receive instructions from Mr. Ferrier and will meet Miss Josephine Charlebois, the teacher of the junior room, and will proceed with her to your duty.

May I advise you to take serviceable and warm clothing and your ordinary personal effects. The residence is heated and furnished and it is possible that the Teaching Order at Spanish will leave the housekeeper there.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.


Miss Rita Chisholm,
R. R. No. 1,
Alexandria,
Ont.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY'S TELEGRAPH

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NIGHT LETTER

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J. McMILLAN, General Manager of Telegraphs, Montreal.

Send the following Night Letter, subject to the terms printed on the back hereof which are hereby agreed to.

Ottawa, January 7, 1927.

Miss Rita Chisholm.
R. R. No. 1,
Alexandria, Ont.

Department has learned that Miss Charlebois is ill and cannot proceed to Wikwemikong Indian Day School for another week -STOP- Please report to Ottawa Monday morning the seventeenth instant.

J. D. McLean.

Chg. Dept. I. A.

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19-6-1.

Ottawa, January 7, 1927.

Madam:

With reference to your appointment as teacher of the senior room at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, I have to confirm official night letter to you of today's date, as follows:-

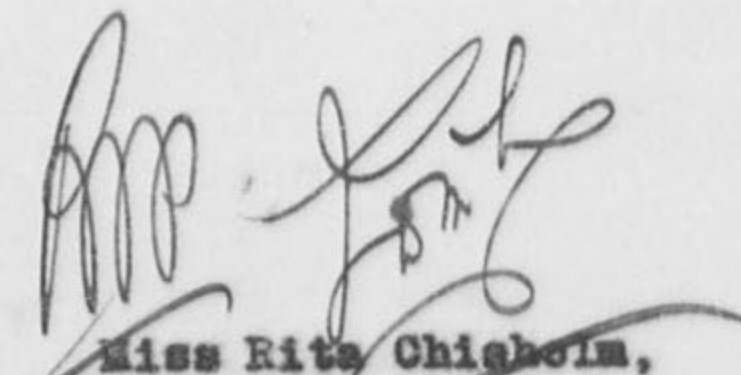
"Department has learned that Miss Charlebois is ill and cannot proceed to Wikwemikong Indian Day School for another week. Please report to Ottawa Monday morning, the 17th instant."

If any further change in the arrangement is made, I will get in touch with you.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.


Miss Rita Chisholm,
R. R. No. 1,
Alexandria, Ont.

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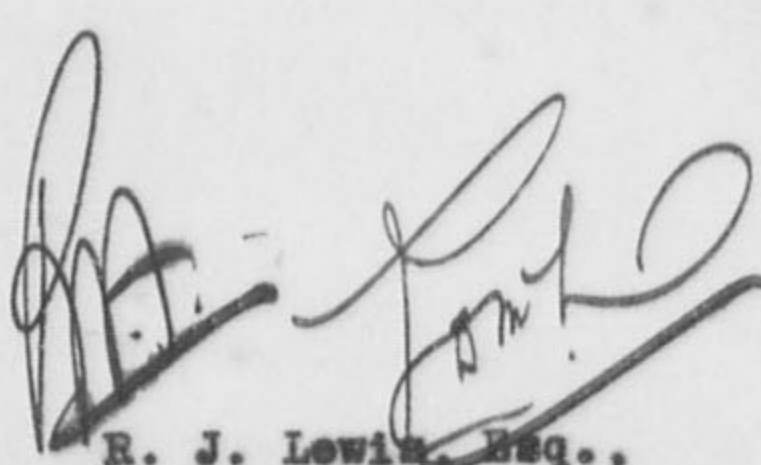
Sir:

With reference to official letter of the 5th instant, I have now to inform you that Miss Josephine Charlebois, teacher of the junior room at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, is ill and will be unable to proceed to her duty for another week. She will report to Ottawa on Monday morning, the 17th instant, where she will meet Miss Chisholm, and they will proceed to their school together.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.


R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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St. Joseph's Residential School
Spanish, Ontario.

Jan. 7. 1927.

Mr. H. J. Ferris.
Ottawa.

Dear Mr. Ferris,

We wish to speak to you
regarding the vacancy in the women's
House of Indian Day School, occasioned
by Mrs. Ferris's illness.

Although Mrs. Ferris had been
advised some time ago to undergo
an operation, she kept putting it
off until recently, when Dr. [unclear]
advised it without further
delay.

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We regret very much not to have
our friend to whom to send a notice,
to substitute during his absence,
which, however may not be long, as
the operation has been very
successful and she is getting on
very nicely; but one of our teachers
here, has recommended Miss Amour,
of Coulonge, Que., whose name
Mr. Indian has placed before
you, and whose application
you have, I trust, received.
In case she has not applied,
Mr. Fernier, I shall esteem it a
favor, if you kindly advise us
at your convenience, as we
trust to be able to supply a

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teacher in the course of a couple of
weeks.

We are very desirous to continue
the work in this school, and
shall spare no effort to
furnish a teacher.

It is such that this may meet
with your approval.

With the Compliments of the
Season,

I am,

Yours very gratefully,
Louise Boudet.

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~~1911~~
Ottawa, January 8, 1927.

Dear Miss Bonnot:

I have your letter of the 7th instant, with reference to the vacancy at Wikwemikong. We understood from previous correspondence received from Miss Fex and the Indian Agent that she would be unable to return to the school for a considerable period of time and we therefore felt it necessary to secure a teacher.

Before making any appointment, however, Mr. Phelan received a letter from Miss O'Driscoll, suggesting the name of Miss D'Amour. We waited until Wednesday, last, but no application was received from her and, as a matter of fact, we have not yet heard from her.

We did not wish the school to be without a teacher and therefore engaged the services of Miss Rita Chisholm, who holds Ontario qualifications, to take charge until June 30th, next. It was intended, when she was appointed the other day, to have both Miss Charlebois and herself leave here on the 10th instant; but Miss Charlebois is not well at present and we have therefore arranged for them to delay their departure until the 17th instant.

I wish to assure you that, in appointing Miss Chisholm, the Department was only acting in what was considered the best interest of all concerned, as I understood that your Order had not a teacher available. As pointed out above, her appointment is only until the end of the current academic year, as we could not secure her consent to go for a shorter time. It is impossible for us to cancel her appointment at present and I trust that, when you have given this letter your careful consideration, our action will meet with your concurrence. It is distinctly understood, of course, that for the new academic year, beginning September first, next, we will look to you to nominate a suitable teacher, or teachers, if you have two available, for this school.

With best wishes for the New Year,

Yours very truly,

Russell F. Carrier
Russell F. Carrier,
Superintendent.

Miss L. Bonnot
Miss L. Bonnot,
Indian Residential School,
Spanish, Ont.

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St. Joseph's Indian School
Spanish, Ontario

Jan. 17, 1927

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Mr. R. L. Lurie,
Ottawa,
Ontario.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JAN 20 1927
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Your kind letter of recent date, has been received, and we certainly do approve of your arrangements, re. founding Wepemikong School, and trust that all may go on smoothly.

I thank you for each favor.
Respectfully,
John P. Carroll.

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19-6-1

Nikwemikong, Ont.

Feb. 4, 1927.

Dear Mr. ~~Fuller~~:-

I had written Mr. Bennett requesting him to give me permission to dismiss the junior room at 11.30 A.M. He advised me to write to you as he said he had no authority to allow me this permission.

We commence class at 1 P.M. leaving us only one hour for dinner. Miss Chisholm suggested that I dismiss my class at 11.30 A.M. and prepare dinner as I keep my pupils until four o'clock every day.

Miss Chisholm and I are getting along fine. She likes up here well although

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it is very quiet - I think
she'll stay till June.

The teachers from Spanish
packed all their household
supplies so Miss Chisholm
has sent in a requisition.

Thanking you for your
kindness in advance.

Your obedient servant,
Josephine Charlton.

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MEMORANDUM

J. M. BENNETT, M.A.
Inspector of Public Schools
47 BROWNING AVENUE
TORONTO

To: *R. H. Hume Esq M.A.*

Ottawa



I wish to recommend that Wikevenikang School be allowed one and a half hours for dinner. The facts stated to me seem to warrant such. I trust this recommendation is not counter to any policy of the Department in such matters.



*Yours sincerely
J. M. Bennett*

Chas. A. H.
Toronto

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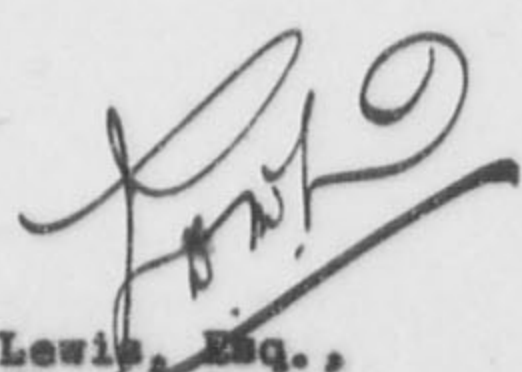
Sir:

I beg to inform you that the teacher of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School has requested that the period granted for lunch at midday be extended by a half hour. We are informing her that this school may close each teaching day for lunch hour at 11:30 A.M. and that classes should resume at 1 P.M.

I may add that the Separate School Inspector, Mr. Bennett, has recommended that this extra half hour for lunch be granted.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.



R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
Ont.

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Super
Ottawa, February 10, 1927.

Madam:

I have your letter of the 4th instant, requesting that permission be granted to allow the lunch hour at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School to be extended from 11:30 A.M. to 1 P.M.

In reply I beg to say, in view of the reasons stated by you and also upon the recommendation of the Separate School Inspector, the Department will allow the lunch hour at this school to be taken between the hours above mentioned. We are informing Mr. Agent Lewis accordingly.

Your obedient servant,

J.D. McLean
J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

over
Miss Josephine Charlebois
Miss Josephine Charlebois,
Teacher, Indian Day School,
Wikwemikong, Ont.

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Nikwemikong. Ont.,

May 23rd. 1927

Dear Mr. Frier:

I have received Beacon
charts also instructions.

I find them very
interesting and helpful as they attract
the children by being well illustrated.

I have notified
Mr. Lewis on May 21st., concerning
the visit of an oculist for the school
children. You gave me permission
at Christmas to do so.

Yours truly,
Josephine Charlebois.

Mr. Russell Frier,
Supt. of Indian Education,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Hikemikong, Ont.,
June 6 27



Dear Mr. Ferrier:
I am undecided about coming back here next year for the same salary, as the class is quite heavy having fifty one on the roll. I have an offer of a white school with a salary of one hundred dollars a month. I prefer coming back here, if the Department wishes it and will raise my salary ten dollars a month.

I do not think this is too much to ask having two years experience in an Indian school.

Thanking you for past favours.

Yours sincerely,
Josephine Charlton.

pd \$8 per month
Principal gets \$100 per month
Mr. Russell Ferrier M.A.
Supt. Indian Education,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa, June 13th, 1927.

Dear Mr. Bennett:-

Miss Josephine Charlebois, the assistant teacher at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, has applied for an increase in her salary for the next school year. She states that she is undecided about going back next year as she finds the work in her class quite heavy, having fifty-one pupils on the roll. She states that she has an offer of a white school with salary of \$100 per month but that she would remain at Wikwemikong if the Department will raise her salary \$10 a month. She is now in receipt of \$85 per teaching month. I should be glad to receive your opinion regarding her services and whether you would advise that they be retained and the increase she asks for be granted or not.

Your early reply will oblige.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier.
Supt. of Indian Education.

J.M. Bennett
J.M. Bennett, Esq.,
Inspector of Separate Schools,
47 Browning Ave.,
Toronto 6, Ont.

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St. Joseph's Residential School
Spanish, Ontario.

~~Mr. T. Ferris~~
Ottawa.



Dear Mr. Ferris,

Regarding Mrs. Lee
returning to Wikwemikong, I am
not certain that she will return,
but in any case, we shall
be able to supply two teachers
after holidays.

Trusting that this may reach
you with your approval.

Yours respectfully,
A. B. Stinson

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Ottawa, June 16th, 1927.

Dear Miss Bonnot:-

I have your letter of the 3rd instant and I note, with much satisfaction, that you will be able to supply two teachers for the Wikwemikong Indian Day School after the summer holidays. I take it that you are not counting on the services of either Miss Chisholm or Miss Charlebois and, unless I hear from you to the contrary, I shall try to make arrangements for them elsewhere.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier
Russell T. Ferrier.
Supt. of Indian Education.

Miss L. Bonnot
Miss L. Bonnot,
Indian Residential School,
Spanish, Ont.

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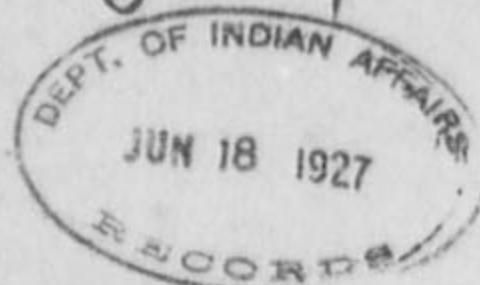
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Inspector of Separate Schools
47 BROWN AVE. TORONTO



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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

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JUN 17 1927



Mr R. Kersey M.A.
Supt of Indian Education
Ottawa

Re Mr Ferrier
Miss Charlebois
would remain at Wikwemikong
School it would be in the interest of
those children. She knows the Indian
children and how to teach them. She
holds an Ontario Second Class certificate.
I would recommend to the Department
that her salary be raised a hundred
dollars or better to retain her services.
The more permanent you can
make the teaching staff in each school
the better for the Indian children. New teachers
merely experiment. Besides Second should
be encouraged to take your schools. It is the
only way the Indian race will be properly
taught. I trust my recommendation will
be taken.

Yours sincerely
J. M. Bennett

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St. Joseph's Residential School
Spanish, Ontario.

June 24, 1927.

~~Dear Mr. Ferrier,~~
I trust you will pardon
me for having delayed until now in
answering your kind letter of June 16th.
Thanking you for past favors.
I remain
Yours respectfully,
Louise Bonin.



Note -
if Miss Bonin supplies
but one teacher, her five
Miss Charlton's room @ \$5
B.D.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
July 6th, 1927.

R

Sir:-

I have the honour to report that the Rev. G. A. Artus S. J., Missionary in charge at Wikwemikong, has advised me to the effect that the Superior, who resides at Spanish, is prepared to furnish two teachers for the Wikwemikong School for the next term, but she has not yet decided for certain who shall be recommended.

one only
RP

With regard to this matter I would say that if two teachers are furnished to take charge of this school it is almost certain that they will not have qualifications equal to the two teachers, who have had charge of this school up until the holidays and accomplished good results in the classrooms.

I would recommend to the Department that it would be well to re-engage these two teachers, who have been in charge, for another term.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Hewitt
Indian Agent.
Repoint Miss Chubbins
gr. Room 95 per
RP

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Photo
with Miss Brown
approx 90 per month

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19-6-1.

Ottawa, July 18, 1927.

Madam:

With reference to the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, I shall be pleased if you will again accept appointment as teacher of the junior room, at a salary of \$95 per teaching month. Please advise me as soon as possible if you are prepared to accept this offer.

Your obedient servant.

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Miss Josephine Charlebois
Miss Josephine Charlebois,
Dunrobin,
Ont.

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Ottawa, July 18, 1927.

Madam:

Rev. Father Belanger, who visited the Department last week, informed me that he understood you intended to nominate one teacher, only, at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School. Please let me have the name and qualifications of this teacher as soon as possible. It is understood that she will act as principal and take charge of the senior room. Salary will be allowed at the rate of \$90 per teaching month.

Miss Charlebois is being re-engaged to take charge of the junior room.

Your obedient servant,

A. P. MacKenzie
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Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Miss L. Bonnet,
Indian Residential School,
Spanish, Ont.

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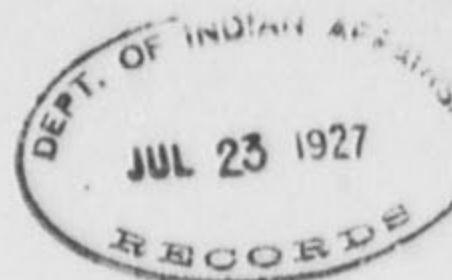
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19-6-1

July 20, 1927.



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter No. 19-6-1 of July 18th, I beg to say that as I had heard from Wikwemikong that there was question of engaging Agnes Manitowabi for teacher in junior room

I asked Reverend Father Belanger to inquire about it when he visited you, so we could know what course to take, for you understand, if Agnes had been engaged, we would send only one teacher.

Upon his return, he stated that you did not favor Agnes and had re-engaged Miss Charlebois.

Now, this I think, is much better than for one of our teachers to take the junior-room instead of Agnes. That Miss Charlebois returns should give no cause of complaint to those who favor Agnes; while the appointment of a new teacher, would cause friction with her many relatives.

Miss Alice Straine is the teacher named for senior room. She has a New York Academic Certificate, but no professional, she is taking the Summer Course in Ottawa at present, to qualify for her Ontario professional - has had two years as teacher in white schools and four years as prefect in the school at Spanish.

Hoping this is satisfactory.

Yours respectfully,

Benjamin Bennett

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19-6-1.

Ottawa, July 26th, 1927.

Madam:

I have your letter of the 20th instant, nominating the services of Miss Alice Straine as senior teacher of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School for the next school year, and stating the qualifications and experience which she possesses.

In reply I beg to say that the appointment of Miss Straine is approved, to begin duties when the school reopens after the present summer holidays. The salary allowed will be at the rate of \$90 per teaching month. We hope that Miss Straine will meet with every success in her work. As you have already been informed, Miss Charlebois has been re-engaged to take charge of the junior room.

Mr. R. J. Lewis, the local Indian Agent, is being informed of the arrangement made for the teaching services at this school for the next school year.

Thanking you for the interest you have taken in this matter, I am,

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Louise Bonnot
Miss Louise Bonnot,
Indian Residential School,
Spanish, Ont.

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19-6-1.

Ottawa, July 26th, 1927.

Sir:

I beg to inform you that Miss Alice Straine has been appointed senior teacher of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School for the next school year, and Miss Josephine Charlebois has been re-engaged as teacher of the junior room. The salary allowed Miss Straine will be at the rate of \$90 per teaching month, and that of Miss Charlebois at the rate of \$95 per teaching month. It is understood that Miss Straine will act as principal and teacher of the senior room.

I shall be pleased if you will give both these teachers every assistance you can in their work at this school.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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Dumobin, Ont.,

July 25/27.



Salp
Mr. G. F. Mac Kenzie

Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



Dear Sir:-
I beg to inform you
that I shall be pleased to accept
position as teacher of the Junior
room at Wikuemikong, at a
salary of ninety-five dollars per
teaching month.

Yours truly
Josephine Charbonni.

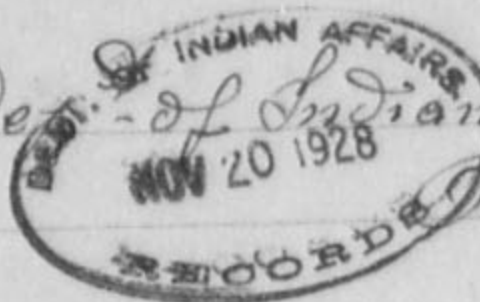
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19-6-1
Witnemithong, P. O. Ont
17 Dec. 1928

Russel Fessier, Dept. of Indian Affairs
Ottawa



R

Dear Sir

Miss Straine, our principal teacher, fell seriously ill some days ago, and she will not be able to resume her work for the education of our children for a long time. In her name as well as in the name of the Superior of the Ladies of Spanish I send you her designation. — And since the same Superior (who just arrived here to see her sick friend) tells me that she cannot give us any one to fill the position here I have to call on you to appoint a good Catholic person to be principal here and teach the Entrance Class.

I remain, dear Sir,

With consideration

Yours in J. C.

Geo. J. A. Austin



Perhaps you have not heard that I took here the place of Father Desautels since last May

Miss Bonneau, here present, insists saying that for next year she will have a good principal for Witnemithong.

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~~Mr. [illegible]~~ You, Lee.
Nov. 21st 1928.
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa, Ont. **R**
Gentlemen.

Am very sorry to say
that it is impossible for
me to accept the school
in Siskiwagon.

Thanking you very
much for calling me, and
hope this won't inconvenience
you too much. I am
Yours truly
Giles Stanton,

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Mr Maltais. Aylmer
Inspector

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Rev. J. Kimpton. P.P

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Ottawa, July 20th, 1929.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 16th instant, enclosing a resolution of the members of the Manitoulin Unceded Band requesting that the services of new teachers be obtained for the Wikwemikong Indian Day School for the next school year. As stated by you, Miss Wrinn will not be returning to Wikwemikong. The Nardene Sisters, of Spanish, Ont., will nominate the services of a senior teacher for this school, and it is hoped to be able to inform you in the near future of the name, salary, etc., of the teacher appointed for the senior room. Miss Charlebois will be returning and will resume duties when the school reopens after the holidays. We note that you consider Miss Charlebois to be competent and that she has performed her duties satisfactorily.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
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19-6-1.

Ottawa, July 20th, 1929.

Madam:

I shall be pleased to have your early nomination of a fully qualified teacher for the senior room at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School for the next school year. Please state full particulars as to the name, qualifications and experience of the teacher nominated by you. I may add that it is the intention of Miss Charlebois to return and teach the junior room next year.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

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Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Louise Bonnot,
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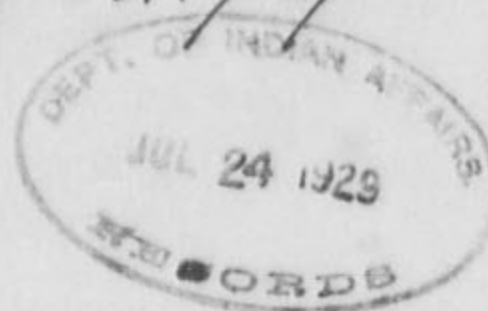
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St. Joseph's Residential School
Spanish, Ontario

July 23, 1929



AM

Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter of July 20th I beg to state that Mrs. C. Straine, who on account of illness was obliged to give up her position as teacher of the Senior room at the Wikwemikong Day School, intends to resume her duty as teacher of the Senior room.

I had been informed that Mrs. Charbois did not intend to return to Wikwemikong, so I was pleased to nominate Mrs. Hickay for the Junior room and had her send in her application to Agent Lewis, yesterday.

As Mrs. Charbois intends ^{to return}, I wish to apologize to the Department for sending Mrs. Hickay's application.

Yours respectfully,

Louise Dornod.

Mrs. J. D. McLean
Act. Deputy and Secretary.



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Ottawa, July 25th, 1929.

Dear Miss Bonnot,-

I have your letter of the 23rd instant and I am pleased to note that Miss A. Straine will resume duties at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School. It is expected that she will be in charge of the school activity generally and will teach the senior room. Salary at the rate of \$90 per teaching month will be allowed in her case.

Mr. Indian Agent Lewis is being informed.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier.
Supt. of Indian Education.

L.B.

Miss Louise Bonnot,
Indian Residential School,
Spanish, Ont.

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19-6-1

Ottawa, July 25th, 1929.

Sir,-

Pursuant to my letter of the 20th instant, I have now to inform you that Miss A. Straine will return as senior teacher of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School at a salary of \$90 per teaching month.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier.
Supt. of Indian Education.

R.J.L.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Spanish, Ont.

July 22, 1929.

Mr. R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning.

Dear Sir,

I beg to apply for the position of
teacher of the Junior class, at the Wikwemikong
Indian Day School.

I have a New York State certificate,
seven and a half years experience in teaching
in Indian Day Schools; four years experience as
superintendent at the Spanish Residential School;
nineteen years experience in white schools.

Trusting my application will meet with
a favorable reply,

I am,

Yours with respect,

Marcella Hickey

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
July 25th, 1929.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith an application from Miss Marcella Hickey, of Spanish, for the position as teacher in the junior class room of the Wikwemikong Day School.

Miss Hickey has been advised of Departmental Letter No. 19-6-1 of the 20th instant to the effect that Miss Charlebois would return after the holidays to resume her duties as assistant teacher at Wikwemikong Day School.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Hewes
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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19-6-1.

Ottawa, July 29th, 1929.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 25th instant, enclosing the application of Miss Marcella Hickey for the position as teacher in the junior classroom of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

In reply I have to inform you that it is the intention of Miss Charlebois to resume duties as teacher of the junior room when the school reopens after the present summer holidays and, as you were informed by official letter of the 25th instant, Miss A. Straine will return as senior teacher. The authorities at the Spanish School have been informed accordingly.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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MISSIO STE. CROIX
WIKWEMIKONG,
Ont.

3 Aug. 29

19-6-1

Superintendent of Indian Schools. Ottawa.

Dear Sir

About two weeks ago I notified Mr. Agent R. Lewis that Miss Hickey one of the Spanish ladies well known to you was ready to take the class of the smaller children in Wikwemikong. And I informed him of my objections to the return of Miss Charlebois. I had frequent occasions to find out that this young lady, besides caring nothing for the Indians in general, took very little interest in her own pupils, acting as one who wants to take as little trouble as possible and have a good time as much as one can; and besides my experience with the children of that class where I have gone more than once a week during the whole year is that they have made very little intellectual progress if any. She is a good disciplinarian, but not a teacher, at least for the Indians.

About she come again, it will be another year lost for these children. — If Miss Hickey was not to come, I would expect much more of Miss Mary Wain than of the other.

I hope, dear Sir, that for the interest you take in Indian education, you will consider favorably this my letter.

I remain

Yours respectfully in J. C.
Rev. G. A. Davis

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Ottawa, August 6th, 1929.

Dear Miss Charlebois,-

The Nardene Sisters have intimated to the Department their desire to place a second member of their Order in the Wikwemikong School. I am advising them that you have been re-engaged but, as there is a vacancy at the West Bay Indian Day School and, possibly, a vacancy at another of the day schools near Wikwemikong, I thought that you might possibly consider a transfer to one of these schools and thus permit the Nardene Sisters to have full charge of the Wikwemikong School, as they had in former years. Would it be possible for you to visit the Department in the near future in connection with this matter? If not, you should write me at once.

I may say that both at West Bay and at the other school mentioned there is only one teacher but at both of them very comfortable teachers' quarters are provided.

Yours obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier.
Supt. of Indian Education.

Joe
Roe
Miss Josephine Charlebois,
Dunrobin,
Ontario.

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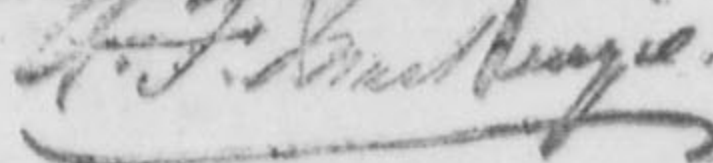
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Ottawa, August 6th, 1929.

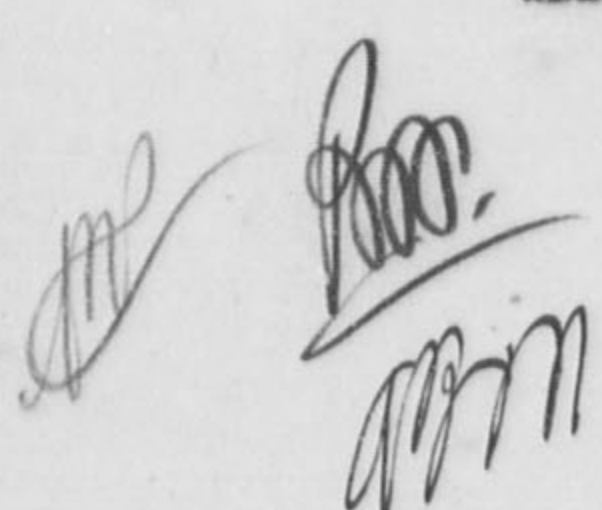
Reverend Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 3rd instant, with reference to the teachers at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School. In reply I beg to say that the Department, at the present time, is giving careful consideration to the question of teachers for this school. It is hoped that our efforts in this regard will meet with the approval of all concerned.

Your obedient servant,



A. F. MacKenzie.
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.



Rev. G. A. Artus, S.J.,
Wikwemikong,
Ontario.

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Witnemikong 5 July

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154/89/36

H. Lewis, Indian Agent, Manitowaning

Dear Sir,

A school-year is gone, and parents are not pleased, neither I. As for the seniors' class no one can reasonably find fault with the teachers - the sickness of one, the time lost, and the want of experience of Miss Wynne with the children that were under her are facts against which nothing can be said.

But as for the young woman in charge of the junior and who has been the Principal for the second part of the year, it is different, and I wish that she may come no more. It is first evident that she cares not for the Indians but despises them - so far that she would not even eat excellent bread made by Mrs King.

She did not seem to care any more for the progress of the children at school, since she would either dismiss them or leave them alone for a while, likely under the pretence of getting her noon-meal ready. - Since she tried and obtained permission to take Easter-holidays out of the time, when the children would more likely be able to attend best. - Since she did give no kind of reprimand or rebuke, while being principal.*

And, by what I have seen in her class, it does not seem that she knew how to train children to think and to talk. - She is a good enough disciplinarian, but, at least

* On other times, after one of the short holidays she arrived just in time for class, after a long walk (both at night & teaching was possible after that preparation?)

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For our Indian Schools I do not think that she
teaches properly

Now I believe that Miss Winn is a far better
one, and if it was offered to her she would accept
to take Miss Charlebois' room, while one of the
Spanish ladies should take the seniors and be the
Principal.

Allow me also to remark that the
fence along the main road and the steps down to
the school are in very poor condition

Yours in the Lord

Rev. G. A. Arthur
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I54-5-35. Indian Office, Manitowaning,
August 7th, 1929.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a letter of complaint against Miss Josephine Charlebois as teacher in the junior class-room at the Wikwemikong School, during the past four years.

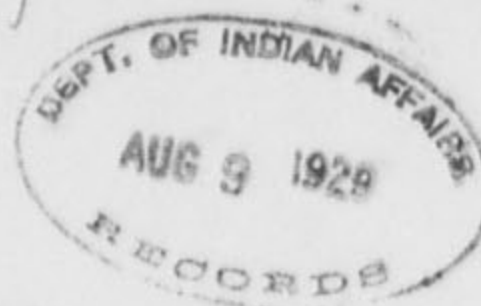
This letter has been on file in this office for sometime but somehow has been unintentionally overlooked.

I might say that I have found Miss Charlebois a competent teacher in the class-room, but I am not acquainted with the facts that she would not associate with the Indians, or would not even eat excellent bread made by Mrs. King.

Your obedient servant,

R. Hewitt
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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Dunrobin, Ont.,
Aug. 9, 1929.

Dear Mr. ~~Parker~~, -

In regard to your letter of August 6th. I am sorry I could not accept a transfer to either of the schools you mentioned. I am interested in my class at Hikuemikong also am accustomed to the people there.

I realize that there are comfortable living quarters at West Bay but less social life. I find it lonesome enough at Hikuemikong at times so I really cannot see

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schools.

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Yours truly,

J. G. Maclebois.

Mr. R. Perrier,

Supt. of Indian Education,
Ottawa, Ont.

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19-6-1.

Ottawa, August 13, 1929.

Madam:

I have your letter of the 9th instant, indicating your wish to return to the Wikwemikong Indian Day School and stating that you are not interested in a transfer. Your re-engagement at the Wikwemikong School is approved, and the Department expects you to report for duty on September 3rd.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

J. Charlebois
Miss J. Charlebois,
Dunrobin,
Ont.

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19-6-1.

Ottawa, August 13, 1929.

Sir:

I have your 154-5-35 of the 7th instant, with enclosure from Father Artus, with reference to the services of Miss J. Charlebois, teacher of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School. It is unfortunate that this complaint did not reach the Department some time ago, as Miss Charlebois has already been re-engaged for the coming year.

During the next few months, you will please give special attention to this school, with a view to determining the advisability of a change in the junior room.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
Ont.

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17-6-10
Witnemitsong, P.O. Ont.

10 Aug. 1929



A. F. MacKenzie, Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary

Dear Sir

In further reference to the appointment of a teacher for the class of the younger children in this place, I beg to say that

Coming back this day after an absence of just seven days I was informed that the Indians at their monthly meeting, on the 5th of August decided to tell the Indian Agent and I to write to you that they do not want to see Miss Charlebois to come again. I do not know what reasons they have given you But I pray you, to believe upon my word of honor that I had no idea that they would at all speak of that or write to you. It comes all from them --- and it must confirm what I said, that this young lady could do no more good ---- And that, should she come back, it would be very difficult to obtain good attendance in that large class of little children.

I remain, Dear Sir, with consideration

Yours in J. C

Geo. G. A. O'Brien

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August 1929

R. J. Lewis Esq.
Indian Agent.
Manitowaning Crst.
Sir.

At the meeting of the Indians of the
Manitowaning Island Menominee Band held this
day in Council and called in accordance with the
rules of the Band.

Moved by Joe Asawarnik
Seconded by Joseph B. Jacko. and Passed
unanimously - Whereas a request has been
made at last Council meeting that the services
of Miss Charlebois as Teacher were not satisfactory,
We beg to state herewith why we considered her
services were not satisfactory, Children were let
out ^{of school} early at noon hour and on Fridays afternoons
on many occasions school was out half hour
or about 3:30 The Parents who have always taken
a great interest in the progress of their children at
school complained that no progress was noticeable
in their children especially this past year, though
they attended regularly - Therefore we request our
good Department to reconsider our request.

Joseph Asawarnik
Joe B. Jacko
Jonas Odjig
Daniel Wernegwans
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John Wabegig.

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Wickwemikong Ont.
August 8th 1929.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa Canada.

Sir. We have taken the privilege of Enclosing you a copy of a resolution sent in to H. J. Secuin Esq. Indian Agent, Maritowaning Out, We are of the opinion that if the Agent is not at home, this copy of resolution will reach you a good.

Yours truly
Joseph Wabegiz
Secretary -



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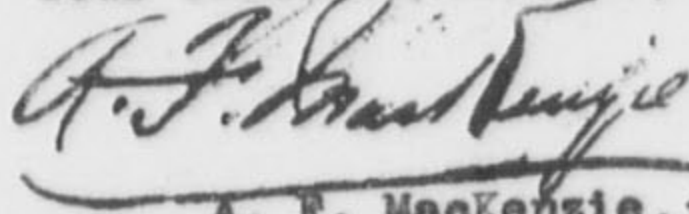
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Ottawa, August 15, 1929.

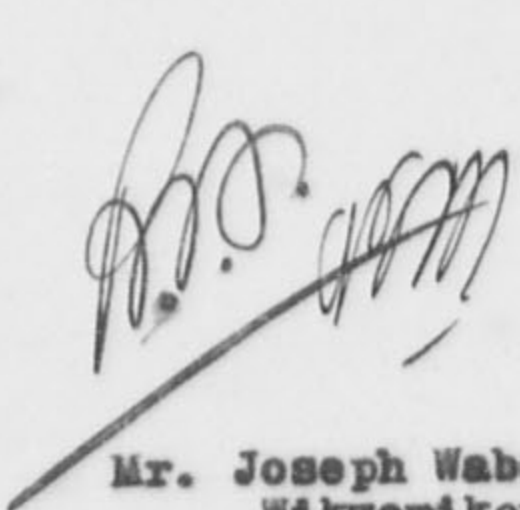
Sir:

I have your letter of the 9th instant, enclosing a resolution, which has reference to the services of Miss J. Charlebois, teacher of the junior room at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School. Before any complaint had reached the Department regarding the services of this teacher, she had already been re-engaged for the coming academic term. The Department expects her to return to the school on September 3rd, and, during the next few months, special attention will be given to her work, with a view to determining the advisability of a change. The Department relies on the members of the Band to see that there is a good attendance in the junior room for the time being.

Your obedient servant,



A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.



Mr. Joseph Wabegijeg,
Wikwemikong,
Ont.

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19-6-1.

Ottawa, August 15, 1929.

Reverend Sir:

I have your letter of the 10th instant, with further reference to the services of Miss J. Charlebois, teacher of the junior room at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School. It is unfortunate that complaints regarding the services of this worker did not reach the Department until after she had been re-engaged for the coming term. Mr. Indian Agent Lewis has been requested to give special attention to her work during the next few months, with a view to determining the advisability of making a change. The Department relies upon you to use your best efforts to secure a good attendance in the meantime.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

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Rev. G. A. Artus, S. J.,
Wikwemikong, Ont.

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August 5 1939.

R. J. Lewis Esq.
Indian Agent.
Manitowaning Ont.

Sir.
At the meeting of the Indians of the
Manitoulin Island Algonquin Band held
this day in Council and called in accordance
with the rules of the Band
Moved by J. E. Osawamick
Seconded by Joseph B. Jacko. And passed
unanimously. Whereas a request has been
made at last Council meeting that the services
of Miss Chateaubain as Teacher were not satisfactory
We beg to state herewith why we considered her
services were not satisfactory - Children were let
out ^{to} school too early at noon hour. And on Friday afternoons
on many occasions school was out ^{half} hour
early or about 3.30 P.M. Those Parents who have
always taken a great interest in the progress
of their Children at school complained that
no progress was noticeable in their Children especially
this past year, though they attended regularly.
Therefore we request our good Department to reconsider
our request.

Joseph Osawamick
J. E. B. Jacko
James Odjig
Daniel Wemigwanse
Chas. Joseph P. Manitowick
John Wabegig.

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154-5-36.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
August 15th, 1929.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a resolution by the council of the Manitoulin Island Unceded Band requesting the Department to dispense with the services of Miss Charlebois as junior teacher at the Wikwemikong Day School, and giving the reasons why her services as teacher were not satisfactory.



With regard to the above complaints I have to report that permission was granted by the Department that an extra half hour be given for lunch at midday by Letter No. 19-6-1 of February the 10th, 1927, and as for closing the junior class early on different occasions I might say that Miss Charlebois class were all small children and as many had long distances to walk to their homes it was desirable that during rough weather and when the roads were in a bad condition that the small children should be dismissed a little early.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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19-6-1. ✓

Ottawa, August 22nd, 1929.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 15th instant, enclosing a resolution of the council of the Manitoulin Island Unceded Band requesting that the Department dispense with the services of Miss Charlebois, junior teacher at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School. In this connection I would state that the Department has nothing further to add to official letter of the 13th instant.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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20 Aug '29 19-6-1



A. E. MacKenzie

Acting Dist. Deputy and Secretary

Dear Sir

I have been very sorry, for the sake of our people and children, when yesterday I read in your letter that Miss Charlebois was to come back. Owing to the well deserved opposition of the chiefs and parents, it will be impossible for me to interfere and make the children come, should they be kept home unduly.

As for the complaints to have reached the Department too late, your agent (who is the main cause of the faults found in this teacher's neglect of duty) received from me, early in July the reasons why I desired her to be discharged. But as he had approved this neglect, probably he did not send my letter, because it was more against him than against the young lady... who indeed is only a child seeking for a good time.

I suppose that the principal of the Girls' school at Spanish has written to you that Miss Strain having lately fallen very ill cannot teach this year... that she is calling for another lady to fill the place here - But as she might not find it will be good that the Department may be ready with one in case none could come from Spanish.

Yours respectfully. Geo. G. Arthur

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St. Joseph's Residence
Spanish, Ontario.

2.17.1964

Dear Mr. [unclear]

Since I wrote you,
Miss A. Straine has been quite ill
and consequently is not able to resume
her position as teacher of the Senior class
at the Wikwemikong School.

If the Department will accept
Miss S. Burke as teacher of the Senior class
to replace Miss A. Straine, I shall arrange
that she reach Wikwemikong on time
to open school, September 3rd.

Miss S. Burke holds a Second-

Professional Certificate

I realize it was too late to arrange
a transfer for Miss Charlebois.

Your endeavor to secure a

for Miss Hickey is much appreciated.

I am deeply grateful to you for
courtesy and consideration you have
shown me in arranging matters
for the schools.

Awaiting your reply

I am,

Yours with respect,

Rosine Bonnot.

Miss Burke
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Ottawa, August 26, 1929.

Madam:

I have your letter of the 23rd instant, informing the Department that Miss A. Straine, senior teacher at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, will, on account of ill health, not resume duties when the school reopens, and nominating the services of Miss S. Burke to replace her.

In this connection I have to say that the Department will be pleased to approve of the appointment of Miss Burke, to begin duties on September 3rd, next. The salary allowed her will be at the rate of \$90 per teaching month. We are informing Mr. Agent Lewis, Manitowaning, accordingly, and requesting him to give her every assistance he can upon her taking up duties.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

L. Bonnot
Miss Louise Bonnot,
Indian Residential School,
Spanish, Ont.

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19-6-1. ✓

Ottawa, August 26, 1929.

Sir:

I have to inform you that Miss A. Straine, the senior teacher at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, will, on account of ill health, be unable to resume duties when the school reopens after the present summer holidays. The Department is approving of the appointment of Miss S. Burke as teacher of the senior class, to begin duties on September 3rd, next. The salary allowed Miss Burke will be at the rate of \$90 per teaching month.

I have to request that you will give both teachers at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School every assistance you can in their work during the coming school year and endeavour to encourage a regular attendance of Indian children of school age.

Your obedient servant,

A. E. MacKenzie
A. E. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
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EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF MR. INSPECTOR McDONALD,
DATED OCTOBER 29th, 1929, ON HIS INSPECTION OF
THE WIKWEMIKONG INDIAN DAY SCHOOL.

Original on File 19-6-6.

*No action
at present*

Miss Burke is an excellent principal
and the pupils are responding to her influence.
I am pleased to report that the pupils from this
school were given first prize at the Fall Fair
for Public Speaking. This is a remarkable
achievement for Indian children. I would re-
commend that Miss Burke's salary be raised to
that of her assistant.

*Miss Burke 90
Miss Burke 90*



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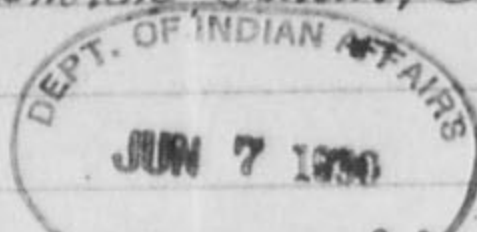
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R. Ferrier Superintendent of Indian Schools, Ottawa



My Dear Sir,

May I ask you to answer favorably the application of Miss Agnes Manitowabi for the class left vacant by the resignation of Miss Charlebois. It will be a very great advantage for the little ones coming to that class, if they have a teacher speaking their own language.

I would ask you also to transfer Miss Stella King from White-fish-lake to Pawa. Miss Sloan having also resigned. - I know that a Miss Mc Namara who attends presently Normal, is to offer to you her services for White-fish-lake.

Yours Respectfully

L. A. O'Brien



You may remember that the school at Pawa has never been as well attended as it was when Clara King was teaching there: and the main reason was that she spoke Indian and was understood from the start.

Encl. on
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19-5-1-Whitefish Lake

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Ottawa, June 10, 1930.

Rev. Sir:

I have your letter of the 2nd instant, asking consideration to Miss Agnes Manitowabi's application for a position at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School. The Department has had no intimation of Miss Charlebois' resignation. If this is received, your representations will not be overlooked.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

G. A. Artus
Rev. G. A. Artus, S.J.,
Wikwemikong,
Ont.

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I54-5-39.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
June 17th, 1930.

Sir:-

I have the honour to report that Miss Josephine Charlebois, teacher in the junior class-room of the Wikwemikong Day School, has submitted her resignation to this office the same to take effect at the end of the current quarter.

Your obedient servant,

A. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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19-6-1.

Ottawa, June 20, 1930.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 17th instant, informing the Department that you have received the resignation of Miss Josephine Charlebois, teacher of the junior classroom at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, to take effect at the end of the current quarter. In this connection I have to say that the resignation of Miss Charlebois is accepted.

The Department will endeavour to arrange for the services of a teacher for the junior room for the next school year and you will be informed later regarding the teacher appointed.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie
Acting Asst. Deputy Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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WIKWEMIKONG DAY SCHOOL

GENERAL

19-6-1

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Orig. on 19-6-5.

June 23, 1931.

Memorandum:

DR. SCOTT.

On the 29th ultimo, I visited the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, which is at present conducted in the old building near the church. As far as I could learn from a brief visit, Miss Sadie Burke and Miss Agnes Manitowabic - the latter an Indian girl - are doing very efficient work.

I visited the new building which was erected during the fall and early winter, and I believe it very suitable for our purposes. There is considerable still to be done, however, before school can be conducted there, as follows:-

1. Well and water supply system.
2. Sewage disposal system.
3. Outdoor toilets for boys and girls.
4. Benches for noonday lunch.
5. Cupboards for children's dishes.
6. Woodshed.
7. Kitchen cupboards and tables.
8. Dry storeroom in the cellar.
9. Cupboards and bookcases in classrooms.
10. Levelling the grounds and fencing.
11. Chemical toilets for teachers.

The ladies of the Hardene Order, who are responsible for the teaching at this school, also requested that we provide a summer kitchen at the back. After the building is occupied, the need for this will be better determined. I believe the Department should seriously consider purchasing a few more feet at the back of the building, to take in a rather low spot there. This could

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be fenced so that cattle would not get into it, and we should consider draining it. I looked at the contour of the land behind and I believe that the draining would be comparatively inexpensive. New desks are not required, as the ones now in use can be sanded and varnished and moved over.

To properly prepare the building and grounds for school purposes will require a considerable outlay and I propose to place an item in the Estimates for the coming fiscal year. Of course, there are no funds at the present time for the purpose, and, anyway, for some reason or other, the teachers are not in a hurry to move to their new quarters. They asked that the final work be postponed until next year. Father Artus also requested that we postpone moving to the new building until 1932. In view of the fact that funds were not available to prepare the school for occupation, I informed them that we would consider their request.

In view of the whole situation, I wish to recommend that we prepare the school for occupation early in 1932 and that the classes and teachers move over as from September first of that year.

Russell F. Terrier

Supt. of Indian Education.

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July 3rd, 1931.

Dear Miss Ings,

I enclose copy of letter received from one of the teachers at Wikwemikong regarding the condition of the school property after the clinics held there last year. I also enclose copy of letter written to Miss Burk in this connection for your information.

You will understand, of course, that wherever you are sent, any property used is expected to be left in good condition, and if necessary you should engage a charwoman to do the necessary work. This applies whether the condition in which you find any building or equipment is satisfactory when you arrive or not.

Miss Moodie tells me that the condition of the beds at the old school at Wikwemikong was anything but satisfactory, and you will observe that I have mentioned this to Miss Burk.

I shall be glad to hear from you in this connection.

Yours truly,

Miss Olive Ings,
c/o G.H. Sims, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.

A.F. MacKenzie
Secretary

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Sault Ste Marie. Ont.

July 4 / 31

Mr. Douglas / Pm



Dear Mr Mac Kenzie.

Your letter of July 3rd to Hand. With reference to the school at Wikwemikong I wish to state as follows.

It is quite evident that someone else used the school building after the clinic was held. The building was left in good order. Two Indian women cleaned the rooms that were used.

Most of the bedding that was used (including quilts and sheets & blankets) was furnished by the 4 Indian women who took care of the tonsils cases. Such bedding belonging to the school as was used was laundered afterwards. The first night Miss Moodie and I stayed at the school the condition of the beds was just as she stated. In addition the mattress of one of the beds at that time was stained. At the time the second clinic was held most of the children slept on cots provided by the Indian Agent for that purpose. The 2 gasoline lamps were not used at either clinic.

yours truly.

D. Lys.

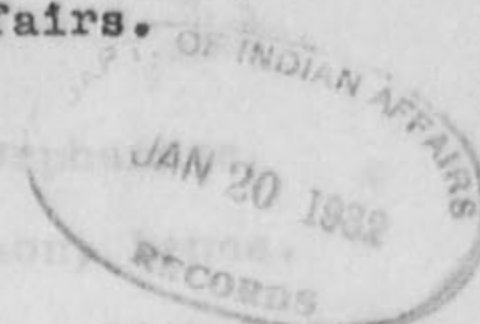
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Copy for Department of Indian Affairs.



TORONTO, January 18th, 1932.

Dear Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 12th instant and to state in reply that reports on Indian Schools are made by the Inspectors to the Department of Indian Affairs and any records of the School Inspectors mentioned by you would be in the above Department at Ottawa.

A copy of your letter and a copy of this letter are being sent to the Department of Indian Affairs.

Yours sincerely,

Chief Inspector.

James Hanlon Esq.,

St. Mary's Orphanage,

Cresson, Pennsylvania.

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St. Mary's Orphanage,
Cresson, Penna.
January 12th, 1932.

Department of Education,
Toronto, Ontario.

Gentlemen,-

I taught in the Wikwemikong Industrial School from January 1904 to June 1908. Two Inspectors, Mr. Power and Mr. O'Brien made their periodical inspections. They must have made to your Department some report as to the character of my work and of my scholastic attainments. I should like to have a transcription of that report - or a few lines from you stating that I taught successfully for about four years in Ontario. This is necessary for me now as I am about to apply to the State Department here for a Permanent Certificate. Thanking you for your courtesy in this instance

I am,

Very truly yours,

Signed - James Hanlon,

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EXP.

Ottawa, January 30, 1932.

Sir:

The Department has received, from the Provincial Department of Education, Toronto, a copy of your letter of the 12th instant, requesting a report on your services during the period you taught at the Wikwemikong Boys' Industrial School.

In this connection I have to say that your services were engaged by the authorities of the school, and, from the information which we have on our files, you taught as senior teacher during the period from January, 1904, to the end of October, 1907. The Department was advised by Rev. T. H. Couture, Principal of the school at that time, that you had resigned, having left for Europe. The only report this Department has from a public school inspector during the period of your service was covering an inspection made by Mr. Michael O'Brien, Separate School Inspector, dated October 17, 1904, in which he stated as follows: "The Principal, or Senior Teacher, is Mr. James Hanlon, an intelligent, well educated young man. He is energetic and ambitious and he has a bright, well trained class of Indian boys." Our records are incomplete for the period covered by your service as teacher at the Wikwemikong Indian Residential School, owing to the fact that you were engaged and salary paid by the school management.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Indian Education.

James Hanlon
James Hanlon, Esq.,
St. Mary's Orphanage,
Cresson, Penn.,
U. S. A.

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Toronto, April 5th, 1932.

Dear Sir:-

I beg leave to acknowledge your letter of March 31st., and in reply to state that the Department of Education receives many requests similar to that made by Miss Sadie J. Burke and you can understand how difficult it would be to break the Regulations for individual cases. " Compulsory attendance at the Second Year Course has been postponed for one year for those teachers who hold Interim certificates obtained in 1928. No decision has been made with regard to those teachers who obtained Interim certificates in 1929. When a decision has been reached a public announcement will be made and Miss Burke will learn the course which will apply to her particular case. a

Yours very truly,

R. A. Crookery
Assistant to the Deputy Minister.

Russell T. Ferrier, Esq.,
Supt. of Indian Education,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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E X T R A C T from Inspector Greening's Report
regarding his visit to the WIKWEMIKONG INDIAN
DAY SCHOOL on June 2, 1932.

Original on File 19-6-6.

This school is doing really splendid work. The Ontario Department of Education permits Inspectors to recommend for promotion without actual writing of Department Examinations Fifth Form pupils from such schools as the Inspector considers worthy of such consideration. Outside of the large schools in Port Arthur and Fort William, the writer has felt able to recommend this concession in the case of only one school, Wikwemikong Indian Day School, an indication of his grading of the school.

At this inspection the Inspector was accompanied by the Director of the Junior Red Cross for Ontario. In her honour, the pupils of the school, aided by the Reserve Brass Band, put on a little concert, the main feature of which was a "Health Play". Both the Inspector and the Director of Junior Red Cross saw two of these plays presented at the Ontario Educational Association Meeting at Toronto last Easter. Both agree that the play seen at Wikwemikong was decidedly superior to one of the plays seen at Toronto and did not need to fear comparison with the other.

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W. J. GREENING, B. A., B. PAED.
Inspector of Separate Schools
PORT ARTHUR
ONTARIO

454 St. Patrick's Square,
Port Arthur, Ontario.
June 18, 1932.

To
The Deputy Minister,
Department of Education,
TORONTO, Ontario.



Sir,

I have the honour to submit, herewith, Exam. Form 165B in connection with the Fifth Forms conducted in the following city schools:-

St. Patrick's, Port William.
St. Andrew's, Port Arthur.

I have given this matter very careful consideration, having in mind the recent circular from the Chief Inspector of Public and Separate Schools in regard to the number to be chosen to write the Departmental Examinations, and the ~~results~~ enclosed forms represent the results of my investigations and decisions. Where a mark is given in red, it indicates that the candidate will write the Departmental examination, and the mark indicates our estimate of what he should do thereat under normal conditions.

There is also enclosed, herewith, a similar form recommending that two young girls of the Indian Day School at Wikwemikong, (Manitoulin Island), be given standing on recommendation. This Indian Day School is staffed by very superior Second Class (Ontario) teachers. My estimate of its efficiency is to be deduced from the fact that, although I have two two-roomed Provincial Separate Schools taking Fifth Form work, (Rainy River, and Shedden No. 1 at Spanish), I am not prepared, at present, to recommend a like treatment in their cases. It is possible, however, that I shall recommend extension of this privilege to Rainy River next year if its efficiency continues to increase as it has done these past two years. Wikwemikong is the Indian Day School about which the writer consulted the Registrar, (Major Cowles), at Easter. The Registrar concurred in my request that standing, upon recommendation, be given to these young ladies, and asked me to so state in this letter.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

(3a) WJG

Inspector.

*Copy for information of
Mr. Turner, with
Compliments of
W. J. Greening*

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Girls' Residential School,
Spanish Ont.

Aug. 27, 1932.

Immediate
DEar Mr. MacKenzie,



Miss Leusch's health has been failing and on consulting a doctor was advised not to teach this coming year. She will ~~never~~ return to Nipigon as companion and house keeper to Miss Burke.

Miss Burke had to undergo an operation early in July and is not getting along as well as the doctors hoped she would. As Nipigon is a much smaller and easier school than Wikwemikong we think it would be advisable to send Miss Burke to Nipigon with Miss Leusch.

Miss Louise Gatty would go to Wikwemikong. She has had a number of years' experience in white schools and has taught for us here in the house. She holds a permanent Second Class Certificate and will, I think, do well at Wikwemikong.

Kindly let us know, at your earliest convenience, if this change meets with the approval of the DEpartment.

Respectfully yours,

Louise Bonnet

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was there 95*
A. F. MacKenzie, Secretary,
DEpartment of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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19-6-1.

Ottawa, August 29, 1932.

Madam:

I have your letter of the 27th instant, informing the Department that, on account of failing health, Miss Leusch will not be resuming duties as teacher at Lake Helen and recommending the transfer of Miss Sadie J. Burke, formerly teacher at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, to succeed Miss Leusch at Lake Helen. The Department will approve of this transfer. The salary allowed Miss Burke will be at the same rate as paid Miss Leusch, viz.: \$100 per teaching month, less 10% for the current fiscal year.

Approval is granted for the appointment of Miss Louise Gatty to succeed Miss Burke at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School. The salary allowed in her case will be the same as was paid Miss Burke, viz.: \$95 per teaching month, less 10% for the current fiscal year.

The respective Indian agents are being informed of the above appointments and will be requested to give each of the teachers every assistance they can in their work at the schools.

The Department learns with regret that Miss Leusch is giving up teaching duties, after many years' successful service. Her service while teaching for this Department have been entirely satisfactory.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

J. B. Bennet
Miss Louise Bennet,
Principal,
Girls' Indian Residential School,
Spanish, Ont.

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19-6-1.

Ottawa, August 29, 1932.

Sir:

I have to inform you that the Department is approving of the transfer of Miss Sadie J. Burke, senior teacher of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, to the Lake Helen Indian Day School, in the Port Arthur agency. Miss Louise Gatty has been appointed to succeed Miss Burke at Wikwemikong, with salary at the rate of \$95 per teaching month, less 10% for the current fiscal year.

I have to request that you will give Miss Gatty any assistance you can in her work at the school and in encouraging a regular attendance of the Indian children.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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154-5-46

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
August 29th, 1932.



Sirs:-

I have the honour to report that a communication has been received from Miss Sadie J. Burke to the effect that on account of ill health she requests the Department to accept her resignation as principal of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

Miss Burke has advised also that Miss Gatty, of Spanish, is recommended by the Roman Catholic Mission to be her successor, and that that she is a thoroughly qualified teacher for the province as she holds a permanent second class certificate and has several years of successful teaching in public schools in the north.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

INDIAN AGENT

YOUR OBEYIENT SERVANT

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Oct 4th 1932.

Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

[Signature]

Duncan C. Scott Esq.
Dear Sir,



Would it be possible for the new school that was built here about two years ago to be opened. It's about time that this old school was condemned. It isn't fit for young children to be in upstairs in the young class the roof leaks badly, & the teacher has to go mopping the floor everytime it rains. It even comes on the children desks. And another thing the yard were the children play is disgracefull every fall & spring it's nothing, but a pool of water. I have seen it myself. so I know it's right. The children have to go & play on the front steps. I have four children going to school & there a several all close. It's a shame that they have to be in a school like that when there is a new school. Would it be to much for you to see if the new school can be used.

Remain

Yours Very Truly
[Signature]

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19-6-1.

Ottawa, October 7, 1932.

Madam:

I have your letter of the 4th instant, regarding the opening of the new school building at Wikwemikong.

In reply I have to inform you that this matter is receiving consideration.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

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Mrs. D. Odjig,
Wikwemikong,
Ont.

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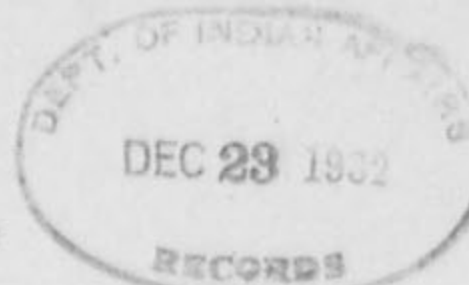
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154-5-46.

Manitowaning, December 20th, 1932.

Sir:-

With reference to Departmental Letter No. 19-6-6 of the 5th, instant, concerning the report of Inspector Greening on the attendance at the Wikwemikong Day School during his last visit to the effect that there was a considerable decrease this year, only sixty-eight pupils being enrolled as compared with eighty-one last spring, I have the honour to report that I paid this school a visit recently and found that the enrolment for the present month is eighty-four. There is an enrolment of thirty-four in the senior class-room, and fifty in the junior class-room.

I might also say that a number of pupils who were attending this school last year have been admitted to the Residential School at Spanish as the parents reside at too great a distance from this school to allow them to attend regularly.

It would appear to me that the attendance this year, so far, is quite satisfactory as the enrolment being eighty-four this quarter compared with seventy-six during June quarter last without making any allowance for the number of pupils sent to the Residential School.

Your obedient servant,



Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa Ont.

W. K. Wernm. Ont.
Jan 30th 1933.

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Sir. The Manitowlin Island Agricultural Society
requests to have the use of the new school
building at W. K. Wernm. village for
Agricultural purposes that is for holding
parties etc. for raising funds for the Society.

It is the request to have the ^{school} ~~school~~ open
for use by the Society until it is open for
school purposes next summer.

The said Society will keep the said
building in good order and clean

SCHOOLS BRANCH
FEB 3 1933

Yours truly

Manitowlin Island Unincorporated Band
Agricultural Society.

School Committee.

P. P. Waregijig
J. B. Jacko
Thomas Eltner

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19-6-1.

Ottawa, February 3, 1933.

Sirs:

I have your letter of the 30th ultimo, requesting permission to use the new school building at Wikwemikong for the purpose of holding parties, etc., to raise funds for the Manitoulin Island Unceded Band Agricultural Society, until such time as this building is required for school purposes.

In reply I have to say that the Department is making enquiry regarding your request.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

J. P. Wasegijig
Wasegijig
Mr. R. P. Wasegijig,
(for Sports Committee),
Manitoulin Island Agricultural Society,
Wikwemikong, Ont.

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19-6-1.

Ottawa, February 3, 1933.

Sir:

The Department has received a communication signed by the Sports Committee of the Manitoulin Island Unceded Band Agricultural Society. The signatures to the letter are as follows: R. P. Wasegijig, J. B. Jacko and Thomas Peltier. They request the use of the new school building at Wikwemikong for the purpose of holding parties, etc., in order to raise funds for the Society, until such time as the building is required for school purposes. They state they will keep the building in good order and in a cleanly condition.

I shall be pleased to have your opinion regarding this request. I may say that unless the Department is definitely assured that no damage would be incurred, we would not be prepared to consider the request. It is thought the members of the Agricultural Society could make other arrangements for the holding of their assemblies. There would be danger of damage to the new school building if used for the purposes mentioned. We will await your report regarding the matter.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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154-5-46.

Manitowaning, February 9th, 1935.

Sir:-

I am in receipt of Departmental Letter No. 19-6-1 of the 3rd instant with reference to a request the Department received from the Sports Committee of the Manitowaning Island Unceded Band Agricultural Society to use the new school building at Wikwemikong for the purpose of holding parties, etc., in order to raise funds for the Society.

With regard to the above request I have the honour to report to the effect that it would not be advisable to allow the Sports Committee of the Agricultural Society, or any other organization, to make use of the new school building for the holding of their assemblies. Some time ago the Sports Committee asked a similar request at this office, and they were advised to the effect that under no consideration would they be allowed to make use of the new building as an amusement hall as it was erected for the purpose of a school building, and the interior finish should be kept clean and in good condition until such time as it would be re-opened for school purposes. On account of this refusal they carried their request to the Department.

An effort has been made to have this building kept in as good a condition as possible until the present time, by having the constable to keep on fires during the damp weather and see that no person does any damage to the building, therefore, I consider that it would be well to let the constable carry on in looking after this building, and not let any organization make use of it to hold social gatherings.

Your obedient servant,

A. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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19-6-1.

Ottawa, February 15, 1933.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 9th instant, regarding the request made by the Sports Committee of the Manitoulin Island Unceded Band Agricultural Society to use the new school building at Wikwemikong for the purpose of holding parties in order to raise funds.

In reply I have to say that the Sports Committee are being informed that the Department cannot grant them permission to use this building. It is hoped to have this building completed and ready to reopen for school purposes at the beginning of the next school year.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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Ottawa, February 15, 1933.

Sirs:

In further reference to your request of the 30th ultimo for permission to use the new school building at Wikwemikong for the purpose of holding parties, etc., to raise funds for your Agricultural Society, I have to say, after fully considering your request, that the Department is not prepared to allow, under any condition, the use of this building as an amusement hall.

Mr. Agent Lewis is being informed that this new school building should be kept clean and in good condition until such time as it is reopened for school purposes, and that he is not to permit its use for any other purpose.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

Mr. R. P. Wasegijig,
(for Sports Committee)
Manitoulin Island Agricultural Society,
Wikwemikong, Ont.

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August 16, 1934.

MEMORANDUM:

The Honourable the Superintendent General.

For many years' past, the Hardene Sisters of Spanish, Ont., have supplied a teacher for the Garden River R. C. Indian Day School (Reserve No. 14 - Electoral District of Algoma West), and for the Wikwemikong Indian Day School (Reserve No. 26 - Electoral District of Algoma East).

The Superior of the Hardene Sisters recommends that, for the academic year 1934-35, Miss Louise Gattie, who has previously taught at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, be transferred to the Garden River Indian Day School, and that Miss Goody replace Miss Gattie at Wikwemikong. Both Miss Gattie and Miss Goody are members of the Hardene Order.

I should appreciate your concurrence in the above appointments.

[Signature]
Acting Deputy Superintendent General.

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Garden River
P.C. #1
Wabowung #1

Girls' Residential School.
Spanish Ont.
Aug 11. 1934.

Dear Mr. Phelan.

We find the following changes
necessary to be made.

Miss Louise Battie to replace Miss M. Hickey
as teacher of Junior Room at Garden River.

Miss Goody to replace Miss Louise Battie
as teacher of Senior Class at Wabowung.

We trust the Department will approve
of the above changes, and hope they will
prove satisfactory.

Yours respectfully,
Joe St. James.

Mr. P. Phelan.
For Superintendent of Indian Education.
Department of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa.

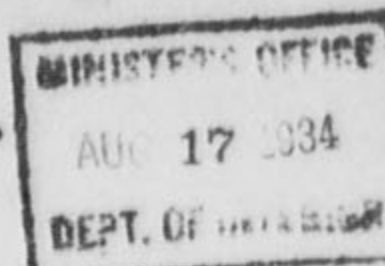
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

OFFICE OF THE
DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL
OTTAWA

August 16, 1934.

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MEMORANDUM:

The Honourable the Superintendent General.

For many years' past, the Nardene Sisters of Spanish, Ont., have supplied a teacher for the Garden River R. C. Indian Day School (Reserve No. 14 - Electoral District of Algoma West), and for the Wikwemikong Indian Day School (Reserve No. 26 - Electoral District of Algoma East).

The Superior of the Nardene Sisters recommends that, for the academic year 1934-35, Miss Louise Gattie, who has previously taught at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, be transferred to the Garden River Indian Day School, and that Miss Goody replace Miss Gattie at Wikwemikong. Both Miss Gattie and Miss Goody are members of the Nardene Order.

I should appreciate your concurrence in the above appointments.

A. S. Williams

Acting Deputy Superintendent General.

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19-6-1.

Ottawa, August 22, 1934.

Madam:

With reference to your letter of the 11th instant, I beg to say that the Department approves the transfer of Miss Louise Gattie from the Wikwemikong Indian Day School to the Garden River R. C. Indian Day School. The appointment is also approved of Miss Goody as teacher at Wikwemikong, to replace Miss Gattie. It is hoped that both these teachers will re-open their schools on the 4th proximo. Miss Gattie will be allowed salary at the rate of \$85 a teaching month and Miss Goody's salary will be at the rate of \$95.

Please let me know Miss Goody's christian name.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKensie
A. F. MacKensie,
Secretary.

Miss Z. St. James
Miss Z. St. James,
Indian Residential School,
Spanish, Ont.

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19-6-1.

Ottawa, August 22, 1934.

Sir:

Miss Louise Gattie is being transferred to the Garden River R. C. Indian Day School. She will be succeeded by Miss Goody, who will be allowed salary at the rate of \$85 a teaching month. It is expected that Miss Goody will be at Wikwemikong School in time to re-open it on the 4th proximo. Please give her every possible assistance.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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19-6-1.

Ottawa, September 13, 1934.

Sir:

With reference to official letter of the 22nd ultimo, regarding the appointment of Miss Goody as Principal of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, I beg to say that, through error, you were advised that Miss Goody's salary would be at the rate of \$85 a teaching month. This should have read \$95 a teaching month, which is the same amount as was allowed the former Principal.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
Ont.

F. MacKenzie
Secretary

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S.C.

Wikwemikong 18th Sept. 1934.

W. Bélanger #51

19-6-1

Dear Mr. Phelan.

Pardon if I dare to bother you. We are having a small bazaar for the benefit of the church. To have a better success, if success there is, we would need the new school, but I think that Mr. Agent cannot give the permission without first obtaining it from the Department. The fair will take place in the school on the 18th 19th and 20 inst. Would you be kind enough to let us have it for the 25th inst. day for our bazaar. And the next day will take place the scrubbing, and the cleaning.

Please inform immediately Mr. Lewis if the permission is granted, so that we know on the 20th what to do.

Thanking you in advance.

Yours sincerely.

C. Bélanger. S.J.

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19-6-1.

Ottawa, Sept. 19, 1934.

Sir:

The Department is in receipt of a letter from Rev. C. Belanger, S. J., requesting permission to use the new Wikwemikong School on Tuesday, September 25th, for a bazaar.

The Department understands that arrangements are being made to scrub and clean this school on the 26th instant, and it is presumed that classes will open in this building shortly after that date.

As far as the Department can see, there can be no objection to Father Belanger using the building on the 25th instant, and I would appreciate your informing him to this effect.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

R. S. Lewis
R. S. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL
OTTAWA



DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

19-6-1.

MINISTER'S OFFICE
NOV 13 1934
DEPT. OF INTERIOR

November 12, 1934.

MEMORANDUM:

The Honourable the Superintendent General.

Miss Agnes Manitowabi, teacher of the junior room at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School (Reserve No. 26 - Electoral District of Algoma East), is being married and will give up duties at the end of the current quarter.

There are two classrooms in the Wikwemikong School, and for many years' past the Reverend Nardene Sisters of Spanish, Ont., have supplied the principal and have also been allowed to nominate the teacher of the junior room. The latter teacher resides in the residence with the Reverend Sister who is the principal.

The Reverend Sisters nominate Miss Rita Trudeau, an Indian girl holding a second class Ontario certificate, to take charge of the junior room from January 1st, next. I should appreciate your concurrence in Miss Trudeau's appointment.

Harold W. Hill

Deputy Superintendent General.

*Approved, provided Dept is satisfied
as to her fitness & qualifications
J. G. M.*

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Ottawa, November 15th, 1934.

Sir,-

The Department has been informed that Miss Agnes Manitowabi, teacher of the junior room at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, was married on the 7th instant. She has been informed, in a letter dated the 12th instant, that the Department will only consent to her remaining in charge of the junior room until the Christmas holidays.

To succeed Miss Manitowabi, the Department approves the appointment of Miss Rita Trudeau, an Indian girl who was assisted by the Department in her education. This girl was, also, successful at the North Bay Normal School.

You should obtain Miss Trudeau's present address from Rev. Chas. Belanger, S. J., and arrange to have her take up duties at the Wikwemikong School after the Christmas holidays. Salary will be allowed her at the rate of \$80 a teaching month.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie.
Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA



OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

154-5-50.

Manitowaning, December 4th, 1934.

Sir:-

With reference to Departmental Letter No. 19-6-1 of the 15th ultimo to the effect that the Department has been informed that Miss Agnes Manitowabi, teacher in the junior class room at Wikwemikong Indian Day School, was married on the 7th ultimo, and she was informed that the Department would only consent to her remaining in charge of the junior room until the Christmas holidays, and to succeed Miss Manitowabi the Department approves the appointment of Miss Rita Trudeau, an Indian girl who was assisted by the Department in her education. I have the honour to report that I have been in correspondence with Miss Trudeau in connection with taking charge of the junior room at this school after the Christmas holidays, and today I received a communication from her to the effect that she would be ready to take charge of this room at the re-opening of the school after the holidays.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

*offered
Jan 1/35
80¢ per month
and house*

*Wm
Sept 1/34
95¢ per month*

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19-6-1.

EXD.

Ottawa, July 9, 1936.

Dear Sir:

The Department is in receipt of enquiries from teachers with reference to a vacancy at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School. As far as we are aware, neither of the two teachers there intends to resign.

Please let me know by return mail whether or not you have received any intimation from either of these teachers that they intend to give up duties at this school.

Yours truly,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Spanish, Ont., July 11th, 1936

Dear Mr. Phelan,

Miss Goody and Miss Trudeau
are both returning to Wikwemikong for the next
Academic year as far as I know.

Yours respectfully,

Joe St. James

Mr. P. Phelan,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa

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19.6.1
Minister's Office

MEMORANDUM

R
July 6, 1936.

DR. McGILL:
DR. McGILL:

re vacancy R.C.School, Wekwimokong
(Mrs. Augustine Osborne, Massey,
recommended)

With the return of the attached (June 30)
will you kindly furnish draft reply to Mr.
Thomas Farquhar, M.P.

W.J.F. Pratt
W.J.F. Pratt,
Private Secretary.

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EXD.

Ottawa, July 14, 1936.

Dear Mr. Farquhar:

In the absence of the Minister, I wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 30th ultimo, regarding a vacancy for a teacher at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School and enclosing an application which you received from Mrs. Augustine Osborne for the position.

In reply I would say the Department is informed that it is the intention of the present teachers to resume duties when the school re-opens after the summer holidays. There will therefore be no vacancy at this school to which Mrs. Osborne could be appointed.

Yours sincerely,

Sgd W. F. J. Pratt

Private Secretary.

Thomas Farquhar, Esq., M.P.,
Mindenoya,
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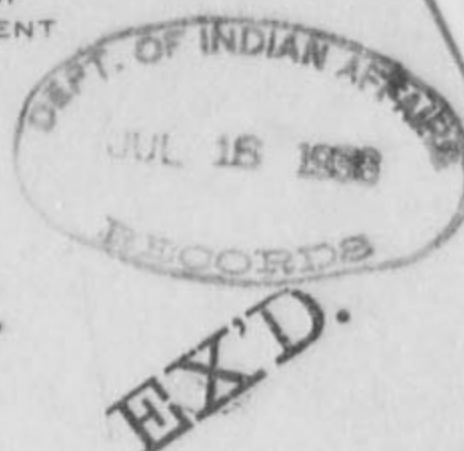
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CANADA



OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT



154-5-52.

19-6-1
Manitowaning, July 13th, 1936.

Sir:-

I am in receipt of Departmental Letter No. 19-6-1 of the 9th instant in regard to the Department being in receipt of enquiries from teachers with reference to a vacancy at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, and in reply I have the honour to report that as far as I am aware, neither of the two teachers who have been in charge during the last school year past intends to resign. When the school closed at the end of June the teachers give me to understand that they would return to re-open the school after the holidays.

Your obedient servant,

A. H. Harris
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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19-6-1

Ottawa,
May 6, 1939.

L.H.D.

Dear Miss O'Driscoll:

Your letter of the 29th ultimo has been brought to my attention. At the outset I may say that we do not appear to have had any report from the Indian Agent with reference to the matter to which you refer in the second paragraph of your letter.

While regretting that the conduct of the children after school hours is not all it might be at the same time I think that it is extremely difficult for you to take this into account when preparing the quarterly return. This is presumed to be a report on the children in attendance at school and includes their grading, the number of days they attend and their standing in the class. If this information is supplied on the return I think you are doing all that you are required to do.

Of course, if at any time you feel that moral conditions on the Reserve are not as good as they should be it is your privilege to either bring the matter to the attention of the Indian Agent or direct to the Department. In all such cases, of course, it is necessary for us to have complete facts such as names, places and a brief account, at least, of the occurrence which you think is undesirable.

With kind personal regards, I remain,

Yours sincerely,



Miss Catherine O'Driscoll,
Indian Day School,
Wikwemikong, Ont.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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Nikwemikong,
Manitoulin Isld.,
Ontario.

Nov. 9. th. 1939.



The Department of Indian
Affairs,
Ottawa,
Ont.

Dear Gentlemen, -

Please kindly let me know, whether or not I may be allowed to teach till the end of June, 1940, if I got married sometime soon.

I am teaching the Junior Class of Wikeemikong Day School.

Yours truly,
Rita Trudeau.

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19-6-1

Ottawa,
November 16, 1939.

EXD.
A.

Dear Madam:

With reference to your letter of the 9th instant present regulations do not permit our employing teachers who are married and whose husbands are able to support them. Under these circumstances you will be required to give up duties as soon as you are married.

Yours truly,

R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Handwritten initials: RTH
Miss Rita Trudeau,
Teacher,
Indian Day School,
Wiwemikong, Ont.

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19-6-1
Shenbors. Lumber May. 4/40

Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa, Ont.



Dear Sir:

I sent an application for a position
as teacher to Mikwemikong Ont, and they
advised me I had to write to your office.

My qualifications are, I am the
holder of a Complimentary diploma for the
Prov. of Lumber, also have two years High
School in Ontario, I have taken French
Reading and French translation for
three years, and French Grammar
two years.

Should my application be accepted
I will strive to do my duties earnestly
and efficiently.

I wish to get a school where the
sisters, or some girls teach, so I would
not be alone on a reserve.

Thanking you for any considerations
you may give my application
Respectfully yours
Mary Morris.

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19-6-1

Ottawa,
May 8, 1940.

EXD.
S

Dear Madam:

With reference to your letter of the 4th instant the Department has no knowledge at the present time of there being any vacancy for a teacher at the Wikwemikong School for the academic year 1940-41.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.


Miss Mary Morris,
Sheenboro, Que.

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W. J. Papineau #1 19-6-1

St. Joseph's Academy
North Bay, Ontario
May 11, 1940

1. [Signature]
2. [Signature]

Department of Indian Affairs
Parliament Buildings
Ottawa, Ontario.



Dear Sir,

Kindly consider me an applicant
for the position of teacher for the junior
grades in the school at Wikwemikong,
Manitoulin Island.

I am attending Normal School
here, in North Bay and I expect to receive
an Interim First Class Certificate at the
close of the term. For references you
may write to the Principal of North Bay
Normal School, Mr. H. E. Ricker and also
to Miss C. Lafertiere, superior of the
Residential School, Spanish, which I
attended.

Write up
of
vacancies
for
teacher
& range

4800⁰⁰

Yours respectfully
Mary S. Papineau

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19-6

Ottawa,
May 14, 1940.

Dear Miss Papineau:

I have your letter of the 11th instant applying for appointment as teacher of an Indian day school. Your request will receive every possible consideration but I am not in a position at the present time to advise you whether or not there will be a vacancy in the school you mention.

Yours truly,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

PH
Miss Mary S. Papineau,
St. Joseph's Academy,
North Bay, Ont.

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Ottawa,
May 14, 1940.

EX'D.
A.

Dear Sir:

Please let me know at once if it is the intention of Miss Rita Trudeau, teacher of the junior room at the Wikwemikong School, to give up duties at the end of June next.

I may say that Miss Trudeau wrote to the Department last November stating that she intended to get married and on November 16 we wrote to her as follows:

"With reference to your letter of the 9th instant present regulations do not permit our employing teachers who are married and whose husbands are able to support them. Under these circumstances you will be required to give up duties as soon as you are married."

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Mr. C. R. Johnston,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Wikuwemikong,
Ontario.
May 12, 1940.

Mr. R. C. Johnston.
Manitowaning
Ontario.

Dear Sir,-

I hereby resign my
position as teacher of Wik-
wemikong Junior Class.
at the end of this school
term. I am to be married.

Yours Sincerely,
Rita Trudeau.

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INDIAN AGENT



PLEASE QUOTE
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154-5-54

Manitowaning, Ontario.

May 25, 1940

Sir:-

I wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter No. 19-6-1 dated May 14th, regarding Miss Rita Trudeau, teacher of the junior room at Wikwemikong School.

I enclose herewith her resignation and report that Miss Trudeau was married on May 14th, but as the term is so near ended, I presume she will be allowed to complete the term.

Yours very truly,

R. L. Johnston
Indian Agent

Miss Trudeau
The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa, Canada.

CRJ / JH

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19-6-1

Ottawa,
May 30, 1940.

Dear Miss Laferriere:

The Department has received and accepted the resignation of Miss Rita Trudeau as teacher of the junior room at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, effective June 30, 1940.

Recently Miss Mary Papineau wrote to the Department requesting appointment as a teacher for the coming academic year as she stated that she expected to pass her normal school this year.

Please let me know at once if you would have any objection to our appointing her as teacher of the junior room at Wikwemikong.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Miss C. Laferriere,
Principal,
Girls' School,
Spanish, Ont.

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19-6-1

Ottawa,
May 30, 1940.

Dear Miss Laferriere:

The Department has received and accepted the resignation of Miss Rita Trudeau as teacher of the junior room at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, effective June 30, 1940.

Recently Miss Mary Papineau wrote to the Department requesting appointment as a teacher for the coming academic year as she stated that she expected to pass her normal school this year.

Please let me know at once if you would have any objection to our appointing her as teacher of the junior room at Wikwemikong.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Miss C. Laferriere,
Principal,
Girls' School,
Spanish, Ont.

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19-6-1

Ottawa,
May 30, 1940.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter of the 25th instant please inform Miss Rita Trudeau that her resignation as teacher of the junior room at the Wikwemikong School, effective June 30, 1940, is accepted. You will be advised later regarding the name of the teacher who will be in charge of this room for the coming academic year.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Mr. C. R. Johnston,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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19-6-1

Ottawa,
May 30, 1940.

EX'D.
A.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

Re: Wikwemikong Indian Day School
No. 448

The Department has received and accepted the resignation of Miss Rita Trudeau, teacher of the junior room at the above school. Her resignation will be effective June 30, 1940, and no further salary should be paid to her after that date.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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Mr

Wekwemikong #1 19-6-1

*17-6-40
2-5-40*

Spanish, Ont.
June 3, 1940.



Dear Mr. Heey:

In answer to yours of May 30th,
I wish to tell you I surely have no objection
to your appointing Miss Mary Papineau as teacher
of the Junior room at Wikwemikong.

I think it will be a help to her to be
under an experienced teacher.

Yours truly

Clotilde Laferrriere

*175
a month
in 9 mos.*

*OK
Primer
She is
a good
woman
for*

Mr. R. A. Heey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training,
Ottawa

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19-6-1

Ottawa,
June 6, 1940.

Dear Madam:

With reference to your letter of the 3rd instant the Department approves the appointment of Miss Mary Papineau as teacher of the junior room at the Wikwemikong School provided she is successful in obtaining her certificate at North Bay Normal.

When you hear that she has been successful please notify her of her appointment. If she should fail please let me know as under these circumstances it will not be possible to consider her appointment.

The Wikwemikong School will not re-open until October 1 and in the event of Mary Papineau taking charge of the junior room she will be allowed \$75.00 a teaching month. I enclose staff questionnaire form which you should have her complete.

Yours truly,

Miss C. Laferriere,
Principal,
Girls' School,
Spanish, Ont.

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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[Handwritten signature]

19-6-1

Ottawa,
June 20, 1940.

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Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

Re: Wikwemikong Indian Day School
No. 448

The above-mentioned school will be open during the month of September, 1940, but will be closed during the month of January, 1941.

The two teachers of this school should, therefore, receive payment for September, 1940, but no payment for January, 1941.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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19-6-1

Ottawa, June 28, 1940.

Dear Madam:

EXD.
A

I desire to refer you to official letter of the 6th instant, with reference to the proposed appointment of Miss Mary Papineau as teacher of the junior room at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

Please let me know as soon as possible if Miss Papineau was successful in obtaining her certificate at North Bay Normal. Otherwise the Department will have to arrange for the appointment of another teacher.

Yours truly,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

Miss C. Laferriere,
Principal,
Girls' School,
Spanish, Ont.

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Recd
Schiff

Witkemikong, Ont
July 1st, 1940

Mr Philip Phelan
Welfare Dept.
Ottawa.



Dear Sir:

I am writing to ask if there is any chance of me getting a position as teacher for the Junior Class of Witkemikong school or of any vacant school for next term. My husband is in poor health and under the doctor's care so is unable to obtain work. I thought I could help until he is pronounced cured and is in a position to support us. I have one child and that will enable me to work, as she is old enough to be left with her grandparents.

Please write and let me know if such a position is possible. I taught in this school for five years previous to my marriage.

Yours very sincerely

Mrs John J. Wakegizig
nee Agnes Manitowabi

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19-6-1

Ottawa, July 5, 1940.

Dear Madam:

With reference to your letter of the first instant, I may say that a teacher has already been secured for the junior classroom of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

Yours truly,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

Mrs. John J. Wakegijig,
Wikwemikong, Ont.

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19-6-1

Spanish, Ont.,
July 3, 1940.



Dear Mr. Phelan:

In answer to yours of June 28th,
I am glad to tell you that Miss Mary Papineau
has obtained her certificate at North Bay Normal
and has filled the questionnaire form sent by
Mr. Heey.

Yours truly,

Clotilde Laferriere

Mr. Philip Phelan,
Chief Training Division,
Ottawa.

\$ 80 a month
for 9 months
in 1940-41
in 1941

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19-6-1

Ottawa, July 8, 1940.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

In my memorandum of May 30 I advised you that the teacher of the junior room, Wikwemikong Indian Day School - Miss Rita Trudeau - was giving up duties at the end of June, 1940.

To succeed her, the Department has appointed Miss Mary Papineau at a salary of \$80.00 a teaching month.

This school will be in operation for the month of September, 1940, but will be closed for the month of January, 1941. In this connection I would refer you to my memorandum of June 20.

I enclose copy of letter of appointment and staff questionnaire will be sent to you when received.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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19-6-1

Ottawa, July 8, 1940.

Dear Miss Laferriere:

With reference to your letter of the 3rd instant, I would appreciate your advising Miss Mary Papineau that the Department approves of her appointment as teacher of the junior room at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School for the academic year 1940-41. She will be allowed salary at the rate of \$80.00 a teaching month.

As you are aware, all Indian day schools will be open for only 9 months during the coming academic year, and by arrangement with the Indian agent, the Wikwemikong school will be open from September 1 to December 31, 1940, and from February 1 to June 30, 1941. In other words, the school will be closed for the month of January, 1941.

Yours truly,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

Miss C. Laferriere,
Principal, Girls' School,
Indian Residential School,
S p a n i s h, Ont.

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Hogansburg, N. Y.
July 8th. 1941.

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Department of Indian Affairs
Parliament Buildings
Ottawa, Ont.



Dear Sir,

I am Mary Papineau of St. Regis reservation. I have been teaching at the Indian school in Wickwemunkong for the past year but recently resigned. I would like to make a personal application at your office whenever it would be most convenient to you. Kindly let me know as soon as possible.

Yours respectfully
M. Papineau

With
true
sincerely

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19-6-1

Ottawa, July 16, 1941.

Dear Miss Papineau:

With reference to your letter of the 8th instant, you may call at the Department at any time.

It is noted you state that you have recently resigned as teacher of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, but your letter was the first intimation we had received regarding the matter.

Yours very truly,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

JP
Miss Mary Papineau,
Hogansburg, N. Y.,
U S A.

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19-6-1

Ottawa, July 16, 1941.

Dear Miss O'Driscoll:

I have just received a letter from Miss Mary Papineau, stating she has recently resigned as teacher at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School. This is the first intimation we have had regarding this matter.

Miss Papineau intends to visit the Department in the near future, and I presume she will desire to be appointed at some other Indian school. Please let me know immediately why she gave up duties at Wikwemikong.

Are you in a position to suggest any qualified teacher to replace Miss Papineau at Wikwemikong for the academic year 1941-42?

Yours truly,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

Miss C. O'Driscoll,
Girls' Indian Residential School,
Spanish, Ont.

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EXD.

Ottawa, July 16, 1941.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY.

The Department has received and accepted the resignation of Miss Mary Papineau as teacher of the junior room at the above-mentioned school. No further salary should be paid to her.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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19-6-1

Ottawa, July 29, 1941. EXD.

Dear Miss O'Driscoll:

I note from your letter of the 26th instant that you hope to be able to supply one of your teachers for the Wikwemikong Indian Day School. If, however, you are unable to do so, the Department is prepared to consider the appointment of Miss Mary Armour. You should advise me as soon as a definite decision has been made in this matter.

Yours truly,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

Miss C. O'Driscoll,
Girls' Indian Residential School,
Spanish, Ont.

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Calumet Island, Que.
August 7/41.

To the S. Secretary of
Spirited
Ontario.

Gentlemen: —

Having been
informed by Miss
Mary Ardour that
a vacancy has
occurred in one of
your Schools, I
wish to be
considered applicant.

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I have Certificates
of First & Second
Terms in Ontario,
and in regard to
Quebec I hold
a Superior Diploma.
My experience
covers a period of
seven years of
successful teaching.
Should your
Board consider my
application, I am
willing to produce
references concerning
my character and
ability. Moreover I

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will strive to
discharge my
duties earnestly
and efficiently.
Trusting that
this application
will meet with
your approval
I am
yours respectfully
Carmel Cahill.

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Mr. Thelan

August 11, 1941.

re Miss Armour about whom Miss O. Driscoll
wrote you.

Miss Armour is unable to take a school on the
Island on account of her mother's illness.
I enclose Miss Cahill's letter - trusting you
will be in favor of accepting her for the Wick-
wemikong junior class. I am writing Miss Cahill
that I sent you her letter.

Clotilde Laperriere

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19-6-1

Ottawa, August 13, 1941.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY.

Re: Wkwemikong Indian Day School, No. 448.

In my memorandum of July 16 I advised you of the resignation of Miss Mary Papineau as teacher of the junior room of the above-mentioned school.

To succeed her the Department has appointed Miss Carmel Cahill, at a salary of \$80.00 a teaching month, effective October 1, 1941. I enclose copy of letter of appointment, and staff questionnaire will be forwarded to you when received.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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19-6-1

Ottawa, August 13, 1941.

Dear Miss Laferriere:

With reference to your letter of the 11th instant, the Department approves the appointment of Miss Carmel Cahill as teacher of the junior room at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School. She will be allowed salary at the rate of \$80.00 a teaching month. It is understood that the school term is from October 1, 1941, to June 30, 1942.

Yours very truly,

over
Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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Miss C. Laferriere,
Girls' Indian Residential School,
Spanish, Ont.

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19-6-1

Ottawa, August 13, 1941.

EXD.
A.

Dear Sir:

To succeed Miss Mary Papineau as teacher of the junior room at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, the Department has approved the appointment of Miss Carmel Cahill.

I enclose staff questionnaire, which you should have her complete as soon as she begins duties, and you should mail the form to this Branch. Please give Miss Cahill every possible assistance.

Yours truly,

Encl.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.


Mr. C. R. Johnston,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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19-6-1

Ottawa, August 19, 1941.

Dear Sir:-

I have to advise you that the services of the following teachers ceased effective July 1, 1941,-

Sister M. of St. Ann	Restigouche Indian Day School No. 326
Sister M. of St. Julia	Restigouche Indian Day School No. 326
Sister M. of St. Sigismund	Restigouche Indian Day School No. 326
M. Ballantyne	Sucker Creek Indian Day School No. 439
M. Papineau	Wiwamung Indian Day School No. 443
A. J. MacLachlan	Metegami Indian Day School No. 458
M. Suffill	Cape Mudge Indian Day School No. 506
Sister M. Cecilia	Caughnawaga Indian Day School No. 506
R. W. Condy	Middle River Indian Day School No. 255

Would you kindly let me have cheques covering the amount at the credit of the above teachers in the Retirement Fund.

Yours truly,

L. W. McOutchson

L. W. McOutchson
Chief Treasury Officer.

The Chief Accountant,
Department of Finance,
OTTAWA.

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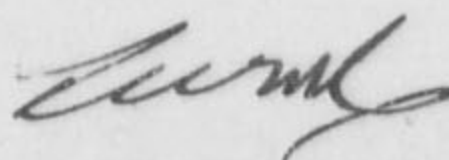
Ottawa, September 6, 1941.

REGISTERED

Dear Madam:-

I am enclosing herewith cheque No. 9906, in your favour, for \$36.65, refunding the amount of your contributions to the Civil Service Retirement Fund, together with interest.

Yours truly,



L.W. McOutcheon
Chief Treasury Officer.

Miss M. Papineau,
Care of G. B. Johnston, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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PLEASE QUOTE
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154-5-55

Manitowaning, Ontario.

October 10, 1941

EXD.

Sir:-

With reference to Departmental letter No.19-6-1 dated August 13, 1941, I re-enclose staff questionnaire form, duly completed by Miss Carmel Cahill, teacher, junior room, Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

Yours very truly,

A. D. Johnston
Indian Agent

The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa, Canada.

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19-6-1

Ottawa,
August 5, 1942.

Dear Miss Laferriere:

I have your letter of the 1st instant and note that Miss O'Driscoll will not be returning to Wikwemikong. A letter is being written today to an applicant offering her the junior room. As soon as I hear definitely regarding this you will be advised.

Yours truly,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

Miss C. Laferriere,
Principal,
Girls' Indian Residential School,
Spanish, Ont.

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19-8-1

Ottawa,
September 16, 1942.

EX'D.
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Dear Miss Laferriere:

I note that you have not yet nominated a teacher for the senior room at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

In view of the fact that our Indian day schools open on October 1, it would be appreciated if you could let us have this nomination at an early date.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Miss C. Laferriere,
Principal,
Indian Girls' School,
Spanish, Ont.

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Ottawa, September 22, 1942.

Dear Sir:-

This is to advise you that the services of Miss Carmel Cahill, teacher, Wewamihong Indian Day School, ceased effective July 1, 1942. Would you kindly let me have a cheque in her favour for the amount at her credit in the Retirement Fund?

Yours truly,

Deputy Minister.

Mr. & Mrs. Cahill

The Deputy Minister,
Department of Finance,
OTTAWA.

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Ottawa, September 22, 1942.

Dear Sir:-

This is to advise you that the services of
Miss Carmel Cahill, teacher, Wikwemikong Indian Day
School, ceased effective July 1, 1942. Would you
kindly let me have a cheque in her favour for the amount
at her credit in the Retirement Fund?

Yours truly,

C. W. JACKSON

for Deputy Minister.

The Deputy Minister,
Department of Finance,
OTTAWA.

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19-3-1

Ottawa, September 30, 1942.

Dear Sir:-

Miss Carmel Cahill,
Teacher,

On September 23, 1942, we wrote you requesting a refund of Retirement Fund account for the above-named. Since that date Miss Cahill has expressed a willingness to continue in the service of the Department. Will you therefore kindly disregard the above letter as Miss Cahill will continue to be a contributor to the Fund.

Yours truly,

Deputy Minister.

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The Deputy Minister,
Department of Finance,
OTTAWA.

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Ottawa, September 30, 1942.

Dear Sir:-

Miss Carmel Cahill,
Teacher.

On September 22, 1942, we wrote you requesting a
refund of Retirement Fund account for the above-noted. Since
that date Miss Cahill has expressed a willingness to continue
in the service of the Department. Will you therefore kindly
disregard the above letter as Miss Cahill will continue to be
a contributor to the Fund.

Yours truly,

C. W. JACKSON

for Deputy Minister.

The Deputy Minister,
Department of Finance,
OTTAWA.

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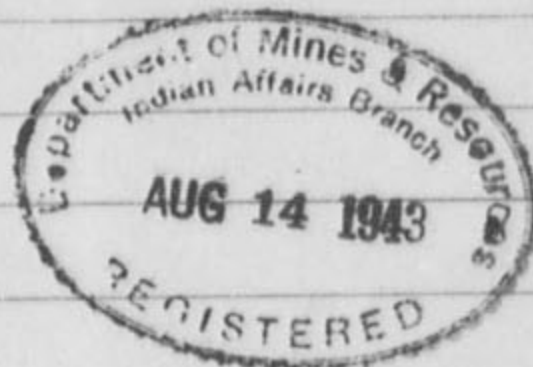
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[Signature]

Wikwemikong, Ont.
August 9, 1943.

Dept of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch,
Ottawa



Dear Sir;

I wish to make application for the position of teacher at Wikwemikong (Junior room) or Garden River School (Junior room) or Buzwah School.

I am thirty three years old, married, have two children, and my husband is overseas.

My qualifications are as follows:
A Second Class certificate for Ontario,
A Physical Training certificate and
Writing Diploma.

I have taught in Indian Schools for seven years at Whitefish Lake Reserve, Girls' Residential School, Spanish and Wikwemikong Day School.

At present I am living at Wikwemikong.

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Hoping to receive a favourable reply,
I am

Sincerely yours,

Mrs John Wakegijig,
(nee Agnes Manitowabi)

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19-6-1

Ottawa,
August 16, 1943.

Dear Madam:

I have for acknowledgment your letter of August 9, in which you submit an application for the vacant position at the Garden River R.C. Indian Day School (Junior Room).

I am today communicating with Mr. R.P.G. Laurence, Indian Agent, Sault Ste. Marie, in respect to this matter. You will, in all probability, hear from him in the course of a few days.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Mrs. John Wakegijig,
Wikwemikong, Ont.

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Ottawa,
August 16, 1943.

EX'D.
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Mr. R.P.G. Laurence, Indian Agent, Sault Ste. Marie,
Ont.

I am sending forward herewith copy of an
application for the Garden River R.C. Indian Day
School (Junior Room) received from Mrs. John
Wakegijig, Wikwemikong, Ont.

If, in your judgment, Mrs. Wakegijig is
likely to prove suitable for the position at
Garden River, you are authorized to appoint her
to the position. Salary will be allowed at the
rate of \$85.00 a teaching month, plus bonus.
The enclosed forms, duly signed, should be
returned to the Department.

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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EXTRACT
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Memorandum:

MR. PHELAN.

Re: Inspection of North Bay, Spanish,
Manitoulin Island, Shingwauk Home
and Longlac.

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MANITOULIN ISLAND

I passed some time at the Wikwemikong school and found the children apparently happy and contented. Miss Geddie, the Senior teacher is teaching a good class. She has no knowledge, however, of the integrated system of education. The children are making good progress in their routine subjects.

The Junior room is somewhat crowded. The teacher, Miss Leblanc is very traditional. Apparently she favours the phonetic system.

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A.J. Doucet,
Training Division.

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Manitowaning, Ontario.
July 2nd, 1946.

Indian Affairs Branch,
Ottawa, Ont.

Welfare and Training.

The necessity and demand for more schools is steadily growing. A new school should be erected at West Bay during the summer. The junior room in Wikwemikang School is very overcrowded, and new day schools are being requested in two other sections of Manitoulin Island Unceded Reserve.

A change of teachers at West Bay Village School is urgently requested. Mr. Byrne is evidently not in good health, and is certainly not adapted to the Indian Schools and children.

With this one exception, I believe, the present teachers are satisfactory and will return for next term.

C.R. Johnston,
Indian Agent.

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appreciated, if Wikwemikong could be included in this investigation. If this recommendation is concurred in, please advise the Indian Agent at as early a date as possible, to enable him to make arrangements for fuel wood. I would estimate the fuel requirements at 10 long cords at \$8.00 per cord. Blackboard and desks should be shipped at least one week before school commences.

W. S. Arneil
W. S. Arneil,

Inspector of Indian Agencies - Ontario.

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19-6-1 (W.T.1).

Copy on 19-6-5.

Ottawa, July 25, 1946.

EXD.

Mr. C.R. Johnston, Indian Agent, Manitowaning, Ontario.

I am in receipt of a letter from Mr. W.S. Arneil, Inspector of Indian Agencies, with reference to the large number of children who wish to attend the Wikwemikong Indian Day School during the academic year 1946-47.

Mr. Arneil states that the old chapel can be rented for \$20.00 a month and you may make arrangements with Reverend Father Dwyer for the use of this building. You may also carry out the minor repairs required to make this building suitable for a temporary classroom.

Please let me know immediately the size of blackboards required. An order is being placed for twenty-five school desks.

Mr. Arneil also advises that a qualified teacher can be secured. I enclose one of our usual application forms which you can have completed and returned as soon as possible.

Encl:

B
Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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Neary
Mr. B. Johnston

What were
 attendance figures

	<i>R.S.R.</i> Room 1	<i>S.R.</i> Room 2
June 45	21.5	42.1
Sept 45	46.	28.4
Dec 45	43.7	30.8
Mar 46	— 36.58	28.69
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Application FOR EMPLOYMENT IN INDIAN DAY SCHOOLS

I hereby make application for employment in the

.....*Wikwemikong, (Junior Room)* Indian Day School.

Date *July 29, 1946.*

Mrs. Rita Corbiere
(Signature)

I PERSONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Name in full (please print) *Corbiere Rita Mrs.*
Surname Christian Names

Date of Birth *May 12, 1915* Place of Birth *Wikwemikong, Ont.*

Sex *Female* Religion *R. Catholic* Health *Good*

Canadian Citizen *Yes* Service in H M Forces *none*

II ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS

Type of Education	Dates	Name of School	Diploma, Certificate or Degree Granted
High School (or equivalent)	<i>1930-33</i>	<i>Convent of Mary Immaculate Fembroke, Ont.</i>	
University <i>Normal</i>	<i>1933-34</i>	<i>North Bay</i>	<i>Second Class Certificate</i>
Additional (Technical Agricultural etc.)			

III PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Where and when did you take your teacher training? *At North Bay.....*

Normal School, 1933-34. What teaching certificate(s) do you hold?

Second Class Interim Certificate

For how long valid? *4 years* For how many years have you taught in

provincial schools In what province(s)

In what Indian schools have you taught previously (give dates) *Wikwemikong*

Jr. Class, Jan. 1935 to June 1940. Bugwah, Jan. 1942 to May

Total teaching experience *6* years.

IV SPECIAL QUALIFICATIONS

List any special qualifications you have for

.....
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V REFERENCES and INSPECTOR'S REPORTS

Please attach copies of references

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

154-5-59

Manitowaning, Ontario.

July 30, 1946

Indian Affairs Branch,
Ottawa, Ontario.

With reference to departmental letter No. 19-6-1 (W T) dated July 25, 1946, I enclose herewith application for a position as teacher, for the junior class room at Wikwemikong Village School. Mrs. Corbiere has about six years successful teaching experience, and can live in her own home adjacent to school.

It is proposed to place the higher grades of the junior room in the building being rented from Rev. Joseph Dwyer with Miss Edith Leblance as teacher.

There will be twenty-nine feet of blackboard required of the ordinary width, in addition to the erection of two outside toilets, and a few minor repairs to windows, chimney etc.

In connection with the twenty-five school desks being ordered, I wish to impress the urgency for these to be delivered before September 1st, as the school desks requisitioned for Rabbit Island School on February 8th last, have never been received yet.

R. Johnston
O. R. Johnston,
Indian Agent



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Ottawa, August 6, 1946.

Mr. C. R. Johnston, Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ontario.

With reference to your letter of the 30th ultimo, the appointment of Mrs. Rita Corbiere as teacher of the third classroom at the Wikwemikong School is approved. Salary will be allowed her at the rate of \$80.00 a teaching month, plus bonus, effective September 1, 1946.

As she is an Indian, teaching on her home reserve, it will only be necessary for her to complete a staff questionnaire form and a TD 1 form. These are enclosed.

Encl.

[Signature]
For Deputy Minister.

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Note last para in
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Have desks been ordered?
Do you know
about Rabbit
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desks. JH

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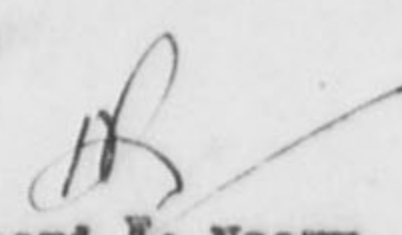
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Ottawa, August 9, 1946.

Mr. C.R. Johnston, Indian Agent, Manitowaning, Ontario.

With reference to the last paragraph of your letter of the 30th ultimo, the Purchasing Branch is being requested to secure twenty-five desks required for the new classroom at the Wikwemikong Day School. Every endeavour will be made to have these desks reach the school as soon as possible.

On March 7th last, Purchase Order No. 8954 was placed with the Globelite Furniture Company, Waterloc, Ontario and eight single school desks. When we placed the order, the firm stated that they could not ship them until July or August, therefore, these desks should reach you at any time. However, I am writing to the firm again with a view to having them shipped immediately.

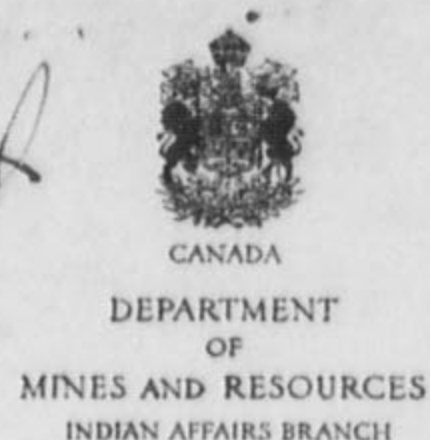

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154-5-59

Manitowaning, Ontario.

August 14, 1946

Indian Affairs Branch,
Ottawa, Ontario.

With reference to departmental letter No. 19-6-1 dated August 6, 1946, I re-enclose staff questionnaire form and TD 1 form duly completed, for Mrs. Rita Corbiere, who has been appointed as teacher of the third classroom at the Wikwemikong School.

C. R. Johnston,
Indian Agent



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19-6-1 (WT).



Ottawa, August 19, 1946.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY EX'D

Re: Wikwemikong Indian Day School
No. 448.

The Department has authorized the appointment of Mrs. Rita Corbiere as third teacher at the above school at a salary of \$80.00 a teaching month.

The Department has authorized the opening of a third classroom at this school because of the increased number of pupils and the serious overcrowding at the present Junior room.

We have arranged for the renting of an old chapel for \$20.00 a month.

Mrs. Corbiere is an Indian and will be living on the Reserve near the school.

The necessary forms are attached herewith.

Encl:

from Sept 1/46
work

[Signature]
for Deputy Minister.

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19-6-1 (WT).

Ottawa, August 24, 1946.

EX'D

Mr. C.R. Johnston, Indian Agent, Manitowaning, Ontario.

Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

I attach a copy of a letter which I have received today from Miss Edith Leblanc, teacher at the above mentioned school. When allotting the teachers to their various classrooms, would you please take into consideration this request from this teacher. Your letter 154-5-59 of July 30th indicates that you were planning to place the higher grades of the Junior room in the building being rented from Reverend Joseph Dwyer with Miss Leblanc as teacher.

I do not wish to interfere in any way with your arrangements, therefore, I would request that you communicate directly with Miss Leblanc as to ~~your~~ plans for this school. I have answered Miss Leblanc accordingly.

B.F.N.

Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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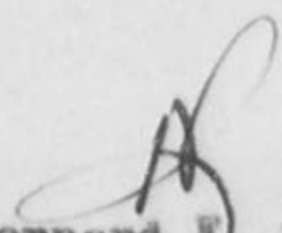
Ottawa, September 5, 1946.

Mr. C.R. Johnston, Indian Agent, Manitowaning, Ontario.

I have just received a letter from Miss E. Leblanc stating that she does not intend to return to Wikwemikong School, for the academic year 1946-47.

She suggested that we might secure the services of Mrs. J. Trudeau. Possibly her services would be satisfactory at least on a temporary basis until we could secure a more highly qualified teacher perhaps at Christmas.

If you approve of the appointment of Mrs. Trudeau or if you know of any other qualified teacher you should arrange to have them take charge of the classroom immediately and forward the enclosed form completed.


Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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Application FOR EMPLOYMENT IN INDIAN DAY SCHOOLS

I hereby make application for employment in the

..... **Wikwemikong (junior room)** Indian Day School.
 Date **Sept. 9, 1946** **Clara Trudeau**
 (Signature)

I PERSONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Name in full (please print) **Trudeau** **Clara Anna**
 Surname Christian Names
 Date of Birth **Aug. 4, 1897** Place of Birth **Killarney, Ontario,**
 Sex **Female** Religion **R. C.** Health **Good**
 Canadian Citizen **Yes** Service in H M Forces **No**

II ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS

Type of Education	Dates	Name of School	Diploma, Certificate or Degree Granted
High School (or equivalent)	Sept. 1911 to June 1917	Spanish Residential School	(Entrance to High School)
University			
Additional (Technical Agricultural etc.)			

III PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Where and when did you take your teacher training?
 **No teacher training taken.**
 What teaching certificate(s) do you hold?
 **Nil**
 For how long valid? For how many years have you taught in
 provincial schools In what province(s)
 **Nil**
 In what Indian schools have you taught previously (give dates)
 **Buzwah-1920-25**
 **Buzwah-1943 to 1945, two terms.**
 Total teaching experience **7** years.

IV SPECIAL QUALIFICATIONS

List any special qualifications you have for Indian work
 **Indian language, and previous teaching experience.**

V REFERENCES and INSPECTOR'S REPORTS

Please attach copies of references and your latest Inspector's Report (if any)

Inspector's reports were not left at the school.

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Application FOR EMPLOYMENT IN INDIAN DAY SCHOOLS

I hereby make application for employment in the
 Wiwemikong (junior room) Indian Day School.

Date ... Sept. 9, 1946 ...

Clara Trudeau
 (Signature)

I PERSONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Name in full (please print) ... Trudeau ... Clara Ann
 Surname Christian Names

Date of Birth ... Aug. 4, 1897 ... Place of Birth ... Killarney, Ontario ...

Sex ... Female ... Religion ... R. C. ... Health ... Good ...

Canadian Citizen ... Yes ... Service in H M Forces ... No ...

II ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS

Type of Education	Dates	Name of School	Diploma, Certificate or Degree Granted
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University			
Additional (Technical Agricultural etc.)			

III PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Where and when did you take your teacher training? No teacher training taken.

..... What teaching certificate(s) do you hold?
 Nil

For how long valid? For how many years have you taught in provincial schools Nil.... In what province(s)
 In what Indian schools have you taught previously (give dates) ... Buzwah-1920-25
Buzwah- 1943 to 1945, two terms.

Total teaching experience ... 7... years.

IV SPECIAL QUALIFICATIONS

List any special qualifications you have for Indian work
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PLEASE QUOTE
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154-5-59

Manitowaning, Ontario.

September 9, 1946

Indian Affairs Branch,
Ottawa, Ontario.



With reference to departmental letter No. 19-6-1 (WT) dated September 5th, I enclose herewith an application from Mrs. Clara Trudeau, for the position of teacher in one of the junior rooms at Wikwemikong School, to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Miss Edith Leblanc.

Mrs. Trudeau has no teacher's certificate, but has seven years experience, and I think will do very well with the junior grades.

I cannot understand the attitude of Miss Leblanc, as she particularly requested to have the outside classroom when it was divided.

C. R. Johnston
C. R. Johnston,
Indian Agent

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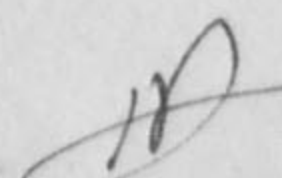
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19-6-1 (W.T. 1)

Ottawa, 14 September 1946.

Mr. C.R. Johnston, Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ontario.

With reference to your letter of the 9th instant, you may appoint Mrs. Clara Trudeau in one of the junior rooms at Wikwemikong Day School. As she is an Indian working on her own home Reserve, she will not be liable to income tax. Please let us know at once the date on which she began duty.


Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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Manitowaning, Ontario.

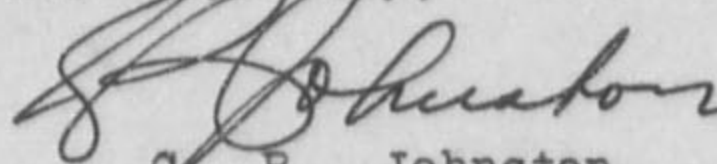
September 18, 1946

Indian Affairs Branch,
Ottawa, Ontario.

With reference to the appointment of Mrs. Clara Trudeau, as teacher for one of the junior class rooms at Wikwemikong Day School, I beg to advise Mrs. Trudeau began duties on Monday, September 16, 1946.

Mrs. Trudeau will have the lower grades and occupy the building rented from Rev. Jos. Dwyer.

Yours very truly,


C. R. Johnston,
Indian Agent

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Ottawa, 21 September 1946.

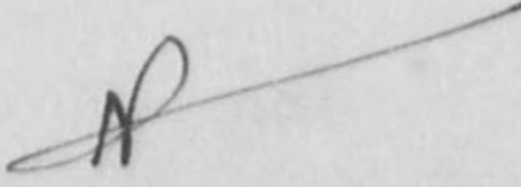
Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

Re: Wikwemikong Indian Day School - No. 448

Owing to the large attendance it has been found necessary to appoint a third teacher in the person of Mrs. Clara Trudeau. Her salary is at the rate of \$112.00 a teaching month effective September 16th, 1946.

Mrs. Trudeau is an Indian teaching on her home reserve and is therefore not liable for income tax.


for Deputy Minister.

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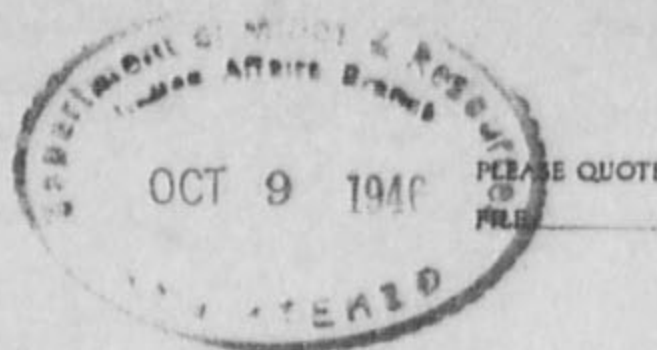
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154-5-59

Manitowaning, Ontario.

October 3, 1946

Indian Affairs Branch,
Ottawa, Ontario.

The enclosed Cheque No. A9-Y 047635, ...\$89.15,
in favour of E. Leblanc, was sent to me by the postmaster
in Wikwemikong, as he was unable to make delivery.

Miss Leblanc is not in the employ of the Department
at Wikwemikong School this academic year. I understand she is
employed in a white school somewhere in the Sudbury District.

I am informed that Mrs. Corbiere, who is taking her
place at Wikwemikong School, has not received her salary for
September, nor has Mrs. Trudeau, who is teaching the additional
class room there.

[Signature]
O. R. Johnston,
Indian Agent

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154-59

Manitowaning, Ontario.

November 8, 1946

Indian Affairs Branch,
Ottawa, Ontario.



I have received for delivery to Miss E. M. Leblanc, Cheque No. A46-36086, in the amount of \$169.54, being refund of Retirement Fund Account.

I would be pleased if the Department could advise me of the present address of Miss Leblanc. The last I heard of Miss Leblanc, I met her in Sudbury about one month ago, and she informed me she had given up her school at Garson Mines, and intimated that she was going to get in touch with this Department to see if she could get another Indian School, or possibly be re-instated at Wikwemikong School.

Mrs. Clara Trudeau seems to be getting along very good with the junior pupils in the new class room opened up at Wikwemikong and I would recommend that the present teaching staff there be maintained throughout this term.

If the Department are not aware of Miss Leblanc's present address, please advise what disposition should be made of the above mentioned cheque.

C. R. Johnston,
Indian Agent

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19-6-1 (W T)

Ottawa, June 19, 1947.

Miss Louise Gattie,
Teacher,
Wikwemikong Indian Day School

Mr. G. R. Johnston, Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ontario.

Please find attached a copy of the
application for classification on the Indian school teachers'
salary schedule which has been received from the above
teacher. Would you please append your comments and signature
in the space at the foot of the form.

Encl.


Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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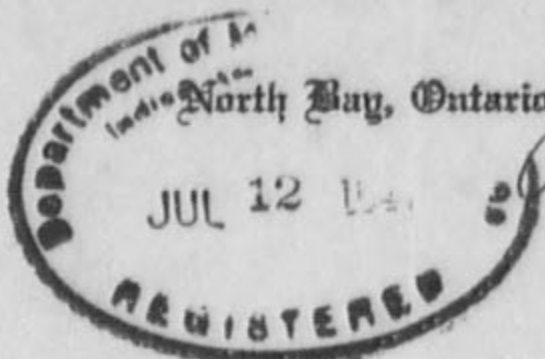
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Diocese of Sault Ste. Marie



July 6th 1947

Mr. Philip Phelan
Ottawa Ont

Dear Mr. Phelan -

Two of our Sisters met representatives of the Dept. at Wilkewemithong. One of these men wanted to put the chapel in the cellar. He seemed to think we do nothing else but teach catechism. Apparently he is a newcomer to the Department. I merely state confidentially.

The priests would sell their large stone building for school purposes. This would be ideal, as I think Wilkewemithong will require a four room school, if it is worked up.

Nothing has been heard or said about Garden River.

As soon as the Dept. decides to accept the Sisters please let us know and Rev Mother Cecilia will proceed to name a staff for both places.

With cordial greetings, I am
Yours faithfully

Rev. S. S. Mann

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~~EX-10~~

[Handwritten signature]

Ottawa, July 11th, 1947.

Dear Bishop Dignan:-

I have your letter of the 6th instant in connection with the Wikwemikong School. I think I cannot do better than enclose for your information a copy of official letter addressed to our Indian Agent today.

In our conversation you stated that you expected to be able to supply teachers for both Wikwemikong and Garden River and we are prepared to accept them. Enclosed are copies of our regular application form which should be completed and returned by the sisters chosen to take charge of these two schools.

Have you found it possible to obtain any information regarding a firm that will make the necessary repairs to the Garden River R.C. School?

Yours sincerely,

Philip Phelan
Chief, Training Division.

Rt. Rev. R.H. Dignan, D.D.,
Bishop of Sault Ste. Marie,
North Bay, Ontario.

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Chief, Training Division.

Rt. Rev. R.H. Dignan, D.D.,
Bishop of Sault Ste. Marie,
North Bay, Ontario.

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I have not filled in
my certificate number.
but will forward it
when I return to
Sault Ste. Marie, in
a few days.

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APPLICATION FOR EMPLOYMENT IN INDIAN DAY SCHOOLS

I. PERSONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Name in full (please print) (SISTER M. LALEMANT) DUFALT, ELLEN
(Surname) (Christian Names)

Date of Birth MAY 13, 1906 Place of Birth PORT ARTHUR, ONT.
Sex F. Religious Denomination Health
Canadian Citizen Service in H.M. Forces

II. PROFESSIONAL & ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS

I attended high school at PORT ARTHUR in the
Province of ONTARIO and received a MATRICULATION
Certificate after successfully completing FOUR years of high school.
I then attended University for a period of
..... years and received a degree (only where
applicable; give other details of additional education on back).

I attended a Teacher Training Course at NORTH BAY Normal
School in the Province of ONTARIO for TEN months in the
years 1924-25

I hold a FIRST Class Teacher's Certificate of a Permanent
..... (temporary or permanent) nature in the Province of ONTARIO
..... It is numbered dated JAN. 1941
and is valid until

III. TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Dates	Name of School	Town and Province	Total Years
1. <u>1925-27</u>	<u>ST. ANDREW'S</u>	<u>PORT ARTHUR</u>	<u>2 yrs.</u>
2. <u>1927-28</u>	<u>SACRED HEART</u>	<u>PETERBOROUGH</u>	<u>1 yr.</u>
3. <u>1928-29</u>	<u>ST. JOSEPH'S</u>	<u>SHAWT. ST. MARIE</u>	<u>1 yr.</u>
4. <u>1929-30</u>	<u>ST. JOSEPH'S</u>	<u>PORT ARTHUR</u>	<u>1 yr.</u>
5. <u>1930-31</u>	<u>ST. THOMAS</u>	<u>SHAWT. ST. MARIE</u>	<u>1 yr.</u>

(use other side for more detail) (remainder on back)

My total teaching experience is years in Indian Schools
and 20 years in Provincial Schools.

IV. SUMMER SCHOOLS - In order to qualify for salary increments as shown in the schedule, I certify that I have attended the following professional summer schools conducted by Provincial Departments of Education or Canadian Universities for a duration of four weeks or more in length:

Year	Course taken	By whom course was conducted	Length of Course in weeks
1. <u>1939</u>	<u>Elementary Art.</u>	<u>Dept. of Education</u>	<u>6 wk.</u>
2. <u>1945</u>	<u>Elementary Arts and Crafts</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>6 wk.</u>
3.			

V. SPECIAL QUALIFICATIONS

List any special qualifications you have for Indian work

VI. REFERENCES and INSPECTOR'S REPORTS

Please attach copies of references and your latest Inspector's Report (if any).

VII. I therefore request, in view of my qualifications and experience as detailed above, that I be classified as a Grade 3 teacher and that my salary as a teacher in the Wickwemikong Indian Day School for the 1947-48 academic year be set at \$1540 according to the salary schedule.

I understand (i) that all salary increases are clearly described in the schedule regulations as for "satisfactory service", (ii) that therefore it will be necessary for the Indian Affairs Branch to carefully consider School Inspectors' and other reports submitted upon my teaching service.

(Note: Details of our salary schedule are available in all Indian Agency offices. If the application is sent in with part of Section VII left blank, we will inform you of the salary you would receive in our service).

July 31, 1947 (date).

Sister M. Lalemant
(Signature)
St. Joseph's College
North Bay
(Address)

J.M.J.

WIKWEMIKONG

SISTERS APPOINTED TO TAKE CHARGE OF WIKWEMIKONG SCHOOL

SISTER M. LAURENTIA ✓

letter to be sent

Permanent non-Professional. Experience as follows:
Primary 4 years; Grades III, IV, V, VI, VII 35 years
Agricultural and Crafts Experience
Education Course, North Bay Normal School, 1947
Experience with Indian Children at St. Joseph's Orphanage, Fort William

SISTER M. LALEMANT ✓

Permanent First Class Certificate
Elementary Arts and Crafts
Expert in teaching of Arts and Crafts. Work sent to Ontario House, London.
Taught Grade 1, two years; Grade 4, one year;
Grade 6, two years; Grades 2 and 3; two years;
Grade 5, seven and a half years; Grades 7 and 8, three and a half years.

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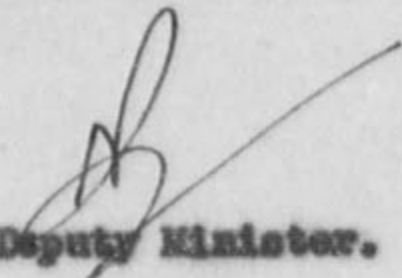
Ottawa, August 15, 1947.

Memorandum:

CHIEF TREASURY OFFICER

Re: Wikwemikong Indian Day School, No. 448.

The Department has received the resignations of Mrs. Rita Corbiere and Mrs. Clara Trudeau, teachers of the above school, effective July 1, 1947. No further payment of salary should be made to them after that date.


For Deputy Minister.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES & RESOURCES
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Ottawa, Ont., August 16, 1947.

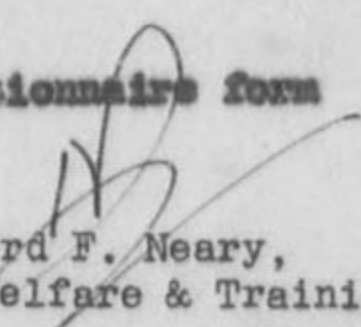
To:- Rev. Sister M. Lalumant,
Address:- St. Joseph's College, North Bay, Ontario.
School:- Wikwemikong

Your application for classification under the
Indian School Teachers' Salary Schedule has been received.

This is to inform you that you have been
classified as an Indian **School** Teacher, Grade **III**.

Your salary for the 1947-48 academic year
will be \$ **1,560.00** for **10** months' service.

Please find attached staff questionnaire form
for completion.


Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Copy to: C. R. Johnston
Indian Agent Manitowaning, Ont.

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SCHEDULE A
50M-7-46

RETIREMENT FUND APPLICATION FORM

DEPARTMENT Mines and Resources, Indian Affairs BranchTHE SUPERANNUATION DIVISION,
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
NEW POST OFFICE BUILDING,
OTTAWA, ONTARIO.Date August 18, 1947

RETURN OF THE AMOUNT AT CREDIT OF THE UNDERMENTIONED EMPLOYEE IN THE RETIREMENT FUND IS REQUESTED.

Name Gorbiers Mrs. Rita
(surname) (Christian names in full)

(In the case of a female employee married while in the service give maiden name also.....)

Employed at Wikwemikong Indian Day School,
Wikwemikong, Ont. Paylist No. 52 Payroll No. 2026Date taken on strength this Department September 1, 1946Date to be struck off strength this Department July 1, 1947

(If the employee has had previous service in one or more other departments, please state.....)

The final Retirement Fund deduction was made from the salary for the month of June, 1947
Amount \$ 5.00

Total contributions (if available) \$

I hereby certify that no overpayment of any kind to this employee is outstanding except as indicated hereunder:—

*Payable as follows:

1. Receiver General for..... \$ Nil
(to adjust overpayment)
2. Receiver General for..... \$ Nil
(Re: Victory Bond purchase)
3. \$
(to be filled in by Finance Dept.)

*Please delete items above not applicable.

TOTAL..... \$ Nil

SIGNATURE.....

TITLE Acting Chief Treasury Officer.

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Charged to control.....

Prepared by..... Checked by..... Interest \$.....

Date of payment.....

Approved by P.C. 38/3900, May 24, 1944.

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RETIREMENT FUND APPLICATION FORM

DEPARTMENT.....Mines and Resources, Indian Affairs Branch.

THE SUPERANNUATION DIVISION,
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
NEW POST OFFICE BUILDING,
OTTAWA, ONTARIO.

Date.....August 18, 1947

RETURN OF THE AMOUNT AT CREDIT OF THE UNDERMENTIONED EMPLOYEE IN THE RETIREMENT FUND IS REQUESTED.

Name.....Trudeau.....Mrs. Clara.....
(surname) (Christian names in full)

(In the case of a female employee married while in the service give maiden name also.....)

Employed at.....Wikwemikong Indian Day School, Wikwemikong, Ont. Paylist No.....52 Payroll No.....2006

Date taken on strength this Department.....September 16, 1946

Date to be struck off strength this Department.....July 1, 1947

(If the employee has had previous service in one or more other departments, please state.....)

The final Retirement Fund deduction was made from the salary for the month of.....June, 1947

Amount \$..5.60

Total contributions (if available) \$.....

I hereby certify that no overpayment of any kind to this employee is outstanding except as indicated hereunder:—

*Payable as follows:

1. Receiver General for.....\$..Nil
(to adjust overpayment)2. Receiver General for.....\$..Nil
(Re: Victory Bond purchase)3. \$.....
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TOTAL.....\$..Nil

SIGNATURE.....

TITLE.....Acting Chief Treasury Officer.

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TRANSMITTAL SLIP		Date
TO:	<i>M. J. M.</i>	
FROM:		
☐ Note and File ☐ Take Appropriate Action ☐ Note and Return ☐ As Requested ☐ Please Speak ☐ For Information ☐ Please Answer ☐ For Your Comments ☐ For Your Approval ☐ For Signature ☐ Prepare Reply For My Signature		
COMMENTS: <i>grade 3 - \$1560</i> <i>notify Treasury -</i> <i>letter sent re salary</i> <i>Manual note re</i> <i>income tax</i> <i>religious order</i>		

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Ottawa, August 28, 1947.

Memorandum:

CHIEF TREASURY OFFICER

Re: Wikwemikong Indian Day School, No. 448.

Rev. Sister M. Lalumant has been appointed as teacher at the above school. She has been classified as a teacher, Indian school, Grade III. Effective 1 September, 1947, her salary will be \$1,560.00 per academic year, in accordance with our Indian school teachers' salary schedule as approved by Treasury Board.

Staff questionnaire is attached.

As this Sister is a member of a religious Order, she will not be liable for income tax.

Encl.

[Signature]
For Deputy Minister.

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Ottawa, September 6, 1947.

Registered

C.R. Johnston, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

We are enclosing two cheques in favour of
the under-named, being refund of Retirement Fund
Account.

<u>Cheque No.</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Amount</u>
11465	C. Trudeau	\$54.12
11467	R. Corbiere	50.91


Acting Chief Treasury Officer.

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Ottawa, September 17, 1947.

Memorandum

CHIEF TREASURY OFFICER

Re: Wikwemikong Indian Day School, No. 448.

In memorandum dated August 28 we advised you of the appointment of the Reverend Sister M. Lalemant as teacher of this school.

In addition to the above mentioned Sister, the following have also been appointed as teachers at the Wikwemikong School:

- (1) Sister M. Laurentia, Grade II at a salary of \$1,560 a year
- (2) Sister M. Alberta, Grade I at a salary of \$1,000 a year.

In both cases salary should be paid on a 10 month basis.

Both the above are members of a religious Order and are not liable for income tax.

Staff questionnaires are attached.

[Signature]
For Deputy Minister.

W. L. Lalemant

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Ottawa, September 19th, 1947.

Dear Sister Laurentia:-

The Sisters who are teaching the Wikwemikong School have been classified as follows:

Sister M. Laurentia, Grade II at a salary of \$1,560.
a year.

Sister M. Alberta, Grade I, at a salary of \$1,000.
a year.

Sister M. Lalement, Grade III, at a salary of \$1,560.
a year.

In all cases, salary is paid on a ten month basis and as you are members of a religious order, you are not liable for income tax.

Yours sincerely,

Philip Phelan
Chief, Training Division.

Rev. Sister M. Laurentia,
Manitoulin Island,
Wikwemikong, Ontario.

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(Report by Col. Neary)

Ottawa, May 27, 1948.

MEMORANDUM FOR FILE:

WIKWEMIKONG INDIAN DAY SCHOOL

This is now being operated as a three-room school. Two of the rooms are in the actual school building and one is about a mile away in the old church. The junior room is located in this latter building.

TEACHERS

(a) Sister Lalemant

This teacher is the Principal and has had 20 years' provincial experience. She holds a first class certificate. Her room tested quite well in the test which I administered.

The lighting is fair and will be improved when the Delco plant is installed. The classroom is attractive with posters, flowers, children's art work, etc. Unfortunately, there are very few boys in the upper grades but I hope that the present teachers can overcome this situation. This teacher's discipline is very good.

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Sister Laurentia has a second class certificate and has had some 23 years' experience in Indian schools. She is doing very good work with these children and they have now become accustomed to having Sisters teaching them. Her classroom is bright and attractive with an abundance of plants, flowers, etc. These children should do well with the experienced teacher now

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WIKWEMIKONG INDIAN DAY SCHOOL

(b) Sister Laurentia (cont'd.)

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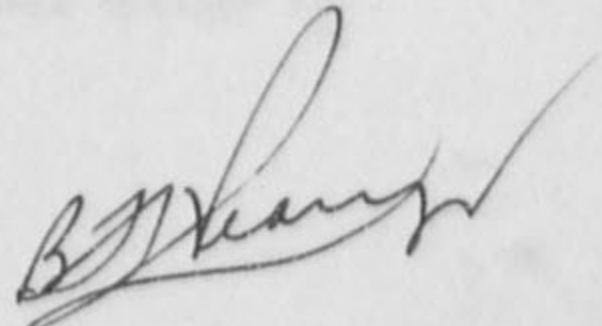
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RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That Sister Lalemant be up-graded to Principal Grade I.
2. That the senior room be moved to the old church and the junior room be transferred to the main building.
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- [Signature]*

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, July 27, 1948.

Memorandum:

CHIEF TREASURY OFFICER.

Re: Wiwemikong Indian Day School
No. 448.

Under the provisions of our new salary schedule, the Department has classified the teachers at the above school, effective September 1, 1948 as follows:

- (a) Sister M. Laurentia as a Grade 2 teacher at a salary of \$1920. an academic year. She has been given credit for a Second Class Certificate, thirteen years' experience in Provincial Schools and twenty-four years' experience in Indian Schools (MR-IAE-448-3002).
- (b) Sister M. Alberta as a Grade 1 teacher at a salary of \$1080. an academic year. Sister Alberta is now working at her Certificate and has been given credit for one years' experience in Indian Schools (MR-IAE-448-3003).

We will advise you later concerning the Principal's position at this school (MR-IAE-448-3001).

[Signature]
for Deputy Minister.

[Signature]
BFA/MM.

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OF
MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE 30-51 (19)

Manitowaning, Ontario,
July 26, 1948.

Indian Affairs Branch,
Ottawa, Ontario.

I enclose herewith Employee
Questionnaires completed by the following
school teachers of Indian Day Schools in
this Agency:-

Mrs. Isabelle Gingras - West Bay No. 2
Mrs. Lysa Jane Peltier - Buzwah School
Mrs. Agnes Wakegijig - Murray Hill
Miss Edith Leblanc - Kaboni School
Miss Bertha Bruyere - West Bay Village
Sister M. Alberta - Wikwemikong
Sister M. Laurentia - Wikwemikong
Sister M. Lalemant - Wikwemikong

Yours very truly,

C. R. Johnston,
Superintendent,
Indian Agency.

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Enc.

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APPLICATION FOR CLASSIFICATION ON 1948 REVISED INDIAN SCHOOL TEACHER'S SALARY SCHEDULE

I. PERSONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Name in full (please print) LALEMANT, SISTER M.
 (Surname) (Christian Names)
 Date of Birth MAY 12, 1906 Place of Birth PORT ARTHUR, ONT.
 Sex F. Religious Denomination CATHOLIC Health GOOD
 Canadian Citizen YES Service in H.M. Forces

II. PROFESSIONAL & ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS

I attended high school at PORT ARTHUR COLLEGIATE in the Province of ONTARIO and received a MIDDELSBROUGH Certificate after successfully completing FOUR years of high school. I then attended UNIVERSITY for a period of ONE year and received a B.A. degree (only where applicable; give other details on back).

I attended a Teacher Training Course at NORTH BAY Normal School in the Province of ONTARIO for 18 months in the years 1924-1925.

I hold a TEACHER'S Class Teacher's Certificate of a PERMANENT (temporary or permanent) nature in the Province of ONTARIO. It is numbered 58601 dated Sept. 1, 1943 and is valid until

III. TEACHING EXPERIENCE

	Dates	Name of School	Town and Province	Total Years
	1. 1925-26	ST. ANDREW'S	PORT ARTHUR, ONT.	1
	2. 1926-27	ST. JOSEPH'S	PETERBOROUGH, ONT.	1
remainder on other side	3. 1927-28	ST. JOSEPH'S, ST. MARY'S	ST. CATHARINES, ONT.	2
	4. 1928-29	ST. JOSEPH'S	PORT ARTHUR, ONT.	1
	5. 1929-30	ST. JOSEPH'S	ST. CATHARINES, ONT.	1
	(use other side for more detail)			15

IV. My total teaching experience is ONE year in Indian Schools and THIRTY years in Provincial Schools.

Summer Schools - In order to qualify for salary increments as shown in the schedule, I certify that I have attended the following professional summer schools conducted by Provincial Departments of Education or Canadian Universities for a duration of four weeks or more in length:

Year	Course taken	By whom course was conducted	Length of Course in weeks
1. 1939	ARTS	DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION	SIX WEEKS
2. 1945	ARTS AND CRAFTS	"	SIX WEEKS
(use other side for more detail)			

I am at present classified as a Grade THREE teacher at a salary of \$ 156 a teaching month. In view of my qualifications and experience as detailed above, I request that I now be classified as a Grade ONE PRINCIPAL teacher and that my salary as a teacher in the WIKWEMIKONG Indian Day School for the 1948-49 academic year be set at the rate of \$ 198 a teaching month in accordance with the 1948 revised salary schedule.

I understand (i) that all salary increases are clearly described in the schedule regulations as for "satisfactory service", (ii) that therefore it will be necessary for the Indian Affairs Branch to carefully consider School Inspectors' and other reports submitted upon my teaching service, and (iii) that these reports must be decided as being "satisfactory" in order that such a raise be granted.

Sister M. Lalemant
 (Signature of teacher)

Comments and signature of Indian Agent.

The services of Sister M. Lalemant during the past year have been most satisfactory.
G. J. Bohannon
 Indian Agent.

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PLEASE QUOTE
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Manitowaning, Ontario,
August 10, 1948.

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Indian Affairs Branch,
Ottawa, Ontario.

I enclose herewith applica-
tion for Classification on 1948 Revised
Indian School Teacher's Salary Schedule,
completed by Sister M. Lalemant, Teacher
at Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

C. R. Johnston

C. R. Johnston,
Superintendent,
Indian Agency.

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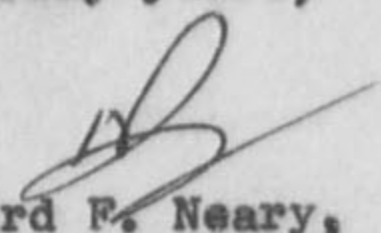
Reverend Mother General:

Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

Under the provisions of our new salary schedule, one of the teachers at a three room school is entitled to classification as a Principal at a higher rate of salary.

As you are aware, we have three teachers at the Wikwemikong School, therefore, one of them is entitled to classification as a Principal, Grade 1 at a higher salary range. It would be appreciated, if you could indicate to me which of the Sisters at Wikwemikong should be so classified.

Sincerely yours,


Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Indian Education.

Mother General,
Sisters of St. Joseph,
St. Joseph College,
North Bay, Ontario.

BFN/HM.

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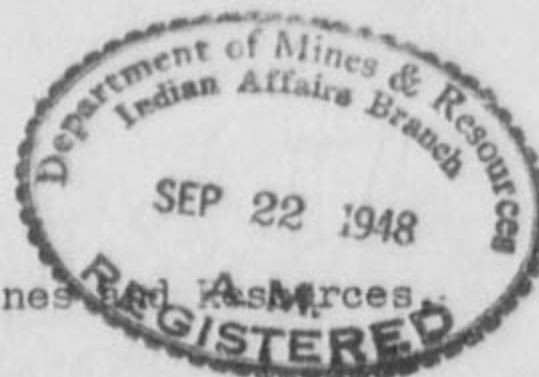
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Sept. 20, 1948.

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE 2-39-2 (13)

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Indian Affairs Branch, Department of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa, Canada.



APPLICATION FOR CLASSIFICATION
ON REVISED SALARY SCHEDULE

With reference to your letter of September 15th regarding the above, this is to advise you that Sister M. Lucy is teaching at Wikwemikong, Manitoulin Island this year and Sister Alberta, who taught last year at Wikwemikong, has taken her place at the Garden River R.C. Day School.

RPGL/MY


R. P. G. Laurence,
Superintendent, Indian Agency,
Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario.

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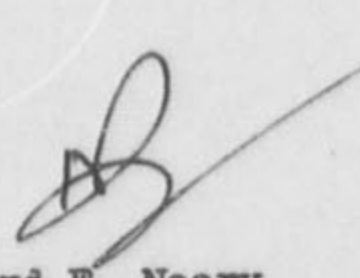
DEPARTMENT OF MINES & RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Ottawa, September 24, 1948.

To: **Sister M. Lusy.**
Address: **Wikwemikong Ontario**
School: **Wikwemikong Indian Day School**

Your application for classification under the 1948 Revised Salary Schedule for Indian Day School Teachers has been received.

This is to inform you that after a review of your qualifications, teaching record and inspector's reports, you have been classified as an Indian **School** Teacher, Grade **I**. Your salary for the 1948-49 academic year will be **\$108.00** a teaching month for **10** months' service.


Bernard F. Neary,
Superintendent of Education.

Copy to: **C. R. Johnston**
Indian Superintendent/Agent.

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September 24, 1948.

Memorandum:

CHIEF TREASURY OFFICER

Re: Wikwemikong Indian Day School, No. 448.

Re: Garden River Indian Day School, No. 390.

(1) MR - IAE - 448 - 3001

Effective 1 September, 1948, the Department has classified Sister M. Lalumant as a Grade I Principal at a salary of \$1,980.00 an academic year. She has been given credit for a first class certificate, 20 years of experience in provincial schools and one year of experience in Indian schools.

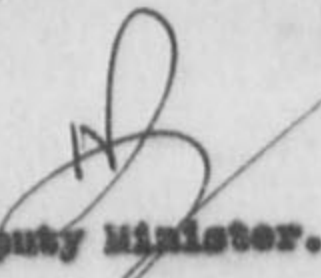
(2) MR - IAE - 448 - 3002. - As notified in our memorandum of July 27.

(3) MR - IAE - 448 - 3003

Sister M. Alberta has been transferred from this position to be teacher of the junior room at the Garden River R.C. Indian Day School (No. 390).

To replace her, the Department has approved the transfer of Sister M. Lucy from the Garden River R.C. School (No. 390).

✓ Sister M. Lucy is entitled to classification as a Grade I teacher at a salary of \$1,080.00 an academic year, effective September 1, 1948.


For Deputy Minister.

B/H/EM

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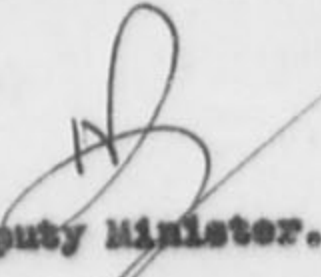
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St. Joseph's College
North Bay, Ontario

September 27, 1948

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Mr. Bernard F. Neary,
Superintendent of Indian Education,
Department of Mines & Resources,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Ottawa, Canada.



Dear Mr. Neary,

With reference to your letter of September 15th,
we regret the oversight in advising you of the change
in staff at Garden River and Wikwemikong.

Garden River
Sister Lucy attended the Summer Normal Course here
in North Bay and was required to teach in a provincial
school for a certain period of time in order to validate
her certificate.

Sister Alberta was transferred to Garden River and
she was replaced at Wikwemikong by Sister Paschal.

Wikwemikong
Sister Paschal completed her Middle School Course
and has three Upper School subjects. She took a preparatory
course in Primary Work from an excellent primary teacher
here at St. Joseph's College during the summer months.

If you would forward a blank application form, we
would be glad to have her complete it and return it to
you at an early date.

We trust you will find the above arrangement satis-
factory.

Yours very truly,

Mother M. Cecilia

Mother-General

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, October 5, 1948.

Dear Mother General:

We have your letter of the 27th ultimo in which you advise that Sister Lucy did not return to the Wikwemikong School on September 1st and that she will not be teaching at this school during the current academic year. It is possible that her cheque has already been forwarded to her and if so, we would appreciate it if you would return it.

Enclosed is one of our regular application forms together with Employee Questionnaire which Sister Paschal should complete and return here as soon as possible. When we receive these we will be able to classify her and a September cheque will be forwarded.

Yours truly,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Education Division.

Rev. Mother M. Cecilia,
Mother General,
St. Joseph's College,
North Bay, Ontario.

Encl:

PP/HM.

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, October 5, 1948.

Memorandum:

CHIEF TREASURY OFFICER.

Wikwemikong Indian Day School # 448.

In our memorandum of September 24th, you were advised that Sister M. Lucy was entitled to classification as a Grade 1 teacher.

We have been informed today that Sister M. Lucy did not return to Wikwemikong School on September 1st and that she will not be teaching there during the current academic year. If her September cheque has already been forwarded, please let me know and I will endeavour to obtain it.

We will advise you later regarding the name and classification of the teacher who is to succeed her.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Education Division.

PP/HH.

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Indian Day School,
Wakemikong, Ont.
Sept. 30, 1948.

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Mr. Bernard Neary,
Superintendent of Indian Education,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Mr. Neary:

When our cheques arrived today
and Sister Alberta's was with
them, we decided that the
Department had not been
notified that Sister Alberta
was teaching in Garden River
this year.

Sister Laurentia and I
understood from Reverend Mother
Cecilia, at St. Joseph's College,
in North Bay, that this

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information had been sent in to Ottawa along with an application for Sister Paschal to teach here. If the latter's forms have not yet arrived, will you please send an application form here, so she may fill it in.

Sister Paschal, is Theresa Thompson of Bracebridge. She has her complete Middle School and three subjects on her Upper School. She took a course in Primary work this summer at North Bay.

Our school is rather crowded. I have fifty-five on roll at present - all the pupils who did not return to Spanish seem to be in Grades Four to Eight. We have moved the Senior Room up to the hill.

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and with our twenty new
seats have rather a nice
classroom.

I sent in the application
form for the salary increase
but didn't get any. I spoke
to Mr. Johnston who said he
would look after the matter.
I mailed it in Toronto early
in July.

We are sorry this mix-up
in teachers has occurred, and
we will be glad to do anything
necessary to straighten matters
out.

Yours sincerely,
Sister M. Lalemant.

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October 7, 1948.

Reverend and dear Sister:

With reference to your letter of the 1st instant, we recently received a communication from the Reverend Mother M. Cecilia in connection with the change in teachers at Wikwemikong and Garden River. We have written to her and advised her of the action we wish taken in order to regularize the new appointment at Wikwemikong. I would appreciate it if you would return the cheque that was forwarded for Sister Lucy and we will adjust the whole matter as soon as we hear from Reverend Mother Cecilia.

Yours sincerely,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Education Division.

Reverend Sister Alice Marie,
R. C. Indian Day School,
Garden River, Ontario.

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St. Joseph's College
North Bay, Ontario

October 15, 1948

Mr. Philip Phelan,
Department of Mines and Resources,
Indian Affairs Branch,
OTTAWA, CANADA.

Dear Mr. Phelan,

Thank you for your letter and forms to be completed by Sister Paschal.

We have just received these forms duly completed and enclose them for your approval.

With reference to Sister Lucy's cheque, we have just been informed that this cheque has been returned to you so it should be in your hands when this letter reaches you.

Thank you for your promptness in attending to these matters.

Yours very truly,

Mother M. Cecilia
Mother-General

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October 19, 1948.

Memorandum:

CHIEF TREASURY OFFICER

Re: Wilemihong Indian Day School,
No. 448

(MR - IAE - 448 - 3003)

Further to our memorandum of October 5, the Department has approved the appointment of Sister M. Paschal as teacher of the junior room at this school. Her salary will be at the rate of \$1,020.00 an academic year, with classification as a Grade I teacher, effective 1 September, 1948.

Could we please be advised by phone as to whether Sister Lucy's cheque has been returned yet. We understand that this was forwarded to the Department and it is presumed that it has reached you.

[Signature]
For Deputy Minister.

BVS/MA

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE 154-5-62 (19)

Manitowaning, Ontario,
October 16, 1948.

Indian Affairs Branch,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Re: Sister M. Lalemant, Teacher
Wiwemikong Indian School

On August 10th, 1948 an application
for Classification on 1948 Revised Indian
School Teacher's Salary Schedule was for-
warded for the above-mentioned.

Sister Lalemant advises that she
received no increase on her September
salary cheque and I would be pleased if
you would look into this matter and advise.



/MJN

C. R. Johnston
C. R. Johnston,
Superintendent,
Indian Agency.

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October 22, 1948.

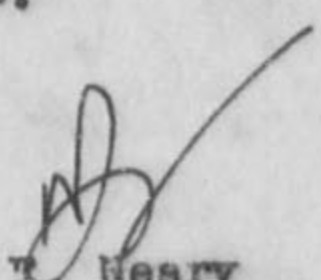
Mr. C.R. Johnston,
Superintendent,
Indian Agency,
Manitowaning, Ont.

With reference to your letter of the 16th instant, Sister M. Lalemant has been classified as a Grade I Principal, at a salary of \$1,980.00 for the academic year.

Our Treasury Branch has been notified to that effect but due to the fact that there were so many teachers who had to be reclassified for the current academic year, there has been some delay in issuing the cheques at the increased rates.

However, we are advised this morning by the Treasury Branch that in every case where the teacher was paid at the end of September at the old rate, a supplementary cheque has been forwarded for any increase to which the teacher might be entitled.

Sister Lalemant should have received this additional cheque before this date and if not, she will have it in the very near future.


Bernard T. Neary
Superintendent of Education

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Date January 3-Jan. 7, 1949

North Bay Normal School.

(a) to Teacher **YES** or
(b) to Inspector **NO**



November 16, 1948

Dear Mr. Greening:

The Normal School Regulations, as you are aware, provide that the students shall do their second week of continuous teaching during the first week of school following the Christmas vacation. I am accordingly again asking your assistance in placing our students in schools where the week may be as beneficial as possible.

Due to the fact that it is not possible to assign all our students to rural schools at one time, some will do urban teaching in January, having previously taught in a rural school in November. Where at all feasible rural schools should be regarded as those with not more than two teachers, no doubt though in some cases three-teacher schools will have to be used for the rural week.

In most instances the students have indicated their choice of schools. Should such schools not be satisfactory, kindly make any changes that you deem advisable.

I should be pleased to have you return one copy of the enclosed allocation sheets by December 1st, the other may be retained for your files.

Again thanking you for your assistance in this phase of teacher training, I am,

Yours sincerely,

E. C. Beaumont

Principal

Mr. W. J. Greening, B.A., B.Paed.,
288 Harrington Avenue,
PORT ARTHUR, ONT.

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W. J. GREENING, B.A., B.PAED.

Inspector of Separate Schools

PORT ARTHUR
ONTARIO

288 Harrington Avenue,
Port Arthur, Ontario.
November 26, 1948.

Dear Mr. Beacom:

I was away from Port Arthur, on this last trip, for only some eight days terminating to-day, and so am answering your letter of November 16 a little more speedily than usual. It is hoped that the unusually prompt reply won't give you a shock or anything like that.

The school at Wikwemikong is an Indian Day School, operated by the Indian Affairs Branch of the Dominion Department of Mines and Resources.

Hitherto, when any teacher has applied to be permitted to do practice teaching in an Indian School I have always preferred their going to a regular Provincial school.

However, there are some special circumstances in this case. Miss Pitawankwat is an Indian maiden, and she will, in all probability, be teaching in an Indian school among her own people, since Indian Affairs is genuinely interested in helping along promising Indian girls.

Moreover, Sister M. Lalement, who is in charge of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School has had over twenty years' experience in various provincial schools before taking over the Wikwemikong school in September, 1947. She has a Permanent First Class Certificate, with special certificates in Art, and in Art and Crafts. She is genuinely interested in Indian School work, (although she has not had much more than a year's experience at it), because, although she was principal of a Provincial school, she volunteered for Wikwemikong when it fell vacant.

Because of the special features of this case, I am prepared to recommend that Miss Pitawankwat be allowed to do her teaching at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School. Special arrangements, I suppose, will have to be made with Indian Affairs for permission to use the Wikwemikong Indian Day School for this purpose, but I have no doubt that it will be more than willingly granted. I am attaching a copy of a letter I have written to Indian Affairs at Ottawa in this connection. A reply will doubtless be reaching you in a short time.

Yours very sincerely,

E.C. Beacom, Esq.,
Principal,
Normal School,
North Bay, Ontario.

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W. J. GREENING, B.A., B. PAED.

Inspector of Separate Schools

PORT ARTHUR
ONTARIO

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288 Harrington Avenue,
Port Arthur, Ontario.
November 27, 1948.

Dear Colonel Neary:

I believe that the attached copy of letter explains itself.

It would save time if you sent the Principal of the North Bay Normal School the necessary authority for him to use the Wikwemikong Indian Day School for Miss Pitawankart's essay in Continuous Practice Teaching in Rural Schools.

There is just the one point upon which I am not too certain as to your own views. You know the Wikwemikong situation pretty clearly, including the fact that it is a three-roomed school, a rather unusual school for neophyte Indian teachers to start in.

Such a teacher would more likely start in a one-roomed school, such as Rabbit Island, or Murray Hill Indian Day School, (if the latter school is yet in operation). Murray Hill Indian Day School is not so very far from the Wikwemikong Indian Day School and if Mrs. John Wakegijig, (Agnes Manitowabi), is in charge, she could give a beginner many valuable "tips". As you may perhaps suspect, I have always been very fond of Agnes. She is one of the young ladies I think of first when thinking of what can be turned out from Indian schools.

It is something for you to think about, as I suppose Gertrude will be in one of your schools next September. Don't be afraid to tell Mr. Beacom just what you think. You will find him prepared "to lean over backwards" in grasping any opportunity to help any of his students.

Yours very sincerely,



W. J. Greening

Bernard F. Neary, Esq.,
Superintendent of Indian Education,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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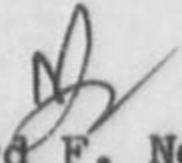
Dear Mr. Greening:

Immediately upon receipt of your letter of November 27th I wrote two letters, copies of which are attached.

I concur with you entirely that it will be preferable for a Practice Teacher to work in a one-room school. However, as I explained to Mr. Beacom, I am none too sure of Mrs. Napanse at Rabbit Island and I doubt if Murray Hill will have been in operation long enough to be suitable for our purpose. I am very interested in Gertrude Pitawankwat and hope that we will be able to start her in a fairly easy school next year. In fact, this is one of the things I wish to discuss with you on our proposed joint trip next Spring. That is, the matter of placing these young girls in schools in which they have a good chance of making a successful start in their teaching careers.

I have just had good news concerning the Senior Room at West Bay. We have been able to interest a Mrs. Eva Tibbett in this position. She has a Second Class Certificate and taught last year at Iroquois Falls, Ontario. She is prepared to take over this room immediately after the Christmas holidays. I hope that she will prove satisfactory as I realize this school has suffered greatly in the past two or three years.

Sincerely yours,


Bernard F. Neary,
Inspector of Schools,
Port Arthur, Ontario.

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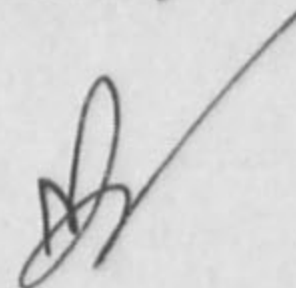
, December 2, 1948.

Mr. C.R. Johnston,
Supt. of Indian Agency,
Manitowaning, Ontario.

Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

The Department has authorized the Principal of the North Bay Normal School to have Miss Gertrude Pitawankwat use the above Indian Day School for her practice teaching in Rural Schools for the period January 3 to January 7, 1949.

This practice teaching is a necessary part of her Normal School training and Mr. Inspector Greening has recommended this school. A copy of this letter is going directly to Sister Lalement so that it will not be necessary for you to write her in this regard. Sister Lalement will receive further instructions directly from Mr. E.C. Beacom, Principal of the North Bay Normal School.



Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Indian Education.

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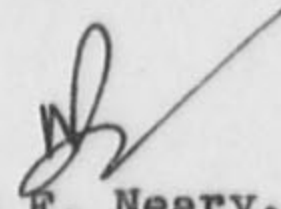
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school for her essay in " Continuous Practice Teaching in Rural Schools" and it will be in order for you to write Sister Lalement with any further instructions which you wish to issue.

Please rest assured that in this and all other matters, we are most anxious to co-operate with you in furthering our program of Indian Education.

Sincerely yours,


Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Indian Education.

E.C. Beacom, Esq.,
Principal,
North Bay Normal School,
North Bay, Ontario.

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, December 2, 1948.

Dear Sir:

I have received a letter from Mr. Inspector Greening concerning the Practice Teaching to be done by Miss Pitawankwat during the period January 3 to January 7, 1949.

I understand that Mr. Greening has recommended that she teach at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School and I concur heartily in his recommendation. Sister Lalement attended your Normal School in 1924-25 and holds a First Class Teachers' Certificate. She has had twenty-one years' of teaching experience and has attended Refresher Courses in 1939 and 1945.

Normally, it would be preferable for Miss Pitawankwat to do her practice teaching in one of our one-room schools. However, none of our schools in the vicinity of Wikwemikong are suitable for practice teaching. The teacher at Rabbit Island has been absent from teaching for some years and her techniques might not be as satisfactory as you would desire. The Murray Hill school is only now nearing completion and it will probably take the teacher a few weeks to get the children into a satisfactory routine.

In view of this situation, I concur in Mr. Greening's recommendation concerning the Wikwemikong Indian Day School. I have today written to both Mr. Indian Superintendent Johnston and to Sister Lalement advising them that Miss Pitawankwat will be using this

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, January 7, 1949.

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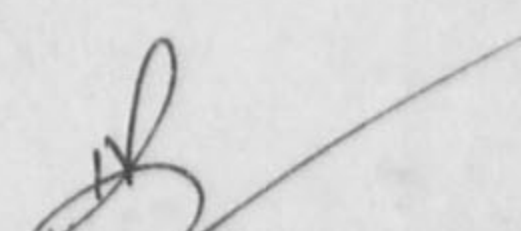
The Director

School Inspection Trips

As you are probably aware, I have only been able to inspect a relatively small number of the schools operated by this Division. This was mainly due to the fact that Mr. Hoey wished me to remain in Ottawa during the time when the Parliamentary Committee was in session. There were many educational problems coming to the fore almost daily, and I was therefore in attendance at most of its sessions.

I am constantly being requested by Church officials, Provincial School Inspectors and our own officials to make further inspection trips to schools which I have never yet had an opportunity to see in operation.

The attached letter will serve to illustrate what I mean and will also provide an opportunity for discussing with you the general policy of what school inspection trips I should make during the next calendar year.


Bernard F. Neary,
Superintendent of Education.

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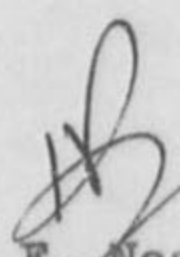
Mr. W.J. Greening,
288 Harrington Avenue,
Port Arthur, Ontario.

Dear Mr. Greening:

I presume that you are wondering why I have not answered to your letter of recent date concerning your trip to Ottawa.

I referred this matter immediately to our Director, and have not yet had a decision from him. However, I will be seeing him on Wednesday next, and will take this matter up with him at that time.

Yours truly,


Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Indian Education

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EXTRACT FROM INSPECTOR'S REPORT

Dated May 13, 1949.

WIKWEMIKONG Indian Day School

There are seven pupils in the "Entrance" class, of these three are not up to standard and ought not to attempt the examinations this year. There is, however, one little lady, RITA ESHKAWKOGAN who shows very considerable promise, and who should be watched carefully. If she passes her Grade Eight examinations this year, she should be encouraged in every way to keep on going.

Sgd. W.J. Greening,
Inspector of Schools.

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St. Joseph's College
North Bay, Ontario

July 29, 1949.

Mrs. P. Phelan,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Mrs. Phelan:
Would you kindly
forward me two forms for
teachers purposing teaching
in your Indian Schools at
Wickwemikong and Garden
River.

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Yours very truly,
Sister St. Rita,
Sec. Gen.



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Manitowaning, Ontario,

August 31, 1949.

PLEASE QUOTE

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Indian Affairs Branch,
Ottawa, Canada.

With reference to Department Letter No. 150-112 (E)
August 2, 1949, I enclose application for Employment, Re:
Classification or Salary Revision as an Indian Day School
Teacher at Wikwemikong Indian Day School for the following
teachers:

Sister M. St. Matthew

Wikwemikong

Sister M. Laurentia

Wikwemikong

Sister M. Alberta

Wikwemikong

C.B. Johnston
C.B. Johnston,
Superintendent,
Indian Agency.

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, September 20, 1949.

Memorandum:

CHIEF TREASURY OFFICER

Garden River Indian Day School # 390
Wikwemikong Indian Day School # 448

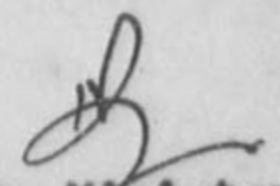
MR-IAE-390-3000

Effective 1 September, 1949, the Department has reclassified Sister Alice Marie as a Grade 3 teacher at a salary of \$2520. an academic year with credit for a First Class Certificate, two years of Indian experience and sixteen years of provincial experience.

MR-IAE-390-3001

Sister M. Alberta has been transferred from the Garden River school to the Wikwemikong Indian Day School # 448 effective 1 September, 1949. Her cheque will be sent to her at the new address and we will advise you later concerning her reclassification at Wikwemikong.

To replace her at Garden River, the Department has appointed Sister Mary Clare effective 1 September, 1949. She has been classified as a Grade 1 teacher at a salary of \$1320. an academic year with credit for five years of provincial teaching experience.


for Deputy Minister.

BFB/HM

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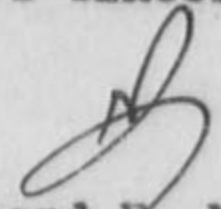
Dear Sister Laurentia:

We had no notification previously that Sister Lalemant and Sister Paschal were retired from their teaching duties at the Wikwemikong School.

Their cheques have already been sent to them, and I would ask that they be returned here as soon as possible.

We will proceed with the classification of Sister St. Matthew and Sister M. Alberta when these cheques have been returned.

Yours sincerely,


Bernard P. Neary,
Supt. of Indian Education.

Rev. Sister M. Laurentia,
Wikwemikong Indian Day School,
Wikwemikong, Ont.,

BPN/HM

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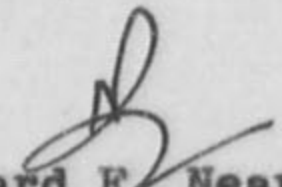
, September 20, 1949.

Memorandum:

CHIEF TREASURY OFFICER

Wiwemikong Indian Day School # 448

Please make no further payment of salary to Sister M. Lalemant and Sister M. Paschal until further advised.


Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Indian Education.

BFN/HM

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, September 20, 1949.

Dear Sister St. Rita:

We are again in confusion concerning the Sisters who will be teaching at Wikwemikong and Garden River Schools.

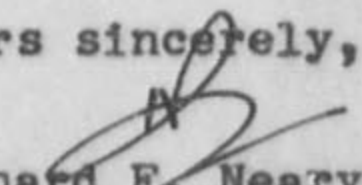
I would ask you please in future to notify me immediately any changes are decided with regard to the teaching staffs at either of these schools.

We have already sent out the cheques to Sister Lalemant and Sister Paschal at Wikwemikong and to Sister Alberta at Garden River. We have only just discovered that these cheques were mis-sent and will all have to be withdrawn.

I know you will appreciate the necessity for immediately writing to the Department of all changes in teaching staffs.

Relying on your co-operation in this regard, I am,

Yours sincerely,


Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Indian Education.

Rev. Sister St. Rita,
Secretary-General,
St. Joseph's College,
North Bay, Ont.,

BPH/BM

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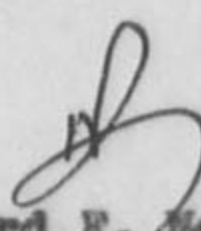
Memorandum:

MISS MOORE

Until I hear further, I presume that the following changes have taken place at these two schools:

1. Sister M. Alberta has been transferred from Garden River to Wikwemikong and replaced at Garden River by Sister Mary Clare
2. Sister Lalemant and Sister Paschal have resigned at Wikwemikong and have been replaced by Sisters St. Matthew and M. Alberta.

I suggest you put a B.F. on both these files for October 1. In the meantime, I have stopped the salaries of Sisters Lalemant and Paschal.


Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Indian Education.

BPN/HM

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PLEASE QUOTE

FILE 19/2-32

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Manitowaning, Ontario,
September 22, 1949.

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Indian Affairs Branch,
Ottawa, Canada.

I return herewith Dominion of Canada Cheques
No's A2-C014890 and A2-C014916 in favour of Sister M.
Lalement and Sister M. Paschall, former Teachers of
Wiwemikong Indian Day School.

I am informed by the Principal, Sister M.
Laurentia that the above Teachers are not this year
employed by Indian Affairs Branch.

C.R. Johnston
C.R. Johnston,
Superintendent,
Indian Agency.

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*cheques returned
to C.P.O.
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*See our letter
dated 20-9-49
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Kikwemikong, Ont.
Sept. 27th. 1949

Mr. Bernard Neary,
Supt. of Indian Education
Ottawa.

Dear Sir:-

I was surprised to hear that you had no notification of Sister Lalemant and Sister Paschal being transferred to other schools. Sister St. Mathew and Sister Alberta received their appointment on Aug. 15th. Sister Alberta and I returned to Kikwemikong on Aug. 20th. I phoned Mr. Johnston on Mon. Aug. 22. and told him of the change in teachers. Aug. 23rd. Sisters St. Mathew and Alberta sent their application forms - filled in with their qualifications to Mr. R. Johnston.

I received cheques for Sisters Lalemant and Paschal - and returned them to Mr. R. Johnston at his request. as I phoned him as to what to do. I am sorry the information re- teachers was so late and hope this will not happen again. Sincerely yours
Sister M. Laurentia

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DAY SCHOOL

GENERAL

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TO

Sept. 1949

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Indian Office
Mantowaning July 28th 1894



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Sir



I have the honor to enclose
School Returns Witnawitongasing School
for June Quarter which has just
today been received, I also enclose
Requisition for Salary of Teacher
for same period

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant

Alb. Dinsdale
for Supdt

The Deputy Supt General
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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Wickwewikong October 8th 1894

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Mr. Hayter Reed, Deputy Supt Indian Affairs, Ottawa.

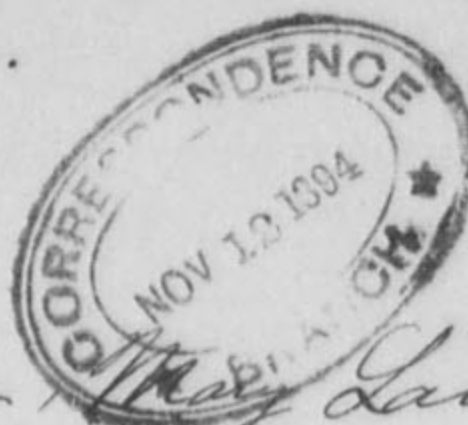
Dear Sir,

Our school teacher, Mary Lamorandiere, with the consent of the priest, and the consent of good people here, and my own consent, started a singing class in the school house after school hours. Were present at the first singing class on Wednesday, 3rd October, the following people:

Mary Lamorandiere, school teacher,
Mrs. Augustin Osawabine,
Marie Eschibak,
Agelique Newategijig,
Antoine Sagima,
Pierre Eschibak,
Sebastian Namegoes,
Peter Dekoneciang.

These are ready to witness to the following sad incident that happened during this opening singing class. Alexandre Osawamish and Nicolas Attawish broke ⁽⁴⁾four panes of glass in a window of the school, then through this hole threw first a rooster and then ^{cow}

Will him
will act



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cow dung in the class room, where the
singers were practising. Hoping that you
will give satisfaction to the offended parties.

I remain,

Dear Sir,

Yours very respectfully,

Chief Peter Begoncia sang

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CORRESPONDENCE

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THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

Ottawa 13th November 1894

Chief.

A.M. Gwyn
I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 8th Ultimo, complaining of the disturbance created and damage done to the school house on your Reserve by Alexander Osawanick and Nicholas Attawish while a singing class was being conducted by Miss Lamorandiere the School Teacher on the evening of the 3rd Ultimo; and in reply I beg to inform you ^{that} you should communicate the facts of the case to the Indian Superintendent, Mr E.W. Ross, Manitowaning, who will do what he can to punish the offenders and to prevent a repetition of such an offence.

W. H.
Your obedient servant,

Deputy Superintendent General,
of Indian Affairs.

Chief Peter Pegonciasang
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OTTAWA 10th November 1894

Sir,

I beg to call your attention to the following remarks made by Mr. Separate School Inspector White in his report on the Wikwemikongsing Indian School:-

"It is necessary to arouse the active interest
"of parents before the attendance will be regular.
"The pupils are now now urged or encouraged by
"their parents to more regular assistance at
"school."

MS

The Department would like you to see when next you visit the Reserve to use your best endeavors to induce the Indians to send their children to school regularly. The present teacher Miss Lamorandiere is said to be painstaking and capable.

The Department would like to know at what prices suitable desks could be supplied and whether a new stove is necessary. A pail and drinking cup may be furnished.

The Department thinks that if the building were properly chinked before the winter sets in, it would make it much warmer.

In connection with this school

E.W. Ross, Esq:

Indian Supt: Manitowaning, Ont:

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MS

I beg to enclose herewith a copy of a letter from
Chief Begonciasang, complaining of a disturbance
created there while a singing class was being held, by
two Indians therein named, together with a copy of the
Department's Reply thereto.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt: Genl:
of Indian Affairs.

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In the absence from home of Mr. Supt.
Ross, I have the honor to ask for
instructions.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
B. H. Ross,
Supt. J. M.

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Indian Office, Kamitowanning,
20th Oct., 1896.

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Sir:-

Relative to the non-operation of the Tikwemikonging Indian School, I have the honor to quote herewith from a letter to me under date 13th Instant, from Reverend Father Daguin, S.J., Father Superior at Tikwemikong and Principal of the Industrial Schools at that place, —

" The school of Tikwemikonging is
" without a teacher for some time. The
" former teacher, Mrs. Mary Lagiman is
" no longer able to fill the position on
" account of ill health and family
" cares. I propose as her successor, Miss
" Adèle Lamorandier, 20 years of age,
" resident of Killarney; she enjoys a
" good moral reputation and has
" received a fair public school education.
" She has no experience, but I expect her to
" prove equal to the task."

The Deputy Asst. General
of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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OTTAWA 26th October 1896

THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 20th instant embodying an extract from a letter received by you from Rev. Father Paquin, recommending Miss Adela Lamorandiere for the position of teacher of the Wikwemikonguing School; and in reply I beg to say that the Department approves of the temporary engagement of Miss Lamorandiere pending the appointment of a properly qualified teacher to take charge of this school.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt: Genl:
of Indian Affairs:-

B.W. Ross, Esq:

Indian Supt:

Manitowaning, Ont:

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, June 9 1899

Sir,

I have the honor to report having received notice from the Rev G. A. Artus, Superior of the Missions to the effect that Mrs Madeline Assance the Teacher of the Wikwemikongsing School has had to resign her position as teacher on account of illness, and that he has engaged Mrs Lucy Wabamang to finish the quarter.

Mrs Wabamang commenced her duties on the 29th May.

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I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant

C. W. D. Smith

Agent

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.

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OTTAWA, 14th June, 1899

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 9th instant, No. 156-7 advising the Department of the resignation of Mrs Madeline Assance, teacher of the Wikwemikongasing school and the appointment of Mrs Lucy Wabamung as her successor; and in reply I beg to say that the Department approves of the appointment of Mrs Wabamung to this position.

Your obedient servant,

S. STEWART

Asst. Secretary

C. L. D. Sims, Esq.

Indian Agent,

Mandowaning, Ont.

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Witwumitong 13 Dec 1900

Secretary General of Indian Affairs, Ottawa.

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Dear Sir

I have the honor to inform you that I succeeded in finding a very competent teacher for the school of Witwumitong, in the person of Miss Pearce. She already had years of very successful experience. The people will be pleased to see her; she will be accompanied by a friend nearly equally well ready to take charge of a school. - She will come to take charge as soon as the channel between the North Shore and the Island will be free and safe.

I hope that your Department will, by the time of her coming, ^{have} answered favorably to the demand of the Indians of Witwumitong, granting \$250.00 a year and a certain amount to supply the most necessary articles of furniture.

Mr. Wabamung, the present teacher, has agreed to keep on teaching until the coming of Miss Pearce.

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I remain, Dear Sir

Your servant in the Lord.

J. A. Arthur

Superior of R. C. Missions.

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OTTAWA, 21st December, 1900.

Rev. Sir,

from L. J. Mole

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 13th instant reporting that you have succeeded in obtaining the services of a competent teacher, named Miss Peacock for the Wikwemikongsing school. In reply I beg to say that Mr Agent Sims has been authorized to purchase certain necessary articles of furniture for the comfort of the teacher, but the Department regrets that it cannot at present accede to your request to pay her at the rate of \$250.00 a year, as \$200.00 is all that is voted for this school. I may add, however, that the question of providing a higher salary for this and some of the other schools on the North Shore is now under consideration.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEAN

Rev. O. A. Artus, S. J.
Principal,
Industrial school,
Wikwemikong, Ont.

Secretary

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, 21st March 1901.

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Sir,

I have the honor to report that The Rev G. A. Artus of Wikwemikong advises me that owing to ill health Miss Julia Moran has been unable to take charge of the Wikwemikongsing School and that the former Teacher Lucy Kaboni has kept the School open this quarter.

The Rev Gentlemen states that he has secured a competent Teacher for this School in the person of Miss Dantonville who will take charge of the School immediately after Easter.

I would most respectfully recommend that the Department approve of the appointment of Miss Dantonville to the position of Teacher of the above mentioned School.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant

Agent

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.

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OTTAWA, 28th March, 1901

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 21st instant stating that you are advised by Rev. Father Artus that owing to ill-health Miss Julis Moran has been unable to take charge of the Wikwemikongsing school, and that the former teacher Lucy Kaboni has kept the school open during this quarter. In reply I beg to say that the Department approves of the appointment of Miss Dantonville, who is nominated by Father Artus as a teacher for this school, and it hopes that she will be able to take charge immediately after Easter.

Your obedient servant,

S. STEWART

Asst. Secretary

C. L. D. Sims, Esq.

Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, 8th August 1902-

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Sir,

I have the honor to report that the Rev Father Artus, nominates Miss Louise Bonnot as teacher of the Wikwemikongsing school, in place of Miss Dontenville.

I would most respectfully recommend that the Department confirm the appointment of Miss Bonnot to the above mentioned school.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant



[Handwritten signature]
Agent.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.

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OTTAWA, 14th August, 1902

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 8th instant I beg to say that the Department approves of the appointment of Miss Louise Bonnet, who is nominated by Father Artus as teacher of the Wikwemikongsing school in place of Miss Dentenville.

Your obedient servant,

S. Stewart

Asst. Secretary

C. L. D. Sims, Esq.

Indian Agent,

Manitowaning, Ont.

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Indian Office Manitowaning
29th Aug 1903



Sir

Sir,
I have the honor to report
that the Rev. J. Paquin has
nominated Miss Fagan to the
teachship of the Mikwimungwong
Indian School in place of Miss
Bonnot.

I would most respectfully
recommend that the Department
confirm Miss Fagan's appointment.

I have the honor to be

Sir



Yours obedient servant

C. H. D. Lewis
Agent

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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OTTAWA, 1st September, 1903

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 29th ulto. and in reply I beg to say that the Department approves of the temporary appointment of Miss Fagan as teacher of the Wiwemikongasing school.

Your obedient servant,

FRANK PEDLEY

Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

C.L.D. Sims, Esq.

Indian Agent,

Manitowaning, Ont:-

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Thikwemkangring
Aug. 1908,

Department of Indian Affairs



Gentlemen,

Right after the inspection
visit last June, I wrote to you
concerning our school; it is already
more than two months, and I
have got no answer yet. Perhaps
you did not get the letter. I don't
write to you so very often, but
when I do write I want an answer.

Please answer this without
delay.

Respectfully

Peter Pegoniassang
Chief.



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Ottawa, August 30, 1908.

Chief,-

In reply to your communication of the current month I beg to say that the letter referred to therein, which was written by you some two months ago, in connection with Wikwemikongsing school matters, did not reach the Department. If you will send a duplicate of the same, it will receive attention.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEAN

Secretary.

Chief Peter Pegoniassang,
Wikwemikongsing, Ont.

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Ukwemikongkong
June 1, 1910.

Indian Department,
Ottawa,
Gentlemen,

Some of my friends
around here, told me, "that
they were very much pleased
to know, that you appreciate
the work they are doing among
the Indians, and that you
raised their salary for them."
You may well appreciate
what they are doing for they
have no sacrifice left
unmade, and whatever
they get is well earned.
But we have not heard from
you yet. Can it be possible

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that you are not going to
extend a helping hand to
Itikwemikongsing. Here
where we board eight children
at our own expense, the whole
year round, except during
vacation. They live too far
from the school to come
every day, therefore we keep
them for charity sake. Two
of them bring a little provisions
for themselves, the rest nothing
at all. We have almost to take
the bit from our own mouth
to give it to them. My companion
works for those children late
and early, every chance she
gets she has them, showing
them how to cook and bake,
and I have them after school.

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our bones, when we go smelting
the roots of the daisies. So
come what may we'll say
fiat only we could do more
for those people, if we had
the means. You may rest
assured, that it isn't into
our pockets a cent of that
money goes; all I see of the
cheque, that I get from you
every three months is while
I am putting my name
on the back of it - and that's
about all I care to see of it either
the cash goes to pay our debts.
You may judge from yourselves
what our debts are, when we
have eight children boarding
with us. but thank God, we
never get sick from high.

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for sewing, and we have more than cooking, baking, and sewing to show them we have to teach them how to wash and comb themselves, and at the same time stand at a safe distance, while they are doing so. Sometimes we let them go home on Saturdays but we have double work when they come back on Monday.

If your charity gives out before it reaches Tikumikonging it will not lessen our zeal for the poor Indians any, for we are not working for money or gratitude, we see very little of either, and the less we have of this world's goods, the less the worms will have to pick off

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living. The agent, Mr. Sims
is very kind to us. Last Fall
he got us eight bedsteads
and the same number of
blankets, but after all this
is not so very much compared
with all we have to get for
them. Please let us hear
from you in the near future,
and if we do not get any more
than we're getting a present,
we'll be satisfied, for the
longest life will have an
end.

Very respectfully,
Emily Gravelly.

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Ottawa, June 13, 1910.

Madam,

In reply to your letter of the 1st instant I beg to say that the Department will, in view of your long faithful service as teacher of the Wikwemikongsing school, give you an increase in salary of \$50.00 from the 1st of April, last.

Your obedient servant,

Secretary.

Miss Emily Frawley,
Teacher,
Wikwemikongsing, Ont.

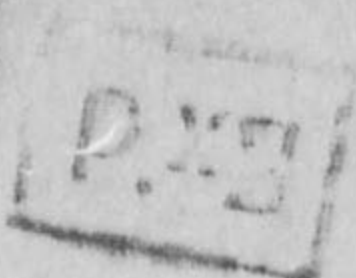
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*2 letters
Mr. Sutherland*



Ottawa, June 13, 1910.

*Noted
J. J.*

Sir,

I beg to advise you that the Department has decided to increase the salary of Miss Frawley, teacher of the Wikwemikongsing Indian school, from \$300.00 to \$350.00 from the 1st of April, last, and she has been so informed.

*Done
J. J.
MS
Oct 11*

Your obedient servant,

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Secretary.

G. L. D. Sims, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Copy for No. 1 of Wikwemikongsing.

Ottawa, July 14, 1910.

Rev. Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 6th instant in reference to increases to the salaries of the teachers at Wikwemikong, Wikwemikongsing, South Bay, West Bay, and Sheshigwaning schools.

In reply I beg to say that the salary of Miss Frawley was increased to \$350.00 from April 1st, 1910, and that of Miss Duhamel at Sheshigwaning to \$400.00 from that the same date. Evidently you were not aware ~~at~~ these increases had been made.

Miss Frances Solomon is only temporarily engaged as a successor to the late Miss Peacock at West Bay, but if a competent teacher with proper qualifications is secured the Department will pay a salary of \$400.00.

In view of the satisfactory record of Miss St. James, teacher of the South Bay school, her salary will be increased to \$400.00 to take effect from the 1st instant.

A special report on the work of the teachers at the Wikwemikong day schools is being called for and when this is received the question of increase will be given due consideration.

Your obedient servant,

Secretary.

Rev. Chas. Belanger, S.J.,
Principal,
Wikwemikong Industrial School,
Wikwemikong, Ont.

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I would you please be
kind enough to look over
the requisition papers there,
and see if there are any
belonging to Nikiwemikonging
^{among the number.}
I sent some of those papers
in Aug. and I haven't heard
of them since. I don't send
for things until they are
needed, and then I'd like to
get them, and not have to
wait for a few months.

I sent for some flour &
oatmeal, so as to teach the
girls to cook, and also to
give the boys who walk
so far to school every day,
a warm drink at noon
but, if they were waiting

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for their maintenance.
It is impossible for us to
keep on as we are under
the present circumstances
without a bit of help from
anybody. We have some
children whose fathers
are dead and they have
nothings for their children.

Now if we let those little
ones go to Thikwemikong
School, you will have to
pay sixty dollars a year
for every one of them, so
why not give us something
here, so that we can put
a pair of shoes or a dress
on those four children
who are half naked.

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Please answer this
in the near future, winter
is approaching and I
would like to see those
children covered.

Respectfully,
Emily Lawley,
Teacher.

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Ottawa, November 3, 1910.

Madam,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter undated in reference to the supplies for the Wikwemikongsing school.

In reply I beg to say no requisition for school supplies has been received since April, last, and if you will forward one it will receive immediate attention. I may say that these supplies have to be ordered through the Government Stationery Office and some delay in your receiving them is unavoidable. For this reason orders should be placed sometime before the articles are absolutely required.

On July 29th, last, Mr. Sims was authorized to purchase for you a web of flannelette and some other necessary supplies to teach sewing to the children. I would ask you, therefore, to be good enough to communicate with him and the Department will also write him by this mail.

Mr. Sims will also be instructed to purchase for you some flour and oatmeal as well as some beans, bacon and ~~tea~~ tea for a mid-day meal. The object of this mid-day lunch as supplied by the Department is not so much to give a full meal as to supplement the lunches brought by the children and it is hoped that you will find this an incentive to regular attendance.

Miss Emily Frawley,
Teacher,
Wikwemikongsing, Ont.

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The Department will also authorize Mr. Sims to purchase for you some shoes for the needy children attending your school.

I may say in conclusion that the Department appreciates very much your work at this school and as a further recognition of your services it has been decided to grant you the increase in salary formerly asked, making it \$400.00 per annum from the 1st of April, last, and a cheque for the balance due you will be sent in a few days.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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I may add that the Department has decided to grant Miss Frawley the increase in salary which she asked for in the spring and she will be paid at the rate of \$400.00 per annum from the 1st of April, last.

Kindly give these matters your prompt attention.

Your obedient servant,

W. J. M. C. L. R.

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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Ottawa, November 4, 1910.

Sir,

The Department is in receipt of a communication from Miss Frawley, teacher of the Wixwemikongsing school, in which she states that she ordered school supplies in August, last. I may say that no requisition appears to have reached the Department and Miss Frawley has been asked to forward one at once. She also says that she has not received the flannelette and other accessories to teach sewing which you were authorized to purchase on July 29th, last. You will be good enough to see that Miss Frawley receives the flannelette, etc., asked for.

You are also authorized to purchase for her some flour, oatmeal, beans, bacon and tea with which she may furnish a mid-day meal to the children attending the school. Miss Frawley has been informed that the object is not to supply a full meal but rather to supplement the lunches brought by the children and to give instructions to the girls in preparing the meal.

The teacher further states that there are four children who are in need of shoes and whose ~~parents~~ ^{fathers} are dead. You may purchase for these four children a pair of good serviceable shoes each.

G. L. D. Sims, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Reference
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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

10th October 1910

EXD

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Sir/

Referring to official letter of date 4th Instant informing me that the Department is in receipt of a letter from Miss Frawley, teacher at Wikwemikonsing in which she states that she ordered school supplies in August last, also that she had not yet received the flannelette and other accessories to teach sewing which was authorized in July.

In reply to this I beg to report that in so far as her first complaint is concerned that this Office has no record of receiving any Requisition from Miss Frawley during the month of August or subsequent, although she was furnished with the necessary blanks. In regard to her second complaint that she has not received the flannel-ette &c. I beg to say that this is a deliberate and uncalled for falsehood and I am very much surprised that she should make such a statement. She must have taken leave of her senses. The flannelette and all accessories authorized was forwarded to her on the 26th August and she receipted for same and forwarded receipt on the 27th August. I presume her Requisition for school supplies was made in her imagination if she has one, her memory must be failing, but, I would think that she would have at least a part of the flannelette to remind her that this had been supplied.

I am writing Miss Frawley, under even date, asking her

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.



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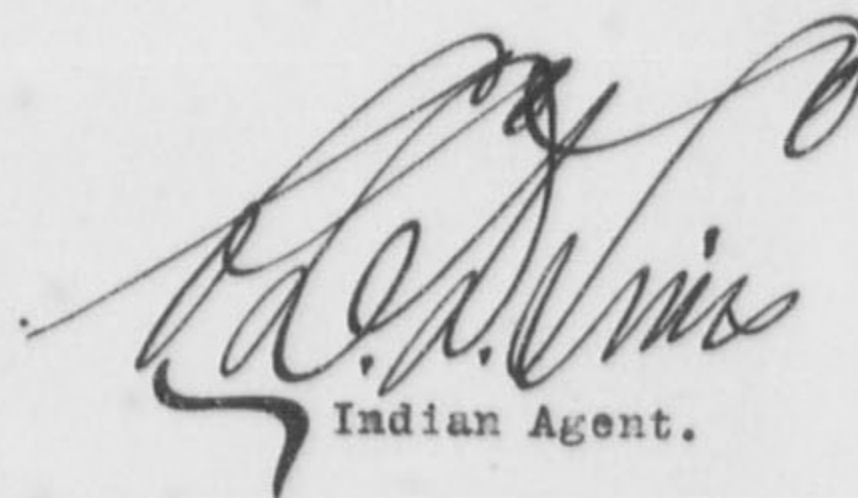
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her what she means by making such deliberate and uncalled for misstatements.

With reference to that portion of your letter in which you state that her salary has been raised to \$400. per annum I beg most respectfully to say that I am sure that the salary of this school at \$350. was quite adequate considering the qualifications of the teacher. There are other schools in this agency that are more entitled to receive a raise in salary than the Wikwemikongsing school all things being considered.

Your instructions regarding the furnishing of provisions and shoes will be duly attended to. You do not state what quantities of flour, oatmeal, bacon &c. &c. should be furnished or how long ~~the~~ the supply is to be kept up.

Your obedient servant


Indian Agent.

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EX'D.

Ottawa, November 25, 1910.

Sir,

Mr. Jones, in his report on the Wikwemikongsing school, recommends a school garden, and I have to ask you to be good enough to report on this case in accordance with instructions given you in connection with the South Bay school.

Your obedient servant,

J. C. MOLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

O. L. D. Sims, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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See
Wipewemikong
June 30, 1911.



The Secretary
Dept of Indian Affairs.
Sir,

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There is a little girl here,
(Elizabeth Kaboni), who has
not been to school since June
- 30, 1910. Her father, John Kaboni,
is one of the most progressive
farmers around, but he
does not wish to send his
children to school here, for
he wants them to be admitted
to the Industrial School
Wipewemikong, where they
will be supported & clothed
at no expense to him.
As soon as I heard of what
he was about, I spoke to the

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permitting those children to go off to another school any time they feel like it, and then have to pay \$60 or \$100 annually for them, when they should come to their own school for nothing.

There are two of us here working for them & we don't intend to fold our arms, if we have no work to do here, or if the children are allowed to go off one by one, then we will pitch our tent some place else. We are not Indians & don't care to waste our time.

I should have written about this before, but I didn't like to get the man into trouble but I'm certain that one letter from the Dept. would

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When the Dept gave this piece of ground for a school garden, he was up in arms about it, saying that it was "too much," "too much" etc. Whenever there is anything to be done, he does all the talking part, but no more. We went to Wikeemikong a few Saturday to get some provisions, and stayed over night there so as to go to church on Sunday, but came right back as soon as we got out of church. This didn't please John neither, he said, we had no right to go. I told him we knew, our rights better than he did, & that when we wanted to put our foot outside the

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that if you want the
girl to come to school, you
can easily do it. The
Indians here, are as good
& better than you can find
any place, but if they
see that this man gets
his own way, they might
try theirs

Very respectfully
Emily Dandy

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Ottawa, July 6, 1911.

Madam,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 30th ultimo in reference to the attendance of the daughter of John Kaboui at the Wikwemikongsing Day School.

In reply I beg to say that this matter will be looked into and I have to ask you to be good enough to ^{know} let the Department if this girl attends regularly after the summer holidays.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MCLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Emily Frawley,
Teacher,
Wikwemikongsing, Ont.

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Ottawa, July 6, 1911.

Sir,

It has been reported to the Department that John Kaboui of the Wikwemikongsing section neglects to send his daughter Elizabeth to school, his object evidently being to have her enrolled as a pupil at the industrial school. As Kaboui is evidently quite able to properly care for his children and as there is no reason why they should not attend the day school I have to ask you to be good enough to inform him that if the girl is not sent regularly to school after the holidays Section 7 of the Regulations relating to the Education of Indian Children will be put into effect. This is an important matter and I would ask you not to lose sight of it.

Handwritten signature/initials
JMS

Your obedient servant,

over

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

C. L. D. Sims, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Thi Koolikong
Sept 11, 1911.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Sir, 389403

Last June I wrote and told you that there was a girl here (Elizabeth Kaboni) who did not come to school during the past year.

You answered the note and said that "if she did not return after the holidays, to write and let you know."

She has not been to school yet nor no sign of it.

She is eleven years old.

We went for her a few days ago, but her father

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(John Kabori) is not willing to let her come.

He wants to send her to the Thikwemikong school where she will be supported for nothing, or at least no cost to him. He is one of the best farmers around the place, and if his children are left go to the Thikwemikong school then the rest of the people will want to do the same thing and nobody can blame them either.

Do what you think is best, let her go to one school or the other, but you may rest assured that the others will want to follow her, & there will be no peace.

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with them. We have done
our part, we went to try
and get her to come, but
did not succeed, so we
will leave the rest to
you.
Very respectfully
Emily Drawley.

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Ottawa, Sept. 18th., 1911.

Madam,-

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 11th. instant in reference to the non-attendance at school of the daughter of John Kaboni of Wikwemikongsing and in reply I beg to say that the Agent will be communicated with.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Emily Frawley,
Teacher,
Wikwemikongsing, Ont.

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Ottawa, Sept. 16th., 1911.

Sir,-

It has been reported to the Department that John Kaboni of Wikwemikongasing refuses to send his daughter to school although she is 11 years of age. The Department must insist upon this girl being sent to school and you will be good enough to so inform the father. If the Department's wishes are not carried out the Regulations will have to be enforced. The Department will expect to be informed of the result of your action in this matter.

Handwritten notes:
Lm
A.B.M.
Jm

Your obedient servant,

Handwritten signature: Over

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

C. L. D. Sims, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Sept 19th 1911 389770



The Secretary of the Department
of Indian Affairs
JCH/Ottawa

Kind Sir

We Indians of Wihwemikosing
are having much talk about the land
that has been fenced lately for the
School. We were not asked for that
land that is fenced. also some of
the land belongs to Raphael Gaboni
We know its right to have a fence for
the school. One Acre of land is enough
for the school. Mr Sims the Agent, says
the Law now from the Department is to
have the children learn Gardening.
but the Indians dont like it. So we
humbly beg of you to let us know if
this is true.

Sir

Your Obedient Servant
Joe Peawamik

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

23rd September 1911

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Sir/

Referring to official letter of 16th Instant regarding the refusal of John Kaboni of Wikwemikong-
sing to send his daughter to school. I have the
honor to report that this man has already been notified
by me according to the instructions contained in your
letter of 6th July last. I have not had an
opportunity to talk to him personally and do not ^{know} if
he has received my letter or not. I will take the
matter up with the secretary of the reserve and request
him to let Kaboni know what your wishes are and also
try to find out his reasons for refusing to send the
child to school.

Your obedient servant

Indian Agent.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

7th October 1911

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Sir,

Referring to official letter of date 16th Iult and previous correspondence regarding the refusal of John Kabein to send his daughter Elizabeth to school.

I have the honor to report that I have interviewed this Indian and he has agreed to send the girl to school when the weather permits her to go. He lives quite a long way from the school and during stormy weather he says she will not be able to attend as she has not been in very good health. His principal objection was to the companion of the teacher a Miss Fisher who he claims was unkind to his daughter while she was attending at Wikwemikongsing. He states he has not any fault to find with the teacher but that he objects to Miss Fisher. He could not give any very good reasons as to his opposition to Miss Fisher and I informed him that he must send the girl to school or put up with the consequences, he agreed to this stating that it was his intention to send his girl somewhere else just as soon as he could make the necessary arrangements.

Your obedient servant

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

Indian Agent.

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DEPARTMENT OF
INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

Ottawa, October 22, 1912.

Mr. Pedley,-

After taking the pupils to the Wikwemikong Industrial School I visited, as instructed, the Wikwemikongsing and South Bay Day Schools, which are situated on the unceded portion of Manitoulin Island. The reports of the Separate School Inspector on the work at these two schools have always been most commendatory and, after personal visits, I feel that these reports are entirely correct.

I reached Wikwemikongsing about 9.30 a.m. and found ten children present, nine of whom were girls. The girls were in the midst of a lesson in domestic science and there was just being removed from the oven in the teacher's residence a tempting looking batch of bread. Miss Frawley and her companion are certainly enthusiastic workers. The school-room and living quarters were clean and tidy. All the children in this school can knit and they are given sewing lessons in addition to the instruction in baking. Seven girls out of the nine are kept from Monday morning till Friday night in the old school building



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building. The Department now furnishes some supplies for a mid-day meal and the Indian parents are supposed to supply other provisions. Miss Frawley, however, states that they are somewhat remiss in their duty and it often falls upon her to provide from her slender means the funds for buying these provisions, as well as clothes occasionally. They were making some quilts for the beds which were furnished by the Department a few years ago and I would recommend that the Department furnish seven pairs of blankets and sufficient enamel to re-enamel their bedsteads and also linoleum for the dormitory room, which is about 14 feet by 18. It is in this room that they have their sewing lessons and it is very difficult for the teacher to keep the floor clean. The linoleum can be purchased at a reasonable price in Manitowaning. A teacher's chair is also needed.

Miss Leuch, teacher at the South Bay School, is most energetic. So far as the class-room work is concerned the standing at her school may be a little higher than at Miss Frawley's and she also is doing a great deal for the young Indians of the section in which she is working. There were sixteen children present on the afternoon of my visit. There is at present before you for

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for approval a letter authorizing the purchase of some furnishings for the school-room and teacher's quarters, etc., at this school. It is their intention to keep in residence during the winter some of the pupils living at a distance from the school.

I am sorry that these schools are so situated that they are seldom seen by anybody except the Indian Agent and the missionaries who visit the reserves, as either or both of them would be distinctly a credit to any white neighborhood, in respect to buildings, equipment and class-room work. In both these schools there are organs, for the purchase of which the Department was not asked to contribute and, taking everything into consideration, the Department should do what it can to make conditions comfortable for those who are making such a sacrifice for the Indian children. I may here mention that both Miss Frawley and Miss Leuch are the holders of teacher's certificates. At South Bay too there is a companion for the teacher, who assists in the domestic science work and in the care of the resident children. The Department does not allow any salary for these helpers. These are virtually improved day schools of the best type and for similar service in the west we are called upon to pay wages

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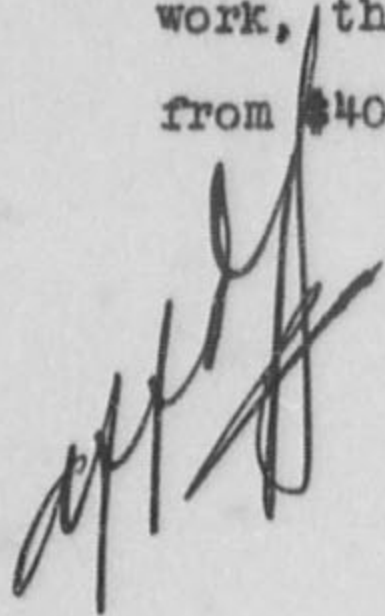
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wages to those who prepare the mid-day meals, etc.

I would, therefore, recommend that as a recognition of merit and to aid in the financing of their work, the salaries of these two teachers be increased from \$400.00 to \$450.00 per annum.



O. J. MacTavish

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Ottawa, November 14, 1911.

Sir,

I beg to advise you that the teacher of the Wikwemikongsing School has been authorized to expend the sum of \$5.00 in the purchase of prizes at the end of the present school term for the children attending the school.

She has been instructed to forward the account for this through your office.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

C. L. D. Sims, Esq.,

Indian Agent,

Manitowaning, Ont.

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Ottawa, November 8, 1912.

Madam,-

As a recognition of the services of yourself and companion at the Wikwemikongsing School it has been decided to grant you an increase of \$50.00 in your salary from the first of the current quarter and the Agent is being so informed.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Emily Frawley,
Teacher,
Wikwemikongsing Indian School,
Wikwemikongsing, Ont.

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Mr. Luthersland*

Ottawa, November 8, 1912.

*note
J.P.S.*

Sir,-

I beg to advise you that the Department has decided to grant Miss Frawley, teacher of the Wikwemikong-sing Indian School, an increase of \$50.00 in her salary from the first of the current quarter.

*Let
J.P.S.
MIS*

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEOD

over

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Wm. McLeod, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

*Re. M's
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on 15-20-1912*

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

July, 18th, 1913.

Sir :-

I have the honor to report that Rev. T. A. Desautels informs me that Miss Frawley will not return to the Wikwemkongsing School, as teacher, and suggests that the School be closed on account of the small attendance.

I have written the Rev. gentleman under even date and asked him to nominate a teacher, as I think it would be too bad to close this School, as there is fifteen on the register and an average attendance of ten during the last quarter. Miss Frawley boarded several of the children as they lived too far away to go home in the evenings and back in the morning. Rev Desautels says that if he secures another teacher she would not be expected to keep boarders. Would the Department be willing to make an allowance of so much per month per child provided the teacher would be willing to board them.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..



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EXD.

Ottawa, July 23, 1913.

Sir,-

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I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 18th instant in reference to the resignation of Miss Frawley as teacher of the Wikwemikongsing School as she is being transferred to Wikwemikong.

Your remarks with regard to the attendance are noted. The Department would like to know how many children there are who do not reside within a reasonable distance of this school and approximately the distances that they have to walk.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEOD

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Wm. McLeod, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Ottawa, July 24, 1913.

Rev. Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 17th instant, and in reply I beg to say that the Department approves of the appointment of Miss Dodd of Elmside, Que., as teacher of the Bigwah School, which is being re-opened.

With regard to the Wikwemikong School the Department is not prepared at the present time to give a definite statement as to whether it should be continued or not. Mr. McLeod, the Agent, has been written to for information respecting this.

Your obedient servant,

J. B. MCLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. T. A. Desautels, S.J.,
Wikwemikong, Ont.

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Extract from letter from T. A. Desautels, S.J.,
Wikwemikong, Ont., dated July 17th, 1913, original on
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I regret to state that Miss Emily Frawley will
be removed from Wikwemikongsing School to a more important
position, and that no teacher from Wikwemikong will take
her place. The continual decrease of school age children
has been the cause of her giving up the school. She
kept her school going by keeping boarders. I would
like to be informed as soon as possible if that school is
to open in September. I have applications from well quali-
fied teachers, who, with the Dept. approbation, might take
the school if I ask them before they get other positions.
I have notified Mr. W. McLeod, Indian Agent of the fact.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

July, 26th, 1913.

Sir :-

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Your obedient servant,

Wm J. Keen
Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.



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Information concerning the Wikwemikong School, July 21st 1913

No. of children	Names of children	Names of Father or Guardian	Date of birth	Age of children	Approximate distance from school	Remarks
1	Elizabeth Gaboni	John	7/3/1901	3 1/2	miles	Was a boarder at Wikwemikong Industrial
2	William	"	4/1/1906	"	"	Never attended the school
3	Elie	Joseph	2/8/1906	"	"	" " " "
4	Agnes	"	7/5/1907	"	"	" " " "
5	J. B. Manamick	Francis	5/3/1899	3	miles	at the Wikwemikong boarding
6	Mary	"	20/10/1901	"	"	Was a boarder at Wikwemikong
7	Rosie	"	5/7/1907	"	"	" " " " school
8	Joseph Accollet	John	23/3/1900	3 1/2	"	Never attended the school
9	Mich.	"	26/4/1906	"	"	" " " "
10	Helene Manabine	Louis	27/7/1902	1/4	"	"
11	M. Louise	"	Adeline 29/8/1911	1/4	"	"
12	M. Louise Javana	Isaac	15/8/1902	2 1/2	"	"
13	Suzanna	"	24/11/1904	"	"	"
14	Luey	"	6 years	"	"	"
15	Philomene Shkatenin	A. Gaboni	7/11/1901	3 1/2	"	Was a boarder at Wikwemikong
16	August Shigwadja	Alexis	3/12/1898	2	"	At the Wikwemikong Industrial
17	Nancy	"	6/8/1903	2	"	Was a boarder at Wikwemikong
18	Albert	"	19/1/1906	2	"	"
19	Luey	"	54 years	2	"	" " " "
20	Ignace	"	Isabelle 23/11/1904	close by	"	"
21	Victoria Pekoniassang	Jane	10/3/1906	4	miles	At the Wikwemikong Industrial
22	Annie	"	7/8/1906	"	"	" " " "
23	Fredrick Agone	Mother	7/2/1904	3	"	Sick, scrofulous
24	Moses	"	5/11/1906	8/11/1906	"	Never attended school
25	Simon Owanimiki	Jeremie	2/1/1899	2	"	At Wikwemikong Industrial
26	Josephine	"	6 years	"	"	Never attended

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

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Ottawa, August 7, 1913.

Sir:

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 26th ultimo enclosing a list of children who should attend the Wikwemikongsing school and the distance they reside there from.

The Department is of opinion that this school should be continued and that the appointment of Miss Mary I. Mercier is approved. You will be good enough to advise the Indians accordingly and give Miss Mercier any assistance that you can in her work.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MCLEAM

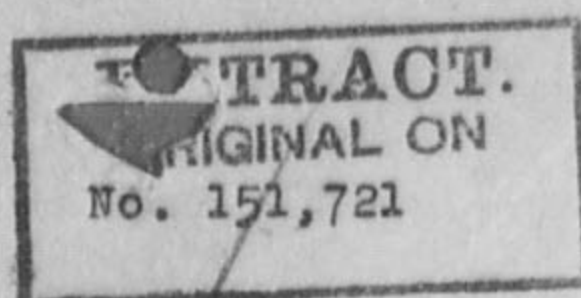
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Wm. McLeod, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Wikwemikong, Ont., Aug. 6th, 1913.

Dear Sir,-

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In answer to yours of July 31st, I beg to state that Miss German, supposed to have been nominated by me as teacher of the South Bay School is altogether unknown to me. I never mentioned her name to Mr. Agent McLeod. It is a misunderstanding.

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As for the Wikwemikonsing school, the sooner the Department can arrive to a decision if the school is to be kept open or to be closed the better it be. I am afraid I'll have difficulties to get a good qualified teacher at this time, in case the school is to open. Some of the children of the place have applied to enter the Spanish River Industrial, we will refuse those that can easily attend their school if it is to open. I sent to Mr. Agent McLeod a complete list of all the Schoolage children with their Approximate distance to school and their aptitude to go. The average last year was 10, but it was due to six that were boarding at the school. My opinion is that without boarders at the school, the average want be above 5. The Indians of that place are living on their farm. Very few families are close to the school. For my part I am in favor of day schools where it can be had.

Yours truly,

Signed, T. A. Desantels, S.J.

The Secretary of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.



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EXD.

Ottawa, August 19, 1913.

Rev. Sir,-

Referring to that portion of your letter of the 6th instant in regard to the Wikwemikongsing School I beg to say that the Department has decided to keep it open for a time at least and the appointment of Miss Mercier as teacher has been approved.

The question of either boarding some of the children who live at a distance from the school or transporting them to school is at present under consideration.

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[Handwritten initials]
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Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLENAAR

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. T. A. Desantels, S.J.,
Wikwemikong, Ont.

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MEMO.

to enforce quarantine as the patients
are not sick and would admit that
they are until the post show out on them
we have the reserve under quarantine and
keep an officer at the shore here to meet any that
cross the bay in boats and take their orders for
supplies and deliver to them. also around the
Bay where the gate is. another officer to stop them
and take their orders and then to get
the supplies sent there by train. It keeps
me pretty busy. together with trying to
keep my office work done.

There is no case in Manitowish yet
but might strike here. anytime

Hope you are well

Yours truly
W. W. Hodges

A. L. Mackenzie
Ottawa
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At Wainwright

Nov 22 1913
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MEMO.

Dear Sir

Enclosed is a letter from the Teacher of Wainwright Day School offering to board some of the scholars who live a long distance from the school. I did not give her any encouragement as I am satisfied if she was allowed to take some of them, there would others want to have the same advantage. Miss Munn's letter explains it - very well. If she was permitted to keep some of them there would have to be a few extra pairs of blankets purchased as there is only the ones I purchased last winter, the others which was used was taken away by the Mennonite people in August last.

The Wainwright Day School is closed at present on account of the smallpox. There is some 12 or 15 cases on the reserve. Mostly at Wainwright. The greatest trouble is

The letter enclosed is for your opinion

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W. L. Wemikongung Oct 7, 1913,
To Mr. McLeod,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning
Ont.

Dear Sir:-

437515

Just a few lines to let
you know my mother is
going to come up to stay
with me, and if the Dept.
is satisfied to pay us
\$6. a month for the childrens
board we will board
them

They are not attending
school regular, and it
makes it very hard for
myself when they do not
attend. Some of them say
they cannot arrive for.

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school hour. others say it is
after dark when they get home
and so on.

I thought it would be a
good idea to have them
near so they could attend.
and besides the results would
be much better. for you
cannot do much with them
from 9. to 4 O'clock. and worse
still when they are half
their time at home.

Please let me know as soon
as you can what you think
concerning the matter.

Sincerely,

Yours truly
J. M. D. Meisner.
Teacher.

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November 24th. 1913.

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Dear Sir,

W. McLeod
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I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 22nd. instant addressed to Mr. MacKenzie of this Department, enclosing a communication from the teacher of the Wikwemikongsing school, with regard to boarding some of the pupils. The Department desires that the children who live too ^{great} a distance from the school, shall have the benefits which might accrue to them from Miss Mercier's services, and is prepared to pay for their maintenance at the rate mentioned, namely \$6.00 per month, this plan to go into effect on January 1st. next and to continue for three months. You may purchase the necessary blankets and the selection of the children who are to receive this advantage will be left to your discretion.

Yours very truly,

W. McLeod
W. McLeod, Esq.
Indian agent
Manitowaning,
Ont.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
DEC 24 1913

Duncan
Deputy Superintendent General.

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Extract

Original on 152019-7



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J.S.*

March agent's report on the Wikwemikongsing Day School.

445643

The teacher is not boarding any of the pupils since February 23rd, as she states she could not attend to them and other duties. I expect the trouble is that all pupils wanted to stay, both those close to the school and those at a distance.

W. McLeod

Indian Agent,

Manitowaning Agency.



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Extract from the quarterly return of the Wikwemikongsing
Indian Day School for the quarter ended March 31, 1914.
Original on File 152019-2.

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With my sincere thanks to Department and agent for their
kindness I resign my services for this school on June 30
1914.

Sgd. Mary Inez Mercier,

Teacher.



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Ottawa, April 25, 1914.

Madam,-

Referring to the return for the Wikwemikongsing Indian Day School for the quarter ended March 31st, last, on which you state that you are resigning your services for this school on June 30th, next, I beg to say that your resignation is accepted. The Department regrets, however, to learn of your decision.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Mary I. Mercier,
Teacher,
Wikwemikongsing Indian Day School,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Ottawa, April 25, 1914.

Madam,-

Referring to your letter of the 20th instant applying for a position as teacher of a school on an Indian Reserve I beg to say that the Department is advised that there will be a vacancy after the summer holidays at the Wikwemikongsing Indian Day School on Manitoulin Island. There is a teacher's residence in connection with this school and the salary allowed is at the rate of \$400.00 per annum. If you would be willing to accept this position kindly furnish the Department with copies of any testimonials that you may have.

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[Signature]

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN *[Signature]*

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Margaret Hanneberry,
Mayo, Que.

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Ottawa, April 27., 1914.

Sir,-

I beg to advise you that Miss Mercier is resigning her position as teacher of the Wikwemikongsing Indian Day School on June 30th, next. The Department is in communication with another teacher in reference to this vacancy and as soon as a reply is received from her you will be further advised.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Wm. McLeod, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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SCHOOL'S BRANCH
MAY 12 1914
Mashtovag P. O. Ont.
May 7, 1914.
No. 152019/1 447280
Gentlemen:-
Your letter of Apr. 25 inst
was received.
In reply I beg to say I
would like very much to
secure a position as teacher
in the "Industrial School
Spanish, Ont."
My pupils are doing very
well in all their class work.
I should think it a good
idea if this "day school" was
closed for a few years owing
to the small number of pupils
to attend at present, but should
you require a teacher for

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this school. I highly recommend
Miss Julia Larche, Chapau, Sur.
who is a capable teacher and
would like to secure an "Indian
day school."

Please let me know if
I can secure the position I
already mentioned, and by
doing so you will much
oblige me.

I remain,
Yours Respectfully,
Mary Inez Mercier.
Teacher.
Witkurmakongung.
Manitowaning P.C.
Ont.

"Please answer."

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EXD.

Ottawa, May 15, 1914.

Madam,-

The Department is in receipt of your letter of the 7th instant requesting a position as a teacher in the industrial school at Spanish, Ont.

In reply I beg to inform you that if you desire a position in that institution you should apply to the Rev. L. N. Dugas, S.J., the Principal, who has the ~~entire~~ control of the securing of teachers for that school.

Your recommendation that Miss Larche of Chapeau, Que., be appointed to succeed you at Wikwemikongsing is noted. In the meantime the Department is in communication with another teacher in reference to this vacancy.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Mary I. Mercier,
Teacher,
Wikwemikongsing Indian School,
Manitowaning P.O., Ont.

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Extract from Agent's Monthly report on the Wikwemikongsing
Indian Day School for the month of May, 1914.
Original on File 152019-7

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The Rev. L. A. Deautels, s.j., recommends that the school
be closed for a term of 2 or 3 years and some of the
children sent to Spanish River Boarding School. I think
the Department would be wise in doing so, as it is im-
possible to have the children attend school unless arrange-
ments were made with the coming teacher to board the pupils,
and by doing that it would be very expensive.

Miss Mercier has tendered her resignation as teacher.



Sgd. W. A. McLeod
Agent

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Notice
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Ottawa, June 18, 1914.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your report on the Wikwemikong School for the month of May and with regard to that portion in which you recommend that the school be closed for a time I beg to say that, provided you can make arrangements to have the children who should attend this school placed in the Spanish River Industrial School, the Department will consent to the closing of the school. If the school is to remain closed after the summer holidays it will be necessary for you to have the windows boarded up and the school property safeguarded.

In the event of this arrangement being carried out you may engage the services of Miss Mercier as assistant to Miss Duhamel at the Wikwemikong Day School.

The Department would like to have a reply from you as to the feasibility of carrying out this arrangement, so that there may be time to secure the services of another teacher for the Wikwemikong School, if necessary.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Wm. McLeod, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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John D.

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156 - 20, Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont..

July 13th, 1914.

Sir :-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of Official letter No. 151019/I dated June the 18th last, with reference to the closing of the Wikwemikongsing school, and in reply I have the honor to report that it has been decided upon to close this school as arrangements can be made to have the children who should attend school placed in the Industrial School at Spanish, and the average attendance for the past year has been very low, as the school is situated to far away from the families who have children of school age, to attend.

The services of Miss Mary I. Mercier has been engaged as assistant to Miss Duhamel at the Wikwemikong School, this school will require some more seats for to accommodate the number of pupils which will attend after the holidays, I would most respectfully recommend that some of the seats be moved from the Wikwemikongsing school, as they can be returned when needed.



Your obedient servant,

John D.
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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P.M.

*Mr. Luthersland
noted
J.D.*

Ottawa, July 18, 1914.

Sir,-

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I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 13th instant stating that it has been decided to close the Wikwemikongsing Day School for a time and that the services of Miss Mary I. Mercier, the teacher there, are to be utilized as assistant to Miss Duhamel at the Wikwemikong Day School and also that more seats will be required to accommodate the extra number of pupils that will attend there.

In reply I beg to say that your suggestion that some of the seats be removed from Wikwemikongsing to Wikwemikong is approved.

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Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEOD

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Wm. McLeod, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

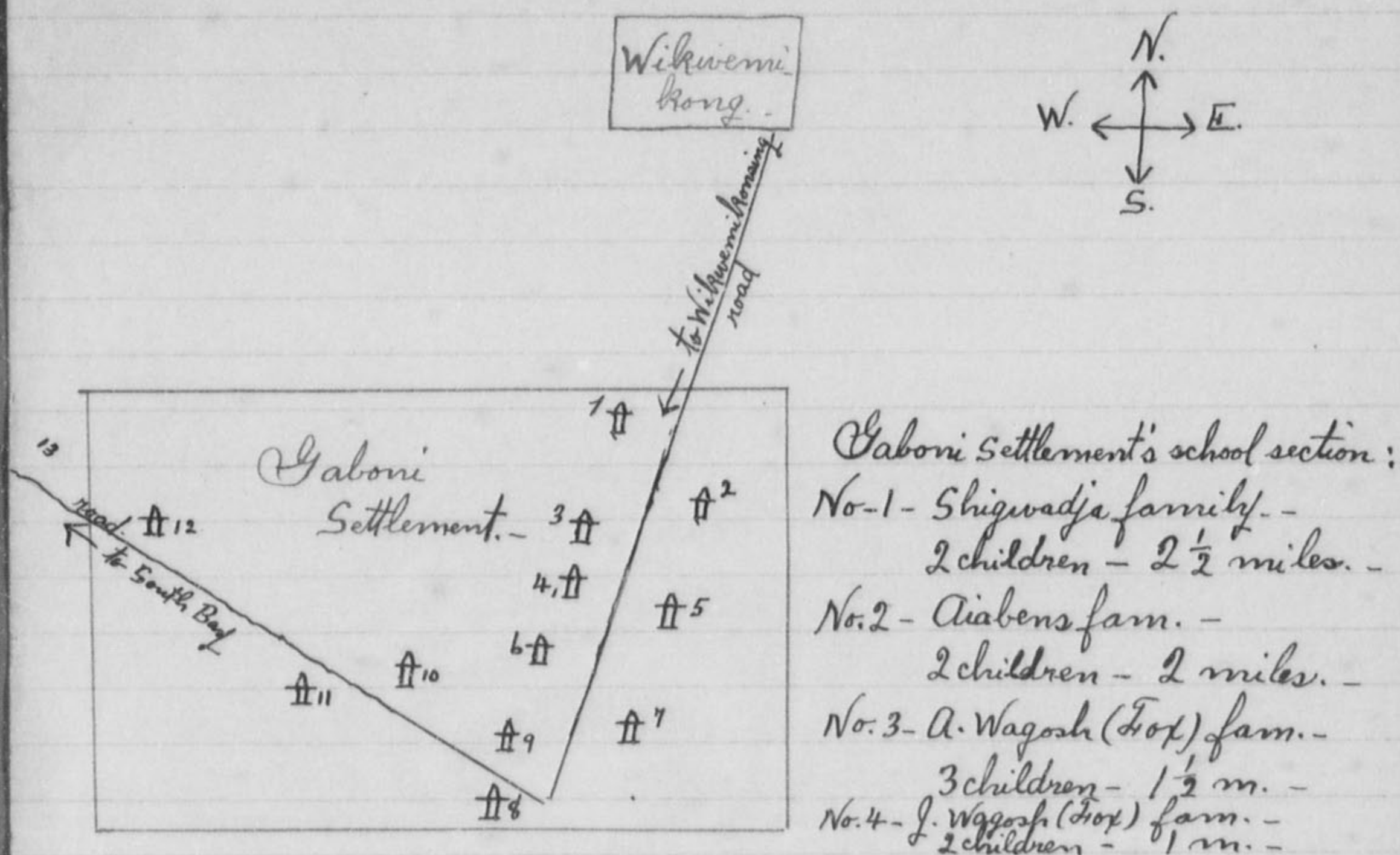
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A non-artistic sketch showing the positions of schools and families with approximate distances. -
Wikwemikonsing. - Gaboni settlement's school. -



- No. 5 - Pegoniassang family - 1 child - distance - 1 m. -
- No. 6 - J. Gaboni " " - 2 children - " " 3/4 of m. -
- No. 7 - R. Gaboni " " - 1 ch. - " " 1/2 m. -
- No. 8 - School. -
- No. 9 - F. Osawamuk - fam. - 3 ch. - " " 300 feet. -
- No. 10 - Jos. Gaboni - " " - 2 ch. - " " 1 m. -
- No. 11 - Peltier - " " - 1 ch. - " " 1 1/2 m. -
- No. 12 - Tokam. - " " - 3 ch. - " " 3 m. -
- No. 13 - One or two families in the bush. -

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Statement concerning Wikwemikonsing school (Gabori settlement).
To be built, they say, and opened for 1st January 1916. -

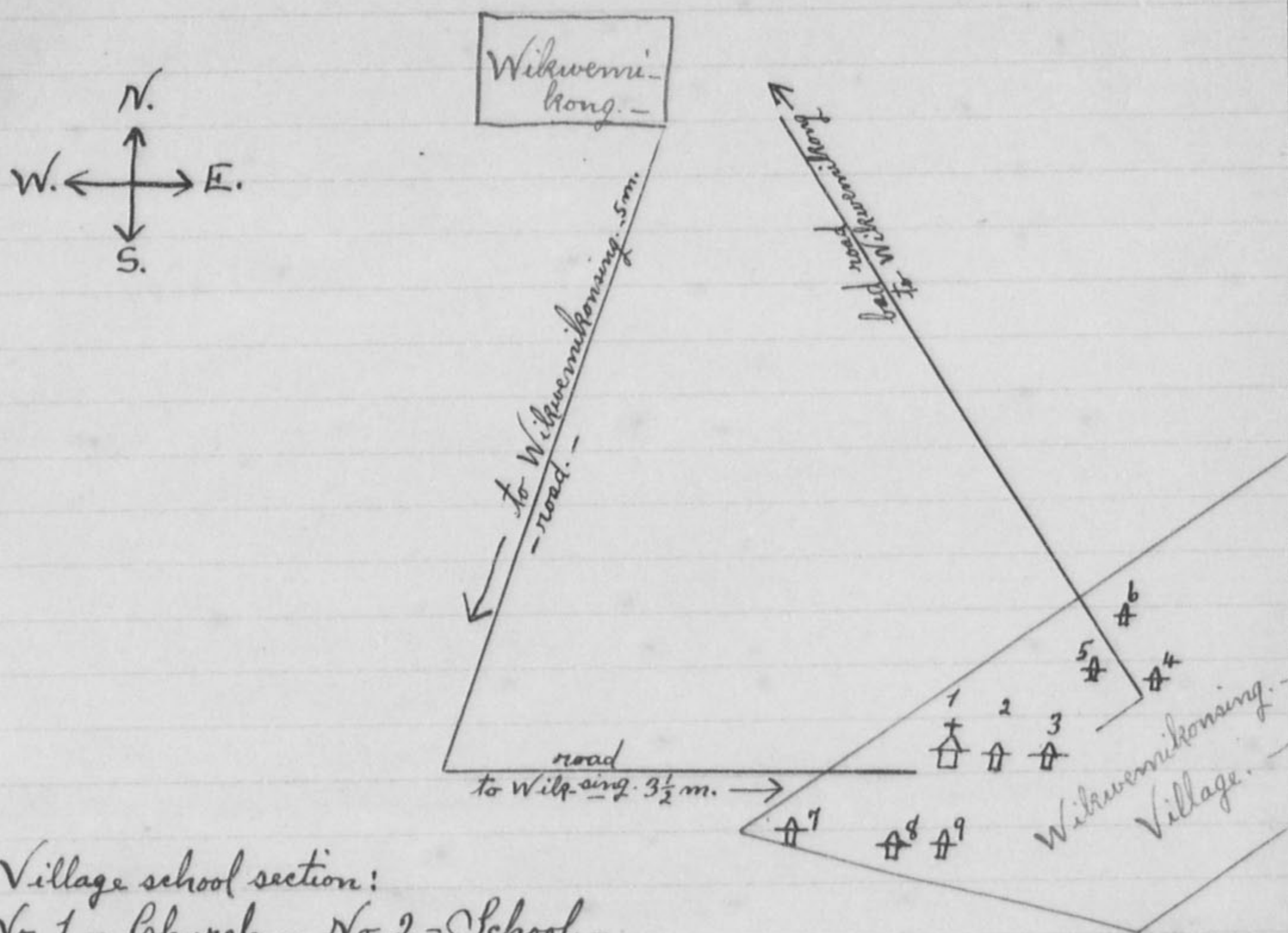
Names of children	Age	Approximate distance from school. -	Remarks. -
Louis Aiabens	13 yrs.	} 2½ miles	They are at Spanish school, presently.
Catherine " "	10 " "		
Basile Pegoniassang	6½ " "	1 mile	
Elisabeth Gabori	14 " "	} ¾ of mile	
Henriette Gabori	7 " "		
Elie Gabori	10 " "	} 1 mile	
Agnes Gabori	8 " "		
One girl Gabori ^(Raphael)	14 " "	½ mile	
Joseph Shiguadja	10 " "	} 2½ miles	
Marie Elise " " "	7 " "		
Charlotte Asawamih	10 " "	} 300 feet	
Lucie " " "	8 " "		
Agathe " " "	6 " "		
Anne Tokam	14 " "	} 3 miles	
Adam " "	12 " "		
Delia " "	6 " "		
One girl (Jos. Peltier)	6 " "	1½ mile	
Wagosh ^{Fancy} Wagosh ^(Fox)	12 " "	} 1½ mile	
Lina " " "	7 " "		
Adeline " " "	12 " "	} 1 mile.	
Jean " " "	11 " "		
Onésime " " "	10 " "		
2 other families, in the bush,			
3½ miles. -			

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October - 1915. -
 Wikwemikonsing. - Village's school. -
 Non-artistic sketch, showing the positions of school and
 families with approximate distances. -



Village school section:

- No. 1 = Church - No. 2 = School. -
 No. 3 = Shigwadja family. - 1 child - distance = 500 feet. -
 No. 4 = Osawabine " " - 4 children - " " " 1 mile. -
 No. 5 = Agone (Jako) " " - 2 " " " " " 1 1/2 m. -
 No. 6 = Wemigwans " " - 2 " " " " " 2 m. -
 No. 7 = Shigwadja " " - 3 " " " " " 1 1/2 m. -
 No. 8 = Jarwana " " - 3 " " " " " 1 m. -
 No. 9 = Osawanimiki " " - 1 child " " " 1 m. -

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- October - 1915. -

Statement concerning Wikwemikonsing school (Village). -

Parents are promising to send their children faithfully to school, should the Department consent to reopen it. -

Names of children -	Age -	Approximate distance from school. -	Remarks. -
Hélène Asawabine	13 yrs.	1 mile. going north.	
Marie Josephine " " "	6 1/2 "		
Elie Pegoniassang	10 yrs.		
Pierre " " "	7 "		
Fridéric Agone (Jako)	11 yrs.	1 1/2 mile. going north	
Moïse " " "	9 "		
Victoria Wennigwans	12 yrs.	2 miles going north.	
Marie " " "	8 "		
Sgrace Shigwadja	10 "		
Marie Louise Jawana	13 yrs.	1 mile going south	
Susanne " " "	11 "		
Lucie " " "	8 "		
Marie Asawanimiki	8 "		
Nancy Shigwadja	12 yrs.	1 1/2 miles going south.	Half way between village school and the new school to be built in Laponi settlement. -
Albert " " "	9 "		
Lucie " " "	8 "		

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Wikuemikong, Ont. - October 8th, 1915.

Dear Sir,

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Enclosed, two statements re Wikuemikong's schools, viz.: one, existing already, but closed for a time (the village school); the other, to be built, they say, and opened in January 1916 (the Gaboni settlement's school). - Now, the Indians from the village ask if the department would consent to reopen their school, and promise to send their children regularly. None of them is anxious to see their children going to the new school in Gaboni settlement. "It is too far", they say. In fact, the shortest distance for the nearest families would be $3\frac{1}{2}$ miles, and the longest distance for $6\frac{1}{2}$ miles. In my opinion, the only way to solve the school's problem in this place, would be to have two schools in operation, on account of distances. Nothing, of course, could be done without the consent of the department; but should the department be willing to reopen again the village's school, it would facilitate immensely the problem of educating the Indian children of Wikuemikong. -

Respectfully yours,
Ernest Comte S. J.

The two schools would be pretty close four miles' distance, from each other. -

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Ottawa, October 22, 1915.

Rev. Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 8th instant in which you point out that even if a school is opened in the Kaboni Settlement it will be too far away from the Indians living in Wikwemikongsing to allow the children there to attend and recommend that the school at Wikwemikongsing, where there is a building, should be re-opened at once.

In reply I beg to say that the Department is not prepared to carry on either of these schools this winter. The Kaboni School building has not yet been started and it is not considered feasible to make a success of a school at Wikwemikongsing during the winter months owing to the distance that nearly all the pupils would have to go and the difficulty of obtaining a properly qualified teacher at this time of the year. I may say, however, that the educational needs of the children on this portion of the reserve will receive due consideration.

In the meantime, if any of the parents are as anxious as they appear to be to have their children educated, they might take advantage of the facilities offered at the Spanish River Industrial School, where there is room for more pupils.

Rev. Ernest Comte, S.J.,
Wikwemikong, Ont.

Your obedient servant,

REV. M. J. J.

Assistant Secretary.

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19-11-1

(Original on # 19-2-1)

Ottawa, June 2nd, 1923.

Sir:

The Separate School Inspector, in a report on his recent inspection of the Kaboni Indian Day School, states that there are at least 17 children of school age at Wikwemikong-sing who are too far away to attend. He recommends that a bus service be arranged for after the summer holidays to take these children to and from their homes, which would be cheaper than re-opening the Wikwemikong-sing school.

I shall be pleased if you will make enquiry regarding the situation mentioned by the Inspector. You should state the number of children of school age at Wikwemikong-sing who do not attend school, and you should give your views regarding the suggestion of the Inspector that arrangements be made for a bus service to draw these children to the Kaboni school. You should also state whether it would be possible to arrange with an Indian having the necessary team and rig for the purpose, and the cost per month that would be charged for the service. The Inspector is of the opinion that, if a bus service is installed for a period of, say, 6 months in each year, it would not cost more than approximately \$40 per month.

You will be good enough to give this matter your consideration, and report your opinion to the Department, in order that, if it is decided to arrange for a bus service, the necessary steps can be taken to begin the work on or about the 1st of October, next, or the 1st of September, if you think it should start from this earlier date. Such an arrangement, if carried out, might be the easiest solution of providing educational facilities for the children residing at Wikwemikong-sing.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
OFFICE OF
THE DEPUTY MINISTER

Parliament Buildings,
Toronto,
Sept. 7/43

W. A. P.

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Dr. P. E. Moore,
A/Superintendent of Medical Services,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
OTTAWA, Ontario.

Dear Doctor Moore:

You will recall our visit to Manitoulin Island and to the old Jesuit School on the Manitowaning Reserve. I understand there are between fifteen hundred to two thousand Indians on this Reservation. One could assume that there would be at least fifty cases of tuberculosis requiring treatment if a complete survey were made.

It seems unfortunate that this school building is not put to any worthwhile use other than a small part of it providing quarters for the clergy. Do you think the Department would be willing to turn this school into a hospital and sanatorium?

Yours very truly,

G. C. Brink

(G. C. Brink, M.B.)
Director,
Division of Tuberculosis Prevention

B/P

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Northwestern Bay.

Secretary Department



DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED.....192
SEPTEMBER 30, 1923.

Miss Fox appointed asst. teacher Sept. 1, 1923. Salary \$550.00 per an.

Mr. J. B.

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Province  **ONTARIO**

Department of Indian Affairs

TEACHERS' SALARIES

For Quarter ended **DECEMBER 31, 1923.**¹⁹

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Zoe St. James	WIKWEMIKONG	\$700 00	\$210 00	
Susan E. Fox	do.	550 00	165 00	
No. of school days in quarter.....				
No. days school was open.....				
No. holidays.....				
Grant asked for				

Remarks :—

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct

M. J. B.

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Supt. or Agent.

NOTE.—The number of school days in the quarter and the number of days for which payment is asked should be stated; payment will only be made for days school was open and authorized holidays.

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FOR QUARTER ENDED **MARCH 31, 1924.** 192.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY		AMOUNT DUE		ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Zoe St. James	WIKWEMIKONG	\$700	00			
				\$210	00	6033
Susan A. Fox	do.	550	00			
				165	00	6034

REMARKS :—

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED JUNE 30, 1924. 192...

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY		AMOUNT DUE		ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
ZOE St. James	WIKWEMIKONG	\$700	00	\$210	00	
Susan A. Fox	do.	550	00	165	00	

REMARKS :—

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found correct.

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August 7th, 1924.

MEMORANDUM FOR FILE:

RE WIKWEMIKONG INDIAN DAY SCHOOL.

Miss St. James, senior teacher, resigned from June 30th. Miss Sadie J. Burke appointed to succeed her to begin duties September 2nd, 1924. Salary allowed - \$700 per annum, supplemented by the bonus.

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FOR QUARTER ENDED **SEPTEMBER 30, 1924.** 192

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Wikeemikong, Ont.
Oct. 22, 1924.

Mr. J. S. McLean,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir, -
I received the four cheques
that you sent me, namely: salary and
bonus cheques, also cheques for
supplies and prizes, and I thank
you for same.

Very respectfully yours,
Susan A. Felt

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(Original on #19-6-1.)

154-5-28.

Ottawa, November 6th, 1924.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 3rd instant, recommending an increase in salary to Miss Susan A. Fex, junior teacher of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say that the Department will approve of an increase of \$50 in the salary of Miss Fex from the 1st of September, last, the beginning of the present school year. This will make her salary from that date at the rate of \$600 per annum. She will also be entitled to the bonus provided by law. Payment of both salary and bonus is based on ten teaching months in the year. A cheque for \$5, being the balance due at the increased rate for the month of September, last, will be sent Miss Fex. Please inform her of the increase in salary allowed.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.


R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Vote No.

Treaty No.

Department of Indian Affairs

To

SEPTEMBER 30, 1924.

DATE	SERVICE.	AMOUNT.
	WIKWEMIKONG INDIAN DAY SCHOOL	
	Susan A. Fox Junior teacher	
	Salary \$600.00 per annum.	
	September \$60.00	
	Already received 55.00	
	Balance due \$5 00	
	Salary of Miss Fox increased to \$600.00 from September 1st. As she has only received payment at the rate of \$550.00, the above balance is due for September.	
	EXAMINED and found correct. <i>[Signature]</i>	
	6, 11, 24.	
	TOTAL,	

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent.

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Wikwemikong, Ont.
Nov. 21, 1924.

by
Mr. R. J. Ferrier,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir, -

Kindly allow me to
write you these few lines, to
thank the Department of Indian
Affairs, for the raise in salary,
that they so generously granted
me this year.

I am

Very respectfully yours,
Susan A. Ferrier

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FOR QUARTER ENDED **DECEMBER 31, 1924.** 192

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Sadie J. Burke	WIKWENIKONG	\$700 00	\$210 00	
Susan A. Fox	do .	\$600 00	\$180 00	

REMARKS:—

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found correct.

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The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



Wiwemikong, Ont.
Jan. 26, 1925.

Dear Sir, —
I received the salary and bonus
cheques for quarter ended December 31st,
and I thank you for same.
Very respectfully yours,
Susan G. Felt.

Ethel Browne

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED.....**JUNE 30, 1925.**.....192

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Ethel Sleane	WIKWEMIKONG 2nd Grd.	\$850 00		
	Advance		\$30 00	

REMARKS:—

Miss S. J. Burke obliged to temporarily relinquish duties at this school owing to illness. The Dept. has appointed Miss Ethel Sloane as substitute teacher for the balance of school year at salary of \$850.00.

Byron Apr 1/25-

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19. 6. 3
(Original on 19-6-1.)

Ottawa, April 3rd, 1925.

Sir:

With further reference to your letter of the 28th ultimo, and the Department's reply of the 2nd instant, regarding the appointment of a substitute teacher to succeed Miss Sadie J. Burke, who had to give up duties at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School on account of illness, I beg to inform you that we have appointed Miss Ethel Sloane temporarily. The salary allowed her will be at the rate of \$85 per month. Miss Sloane left Ottawa last night to proceed to Wikwemikong to take up duties. Miss Sloane taught at this school several years' ago and is familiar with the conditions and work, and it is thought that she will meet with success during the period she acts as substitute teacher for Miss Burke.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.


R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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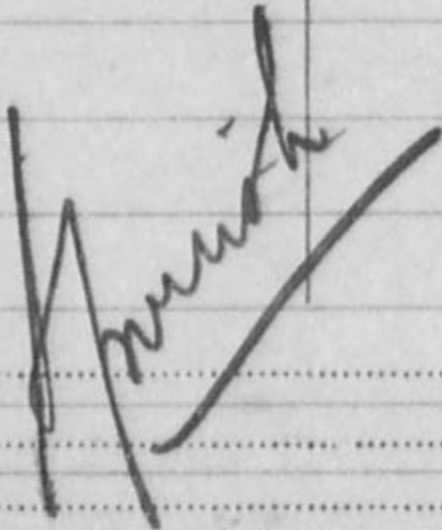
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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED.....**JUNE 30, 1925.**.....192

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Susan A. Fox	WIKWELIKONG	\$750 00	\$225 00	
				

REMARKS:—

As the bonus has been discontinued salary has been increased from April 1st by \$150.00 for the ten teaching months.

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found correct.

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Gore Bay, Ont
July 22/25

Dear Mr. Tremiere,

Am I presuming too far to ask the Department to allow me something for the three months I have been out of your service on sick leave?

I am attending Summer School here in Gore Bay at present. but you might address the answer in Spanish. Trusting this request may meet with your approval I am

Sincerely yours
Sadie Burke

Mr. Russel Tremier
Dept. of Indian Affairs
Ottawa, Ont.

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MONTH
FOR ~~QUARTER~~ ENDED..... APRIL 30, 1925..... 192.

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REMARKS:—

Miss Burke was obliged to give up her duties at this school owing to illness. She is being allowed one month's sick leave with salary.

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found correct.

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Ottawa, July 25, 1925.

MADAM,-

In reply to your letter of the 22nd instant, I beg to say that the Department has decided to allow you one month's sick leave with pay. A cheque for \$85.00 is, therefore, being sent you under separate cover. It is hoped that you will be able to resume duties at the Wikwemikong School after the present summer holidays.

[Handwritten signature]
Your obedient servant.

Russell T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Indian Education.

[Handwritten initials]
Miss S. J. Burke,
Indian Residential School,
Spanish, ONT.

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Spanish, Ont.
July 30. 1935



~~Mr. Terrier~~
I received your favor
of the 20, and gratefully acknowledge
the cheque which the Department has
sent. I regret that I feel unable to re-
sume my duties in the Wewikong
School but hope later on to continue teach-
ing in your employ.
Thanking you for past
favours.

I am
Sincerely yours
Sadie J. Burke.

Mr. Russell Terrier
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa, Ont

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C O P Y

Original on 19-6-1.

Ottawa, August 12, 1925.

Sir:

I have your No. 154-5-29 of the 7th instant, recommending that Miss Susan A. Fex be appointed to the position of senior teacher at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School and announcing that the Rev. Sisters at Spanish are unable to supply a junior teacher. In reply I have to state that the Department approves of the appointment of Miss Fex to the position of senior teacher, at a salary of \$85.00 per teaching month. Further, we have selected from the applicants for schools Miss Josephine Charlebois for the position of junior teacher, at a salary of \$75.00 per teaching month. Miss Charlebois has a Second Class Professional Certificate for the Province of Ontario. I am writing to her, advising her to communicate with Miss Fex as to what she should take to Wikwemikong and I am informing Miss Fex of this arrangement. You may inform those who apply to you for the position of junior teacher that the vacancy has been filled.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 1925. 192

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Susan A. Fex (Sen.)	WIKWEMIKONG	\$850 00	\$85 00	
Josephine Charlebois (Jun)	do.	\$750 00	\$75 00	

REMARKS:

Miss Fex appointed sen. teacher at salary \$850.00 per an.
Miss Charlebois jun. teacher at salary of \$750.00 per an.
Both teachers began duties Sept. 1, 1925.



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Wikuemikong, Ont.
Nov. 3rd 1925.

The Secretary,
Dept of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir, -

Kindly pardon me if I have delayed
so long in acknowledging the receipt of
salary cheque for September quarter.

I had entirely forgotten that I had
not yet acknowledged it.

Thanking you for past favours, I
am

Very respectfully yours,
Susan A. Fay

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED.....**DECEMBER 31st**.....192**5**.

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REMARKS:—

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
December 26th, 1925.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith
the December quarter returns from the under-
mentioned schools of this agency, viz:-

Wikwemikong School,	Miss Susan A. Fex,	teacher,
Buzwah	"	" Florence Kelly,
Kaboni	"	" Alma Sloan,
Sheguiandah	"	" Mrs. R.M. Fairbairn,
Sucker Creek	"	" Mr. J.C. Richards,

The report concerning the Junior class-
room at the Wikwemikong School was taken direct
to Ottawa by Miss Charlebois on her way home
in order that she could receive payment of
salary.

Advance cheques were issued to the following
teachers,-

Miss A. Toner-----	\$100.00.
Mrs. R.M. Fairbairn -	135.00
Miss A. Sloan	85.00
Miss F. Kelly	85.00
Miss A. Douglas	100.00.

The returns from Whitefish Lake and Birch
Island schools have not come to hand yet.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED.....DECEMBER 31st.....1925.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED.....March 31st......1926.....

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C O P Y

19-6-3.

Original on 19-6-1.

Ottawa, June 10, 1926.

Sir:

If you are entirely satisfied with the services of Miss Charlebois, teacher of the junior room at Wikwemikong, please inform her without delay that the Department has increased her salary from \$75 to \$85 per teaching month as from September first, next. Ask her to inform you if she will resume her duties on that date.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED..... June 30th, 1926

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Susan A. Fox	Wikwemikong	\$850 00		
			\$256 00	
c/o Indian Res. School, Spanish, Ont.				

REMARKS:—

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19-6-3

19-6-1.

Ottawa, July 29th, 1926.

Sir:

I beg to inform you that Miss Josephine Charlebois has been re-engaged as teacher of the junior room at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School for the next school year, beginning September 1st. We are informing her of her reappointment and requesting her to be ready to resume duties on the date mentioned. As stated in our letter of the 10th ultimo, the salary allowed her will be at the rate of \$85 per teaching month.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.


R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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19-6-3
(Original on # 19-6-1.)

154-5-32.

Ottawa, December 1, 1926.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 27th ultimo, relative to the continuing of the classroom work at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School during the absence, on account of illness, of Miss Fex, the senior teacher. It is noted that, owing to the large number of pupils attending, Miss Charlebois, the assistant teacher, finds it impossible to give both classes the required attention.

Rather than close the senior classroom, you should, if you can arrange to do so, engage the services of a substitute teacher until the Christmas holidays, by which time it is hoped Miss Fex will be able to resume duties. Miss Charlebois could take charge of the senior room and the substitute teacher the junior room. The question of salary to be allowed a substitute will be determined when we have particulars as to the name, qualifications, etc. The Department will leave this matter in your hands to make the best arrangements for carrying on the work until Miss Fex returns, and you should state, at an early date, the name, qualifications, etc., of the substitute teacher engaged. We note that you are of the opinion that a substitute teacher can be obtained locally.

You should ascertain from Miss Fex when she expects to be able to resume duties, and if her condition of health will not permit her to return after the Christmas holidays, the services of a qualified teacher could then be engaged.

Please give the matter of obtaining a substitute teacher your early attention.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.


R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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Hikwemikong, Ontario,
Dec 2nd / 26.

Dear Mr. Ferrier; -

As I am short of money, at present I would be very much obliged if you would send me my Christmas salary cheque, soon as possible. I need it as I intend going home for Christmas. Thanking you in advance for your kindness.

Autumn
1926

\$150

Your obedient servant,
Josephine Charlebois.

Mr. R. Ferrier
Supt. of Indian Education.
Ottawa, Ontario.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED **December 31st.**.....192**6.**.....

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Charlebois	WIKWEMIKONG	\$850 00		
	Advance		\$150 00	

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19-6-3

Ottawa, December 6th, 1926.

Madam:-

In reply to your letter of the 2nd instant, I beg to advise that a cheque for \$150.00, being an advance on your December quarter salary, is being forwarded under separate cover.

As you will, no doubt, call at the Department on your way home, the balance of salary due you for the present quarter will then be paid.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier
Russell T. Ferrier.
Supt. of Indian Education.

[Handwritten signature]
Miss Josephine Charlebois,
Teacher,
Indian Day School,
Wikwemikong, Ont.

Miss Charlebois
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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED **December 31st, 1926.**

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

December 31st, 1926.

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C O P Y

19-6-3.

Original on 19-6-1.

Ottawa, January 5, 1927.

Sir:

I have your 154-5-32 of the 22nd ultimo, with reference to the appointment of a teacher to replace Miss Fox for the rest of the academic year. I am glad to inform you that the Department has secured the services of Miss Rita Chisholm, who is fully qualified and experienced. She will be allowed salary at the rate of \$100 per teaching month. She will meet Miss Charlebois, the junior teacher at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, here in Ottawa on Monday next and they will proceed to their duty together.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED

Miss Rita Chisholm

WIKWEMIKONG

ANNUAL GRANT
OR
SALARY

\$1000	00
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AMOUNT DUE

ADDRESS TO WHICH
CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT

Advance \$ 50 00

REMARKS: --

Owing to the illness of Miss Fox, Miss Rita Chisholm appointed to replace her, at salary of \$100.00 per teaching month. Appointment dates from January 1st, 1927.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED **March 31st,**.....192**7.**

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This taught 7 years of school
in Dad school.
This 3 yrs at the school

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Nikwemikong, Ont.,
Feb. 28, 1927.

Dear Mr. Ferris:-

I would be very much
obliged if you would send
me some money soon as
possible.

Thanking you in advance
for your kindness.

Advance
4/50

Yours truly

Josephine Charlebois.

Mr. Russell Ferris
Ottawa, Ontario.

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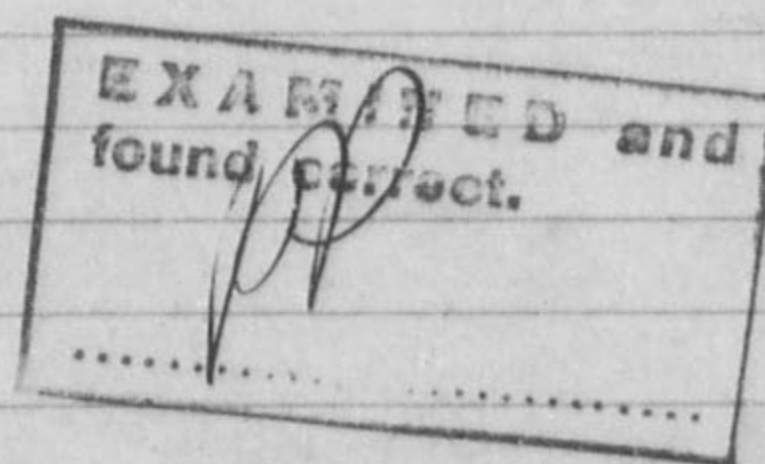
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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED **March 31st,** 192**7.**

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Charlebois	WIKWEMIKONG	\$850 00		
			\$255 00	
			Less Advance 150 00	
			Bal. due \$105 00	
Rita Chisholm	WIKWEMIKONG	\$1000 00		
			\$300 00	
			Less Advance 50 00	
			Bal. due \$250 00	

REMARKS: --



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W. K. Wemikong, Ont.
May 28/27

Mr. Ferrier
Ottawa,

Dear Mr. Ferrier, -

I find I am in need of some
money. Will you please send me some?

Thanking you,

Sincerely

Rita Chisholm.

June 9
Advance
\$100
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TEACHERS' SALARIES

June 30th.

Rita Chisholm

WIKWEMIKONG

\$1.000 00

Advance		\$100	00
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Wikuemikong Ont.,
June 1st/51.

Dear Mr. Ferrier:-
I would be
very much obliged if you
would advance me some
money on my quarterly cheque
as soon as possible.

We expect to
leave before the last of June and
I shall call at The Department
on my way home.

Thanking you
for your kindness.
Yours sincerely
Josephine Charles.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

June 30th.

Josephine Charlebois

WIKWELKONG

\$850	00
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Advance		\$ 75 00
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Wikevinkong, Ont.
June 12/27.

Mr. R. Ferrier
Ottawa

Dear Mr. Ferrier, -

Would you please be kind
enough to let me have another hundred
dollars. We have decided to go home
by boat, and I have not sufficient
funds. Thanking you,

I remain

Yours sincerely
R. C. Lisholm.



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FOR QUARTER ENDED..... **June 30th,**..... 192**7.**

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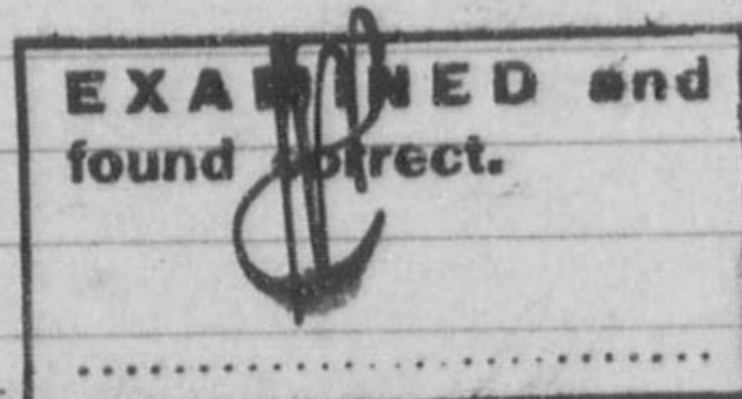
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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED.....**June 30th,**.....**1927.**.....

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Charlebois	WIKWEMIKONG	\$850 00		
			\$255 00	
	Less advance		75 00	
	Bal. due		\$180 00	
Rita Chisholm	WIKWEMIKONG	\$1000 00		
			\$300 00	
	Less advances \$100 & \$100 ...		200 00	
	Bal. due		\$100 00	
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19-6-3

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(Original on 19-6-1.)

Ottawa, July 26th, 1927.

Sir:

I beg to inform you that Miss Alice Straine has been appointed senior teacher of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School for the next school year, and Miss Josephine Charlebois has been re-engaged as teacher of the junior room. The salary allowed Miss Straine will be at the rate of \$90 per teaching month, and that of Miss Charlebois at the rate of \$95 per teaching month. It is understood that Miss Straine will act as principal and teacher of the senior room.

I shall be pleased if you will give both these teachers every assistance you can in their work at this school.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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TEACHERS' SALARIES

September 30th, 1927.

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REMARKS: --

Miss Alice Straine appointed as senior teacher from September 1st, 1927. Salary at the rate of \$90 a teaching month is being allowed.

Salary of Miss Josephine Charlebois increased to \$95 a teaching month from September 1st, 1927.

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Wikuemikong, Ont.
Oct. 20th/
27.

Dear Mr. Ferrier:-

I would be
very much pleased if you would
give me permission to go home
for two weeks in November for
my sister's wedding on the 23rd.

I will make up
these days at Easter and take shorter
holidays at Christmas.

Thanking you in
advance for your kindness.

Josephine Charlebois.

Mr. R. Ferrier
Supt. of Indian Education.
Ottawa, Ontario.

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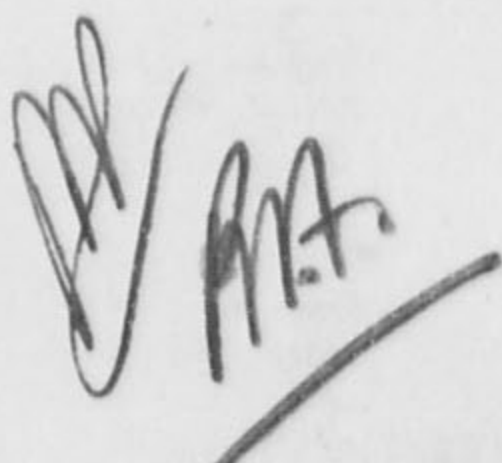
Ottawa, October 22nd, 1927.

Dear Miss Charlebois:-

I have your letter of the 20th instant, in which you request two weeks' leave during the month of November. In reply I may say that I am not favourable to making up time lost by the teacher during pupils' regular holiday periods. The Department, however, is prepared to consider granting you one week's leave about the date mentioned in your letter but I should appreciate being advised what arrangements it is proposed to make during your absence. Does Miss Straine intend to handle both rooms or will the junior room be dismissed? In answering this letter, you should forward your reply through the office of Mr. Agent Lewis.

Yours very truly,


Russell T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Indian Education.


Miss Josephine Charlebois,
Teacher,
Indian Day School,
Wikwemikong, Ont.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
October 28th, 1927.

Sir:-

In reply to copy of Departmental Letter No. 19-6-3 of October the 22nd, instant, to Miss Josephine Charlebois, teacher at the Wikwemikong Day School; I have the honour to report that Miss Charlebois is quite agreeable to the decision of the Department in granting her one week's leave of absence during November, next.

As there are so many pupils attending the school at the present time Miss Straine cannot handle them all, therefore, the junior room will have to be dismissed during the absence of Miss Charlebois.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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19-6-3

Ottawa, November 3rd, 1927.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 28th ultimo, I beg to say that you may inform Miss Charlebois that she may have one week's leave in order to attend her sister's wedding which, we are informed, takes place on the 23rd instant.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier.
Supt. of Indian Education.

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R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED December 31st, 1927.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Charlebois	WIKWEMIKONG	\$950 00		
	Advance		\$125 00	

REMARKS:—

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED December 31st, 1927.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY		AMOUNT DUE		ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Alice Straine	WIKWEMIKONG	\$900	00			
				\$270	00	
Josephine Charlebois	do	\$950	00			
				\$285	00	
				Less Advance	125 00	
				Bal. due	\$160 00	

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W. K. W. M. K. O. G. O. N. T.,
March 1st / 38

Dear Mr. Ferris:

I would be
very much obliged
if you would send
me fifty dollars soon
as possible.

Every one is

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well here at present.
Several of our pupils
were sick with the
grippe, but all are
back to school again.

Thanking you
for your kindness

Sincerely

J. Charlebois.

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FOR QUARTER ENDED **March 31st,** 192**8.**

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED.....**March 31st.**.....192**8.**

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Nikawmiking, Ont.,
May 29th/₂₈

Dear Mr. Fernier:
Would you
please send me
one hundred and
fifty dollars advance
on June quarterly.

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cheque.

Thanking you
for your kindness.

Yours truly.

Josephine Charlebois

Mr. R. Ferrier,

Supt. of Indian Education,

Ottawa, Ont.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED **June 30th,** 192**8.**

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED **June 30th.** 192**8.**

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY		AMOUNT DUE		ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Alice Straine	WIKWEMIKONG	\$900	00			
				\$270	00	
Josephine Charlebois	do	\$950	00			
				\$285	00	
	Less Advance			150	00	
	Bal. due			\$135	00	
Send cheques as follows:-						
Miss Alice Straine, Spanish, Ont.						
Miss Josephine Charlebois, Dunrobin, Ont.						

REMARKS:—



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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED **September 30th,** 1928.

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19-6-3

Original on 19-6-1.

Ottawa, November 23, 1928.

Sir:

I have to inform you the Department has learned that Miss Alice Straine, teacher of the senior room at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, is seriously ill. I have appointed Miss Mary Wrinn for the balance of the academic year at a salary of \$85 per teaching month. She will arrive at Little Current Thursday noon and will proceed to the school the same day. Miss Wrinn has been informed that Miss Charlebois will be in charge of the school activity.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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Wetumikong, Nov. 23-1925

Dear Mr. Ferris,

Kindly pardon me for not having informed you sooner, regarding Miss Straine being unable to continue teaching.

We had hoped that after a few days rest, she might have been able to resume her work again, but - Doctor has ordered a complete rest for the present.

I regret very much, that we cannot fill the vacancy till end of June, but we shall be prepared to reopen school next September.

Trusting this may meet with your approval.

I remain

Yours respectfully,

Louise Bonnot.

P.S. I understand that Rescend. J. Oltus. S. P.
has written you regarding this.
L. B.

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19-6-5

Ottawa, November 27th, 1928.

Dear Miss Bonnet,-

With reference to your letter of the 23rd instant, I may say that, on receipt of a letter from Rev. J. Artus, S.J., the Department secured the services of Miss Mary Wrinn to replace Miss Straine for the balance of the academic year. It is expected that Miss Wrinn will reach Wikwemikong on the 29th instant.

Yours very truly,

Russell T. Ferrier
Russell T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Indian Education.

L. Bonnet
Miss L. Bonnet,
Indian Residential School,
Spanish, Ont.

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19-6-3

Wickwemikong Ont.
December 6/28.
Dept. of Indian Affairs
Ottawa Ont.

Dear Sir;

Would you kindly
forward me my cheque for
the month of December
amount being \$85 per month.

Hoping to receive it by
return mail as I want to
have it by twenty first of this
month.

Thanking you in advance
I remain

Yours truly
Miss Mary Arin



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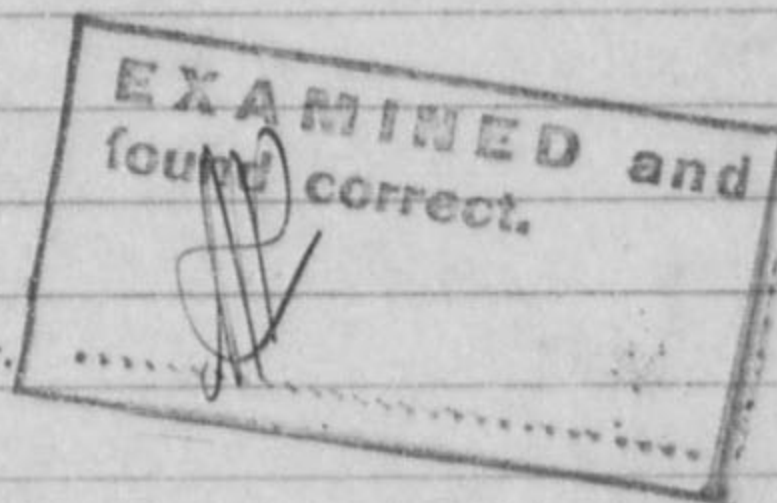
FOR QUARTER ENDED **December 31st, 1928.**

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY		AMOUNT DUE		ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Alice Straine	WIKWEMIKONG	\$900	00			
				\$157 50		Pd. for 1½ mos.
Mary Wynn	do	\$850	00			
				\$106 25		" " 1½ mos.
Josephine Charlebois	do	\$950	00			
				\$285 00		
Miss Straine's cheque should be sent to:- Indian Residential School, Spanish, Ont. and cheques for Miss Wynn and Miss Charlebois should be sent to:- R. J. Lewis, Esq., Indian Agent, Manitowaning, Ont.						

REMARKS:-

Owing to illness, Miss Straine had to discontinue teaching on November 23rd, 1928, and Miss Wynn appointed to succeed her at salary of \$85 per teaching month.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS VOUCHER IS CORRECT.



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Nikwemakong, Ont.,

Dec. 10th/28.

Dear Mr. Ferrier:

Would you
please forward me one
hundred and fifty dollars,
advance on December
Quarterly Cheque.

Thanking you
for your kindness.

Miss Whinn is
getting along well. Miss Straine
is here yet, but hopes to be
able to leave by Christmas.

Your obedient servant,
J. Charlebois.

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19-6-3

Ottawa, December 13th, 1928.

Madam, -

In reply to your letter of the 10th instant, I beg to say that your December quarter salary cheque was forwarded yesterday to Mr. Indian Agent Lewis.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier
Russell T. Ferrier.
Supt. of Indian Education.

[Signature]
[Signature]
Miss Josephine Charlebois,
Indian Day School,
Wikwemikong, Ont.

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Ottawa, December 13th, 1928.

Sir,-

The Department forwarded to you yesterday the December quarter salary cheques of Miss Wrinn and Miss Charlebois, teachers of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School. You should hand these cheques to the teachers when the school closes for the Christmas holidays, at the same time receiving from them the usual quarterly returns which should be forwarded to the Department.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Perrier
Russell T. Perrier.
Supt. of Indian Education.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Wickwemikong, Ont.,
Feb 18/29.

Dear Mr. Phelan:

I am enclosing
a letter sent to Miss Straine
about a lost receipt
No. 211222.

This receipt is
not here, - must have
been lost in the mail,
as I have sent
any that I saw
about here.

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Would you be
kind enough to have
the Department
forward me an
advance of ninety-
five dollars, on
March Quarterly Cheque?

Thanking you
in advance for your
kindness.

Yours truly,
Josephine Charlebois.

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~~Mr. [unclear]~~
Mikewikong Ont.
March 29
Dept. of Indian Affairs
Ottawa Ontario.

Dear Sir;
Would you be so kind as to
send me my salary for the
months of January and February
as soon as possible (\$85 per month)
Thanking you in advance
and hoping this will meet with
your approval.
I remain
Yours truly
Mary Minn

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED **March 31st,** 192**9.**

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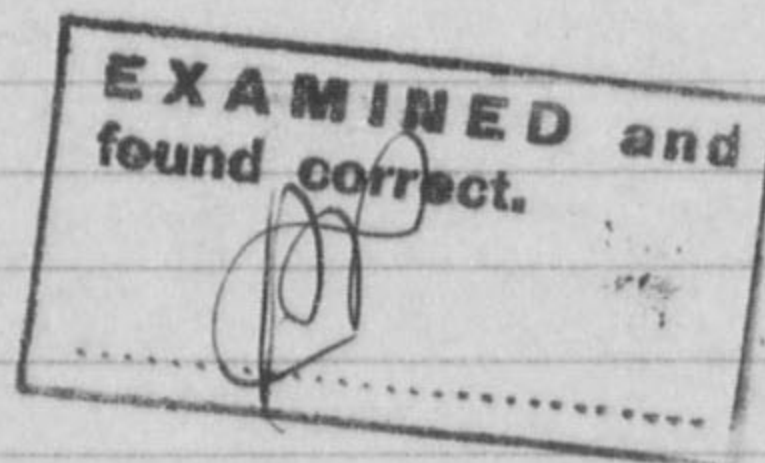
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED March 31st. 192 9.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Charlebois	WIKWEMIKONG	\$950 00		
			\$285 00	
			Less Advance 95 00	
			Bal. due \$190 00	
Mary Wynn	WIKWEMIKONG	\$850 00		
			\$255 00	
			Less Advance 150 00	
			Bal. due \$105 00	

REMARKS:—



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Nikwemikong, Ont.,

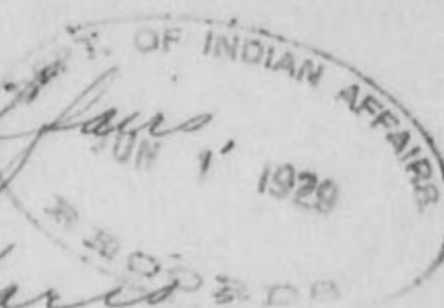
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May 30th 1929

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa, Ontario



Dear Sir:

Kindly advance
me ninety-five dollars
on June quarterly cheque.

Thanking you
for your kindness.

I remain,

Yours truly,

Josephine Charlebois.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

1929.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED **June 30th,** **1929.**

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Charlebois	WIKWEMIKONG DAY	\$950 00		
			\$285 00	
	Less Advance		95 00	
	Bal. due		\$190 00	
Mary Wrinn	WIKWEMIKONG DAY	\$850 00		
			\$255 00	
	Less Advance		85 00	
	Bal. due		\$170 00	

REMARKS:—



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- C O P Y -

19-6-3.

Original on 19-6-1

Ottawa, July 25th, 1929.

Sir,-

Pursuant to my letter of the 20th instant, I have now to inform you that Miss A. Straine will return as senior teacher of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School at a salary of \$90 per teaching month.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier.
Supt. of Indian Education.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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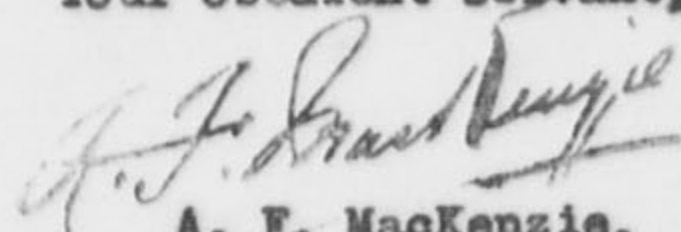
Ottawa, August 26, 1929.

Sir:

I have to inform you that Miss A. Straine, the senior teacher at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, will, on account of ill health, be unable to resume duties when the school reopens after the present summer holidays. The Department is approving of the appointment of Miss S. Burke as teacher of the senior class, to begin duties on September 3rd, next. The salary allowed Miss Burke will be at the rate of \$90 per teaching month.

I have to request that you will give both teachers at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School every assistance you can in their work during the coming school year and endeavour to encourage a regular attendance of Indian children of school age.

Your obedient servant,



A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.



R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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'TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED September 30th, 1929.

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REMARKS:—

Miss Sadie J. Burke appointed teacher of senior class with salary at the rate of \$90 per teaching month. Began duties September 1st, 1929.

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found correct.**

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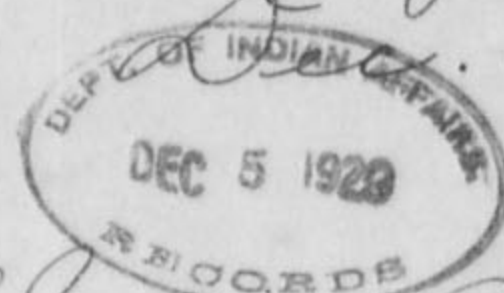
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Wikuemikong, Ont.,



3rd/29.

The Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear sir:

Would you kindly
forward one hundred
dollar advance on
December quarterly cheque.
Thanking you for your
kindness.

Yours very truly,
Josephine Parlebois.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED December 31st, 1929.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Charlebois	WIKWEMIKONG	\$950 00		
	Advance		\$100 00	

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found correct.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED December 31st, 1929.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Sadie J. Burke	WIKWEMIKONG	\$900 00	\$270 00	
Josephine Charlebois	do	\$950 00	\$285 00	
	Less Advance		100 00	
	Bal. due		\$185 00	

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Wikeemikong, Ont.,
DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 27 1930
RECORDS
Feb. 24th/30

Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir,

*Please advance one
hundred dollars on March
quarterly salary.*

*Thanking you for
your kindness.*

Your obedient servant,

J. Charlebois.

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19-6-3.

Ottawa, March 4, 1930.

Madam:

In reply to your letter of the 24th ultimo, I beg to say that the Department's appropriation for the current fiscal year has been completely assigned. It is therefore regretted that no advance can be made on your March quarter salary.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Indian Education.

J. Charlebois

Miss J. Charlebois,
Indian Day School,
Wikwemikong, Ont.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED March 31st, 1930

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19-11-3

Wikwemikong. Ont.,

June 14, 1930.



Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Dear Sir:

Would you kindly
advance me one hundred
dollars on June quarterly
cheque.

Thanking you in
advance for your kindness.

Yours very truly,
Josephine Charbois

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED June 30th. 1930.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Charlebois	WIKWEMIKONG	\$950 00		
	Advance	\$100 00		

REMARKS:—

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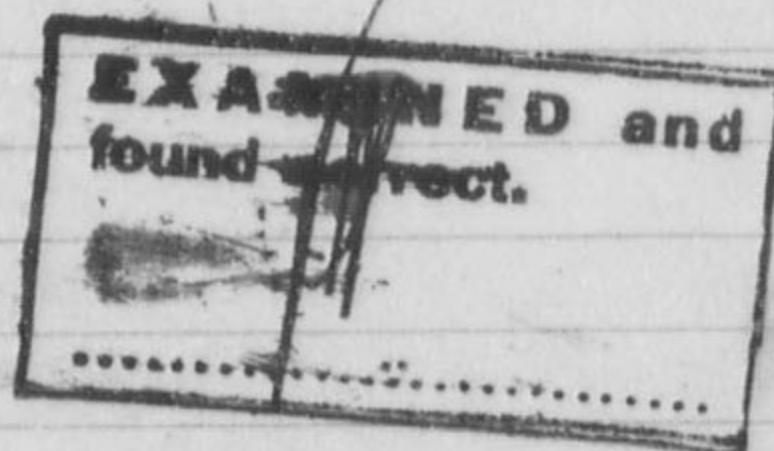
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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED June 30th, 1930.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Sadie J. Burke	WIKWEMIKONG	\$900 00	\$270 00	
Josephine Charlebois	do	\$950 00	\$285 00	
	Less Advance		100 00	
	Bal. due		\$185 00	
Miss Sadie J. Burke,. Indian Residential School, Spanish, Ont.				
Miss Josephine Charlebois, Dunrobin, Ont.				

REMARKS:—



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Ottawa, July 5, 1930.

Sir:

In further reference to your letter of the 20th ultimo, recommending the appointment of Miss Agnes Manitowabi as teacher of the junior classroom at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School for the next school year, I have to inform you that the Department will be pleased to approve of her appointment, which is also recommended by the Superior of the Girls' School at Spanish. The salary allowed Miss Manitowabi will be at the rate of \$80 per teaching month. Please inform her of her appointment, and arrange with her to begin duties when the school reopens after the present summer holidays on September 2nd, next. I shall be pleased if you will give her any assistance you can in her work at this school.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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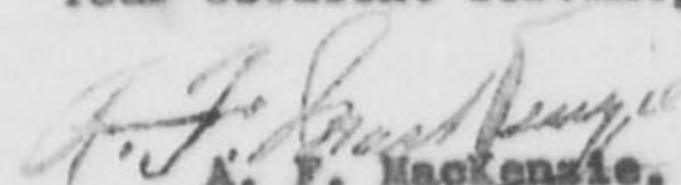
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Ottawa, July 24, 1930.

Sir:

I have to inform you that the Department is allowing Miss Sadie J. Burke, senior teacher of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, an increase of \$5 per teaching month in her salary from the 1st of September, next. This will make her salary from that date at the rate of \$95 per teaching month.

Your obedient servant,


A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.


R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
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270-58. Indian Office, Manitowaning.
September 3rd, 1930.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith the
September quarterly reports from the following
schools of this agency, viz:-

Wikwemikong School,	Sadie J. Burke,	teacher.
Shaguanish R. Ct "	Anna Hare	"
Shaguanish Anglican,	Mrs. A. J. Abbott	"
Sucker Creek School,	Margaret Weeks,	"
Birch Island "	Frischella Lavallee	"
Whitefish Lake "	Stella M. King	"

Your obedient servant,

J. H. Hare
Indian Agent.

OFFICE OF THE
The Secretary, INDIAN AFFAIRS
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

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Sadie J. Burke

WIKWEMI KONG

ANNUAL GRANT
OR SALARY

\$950	00
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AMOUNT DUE

\$95	00
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ADDRESS TO WHICH
CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT

REMARKS:—

month, effective September 1st, 1930.

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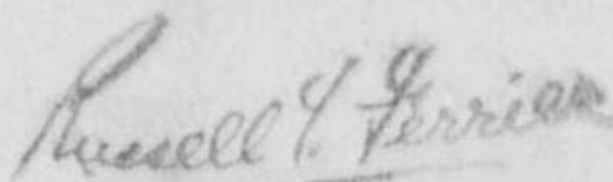
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Ottawa, October 7th, 1930.

Sir,-

With reference to your letter of the 3rd instant, enclosing the September quarter returns of the schools in your agency, I would point out that the Department has only received the return of Miss Burke of the Wikwemikong Day School. If Miss Manitowabi taught during the month of September, please arrange to have the usual return for her room forwarded as soon as possible.

Your obedient servant,



Russell T. Ferrier.
Supt. of Indian Education.



R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

FOR QUARTER ENDED September 30th. 1930.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Agnes Manitowabi	WIKWEMIKONG	\$800 00	\$80 00	

REMARKS:—

Miss Agnes Manitowabi appointed junior teacher with salary at the rate of \$80 a teaching month. Began duties September 1st, 1930.

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found correct.

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8-10-30,

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
October 10th, 1930.



Sir:-

In reply to Official Letter No. 19-6-3 dated the 7th, instant, I have the honour to report that the September quarterly Report made out by Miss Manitowah on the Junior class-room at the Nkwemikong Indian Day School went forth from this Office to the Department on the 8th, instant.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED December 31st. 1930.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

March 31st.

NAME OF TEACHER _____

WIKWEMI KONG

\$950	00
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\$285	00
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40

\$800	00
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\$240	00
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED June 30th, 1931.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY		AMOUNT DUE		ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Sadie J. Burke	WIKWEMIKONG	\$950	00			
				\$285	00	
Agnes Manitowabi	do	\$800	00			
				\$240	00	
Send cheques to R.J. Lewis, Esq., Indian Agent, Manitowaning, Ont.						

REMARKS: --

Send cheques to R.J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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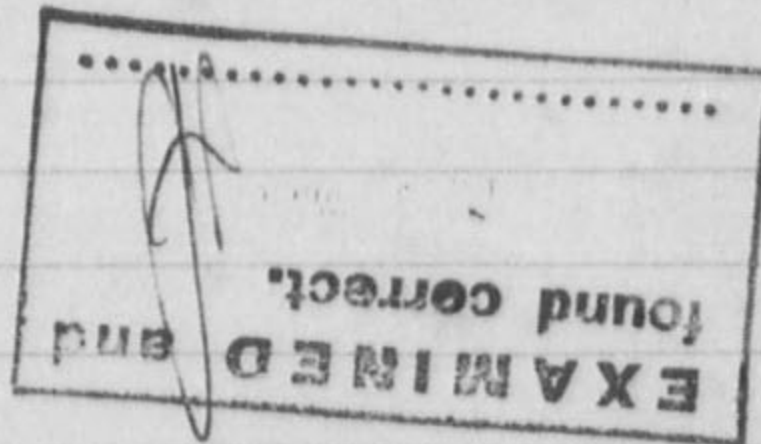
TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED September 30 1931.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Agnes Manitowabi	WIKWEMIKONG	\$ 800 00		
	ADVANCE.....		\$ 40 00	
	WIRE TO - BANK OF MONTREAL, QUYON, P.Q.			
APPROVED:				

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F. H. Paget
W. H. W. W. W. #3

Ottawa, August 27th, 1931.

Dear Sir:

I inclose cheque for \$40.00
which please wire to the credit of Agnes
Manitowabi with your branch at Quyon, Quebec.

I inclose blank telegraph form
franked.

INCL.

Yours truly,



F. H. Paget
Chief Accountant.

Accountant,
Bank of Montreal,
Ottawa,
Ontario.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED September 30th, 1931.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

December 31st.....1951.

Sadie J. Burke

WIKVEMI KONG

\$950	00
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\$285	00
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Agnes Manitowabi

do

\$300 00

\$240	00
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Draw cheque in favour of teacher
and send to:- R.J. Lewis, Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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OFFICE OF
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19-6-3

270-60. Manitowaning, December 5th, 1931.

Sir:-

I have the honour to report that the under-mentioned teachers have made request for an advance on their December quarter salary,-

Miss Agnes Manitowabi, assistant teacher at Wikwemikong Day School..... \$100.00.

Mr. George Dill, teacher at Sucker Creek Day School \$ 90.00.

As it is drawing close to Christmas and at that season the majority require funds, therefore, I would recommend that they be granted their request providing the Department has available funds at present.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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19-6-3

Ottawa, December 10th, 1931.

Sir,-

With reference to your 270-60 of the 5th instant, I beg to say that the December quarter salary cheques of the teachers of the Indian day schools in the Manitowaning Agency will be forwarded so as to reach you by the 22nd instant, the date on which the schools close for the Christmas holidays. Under these circumstances, the Department is not prepared to make any advances at the present time.

When handing these cheques to the teachers on the 22nd instant, you should receive from them the usual quarterly returns, which should be forwarded to the Department.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier.
Supt. of Indian Education.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED March 31st, 1932.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Agnes Manitowabi	WIKWEMIKONG	\$800 00		
	Advance		\$80 00	

REMARKS: --

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED March 31st, 1932.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED June 30th, 1932.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Agnes Manitowabi	WIKWESIKONG	\$800 00		
				\$240 00
			Less 10%	<u>24 00</u>
			Amount due	\$216 00
Sadie J. Burke	WIKWESIKONG	\$950 00		
				\$285 00
			Less 10%	<u>28 50</u>
			Amount due	\$256 50
Send cheques to R. J. Lewis, Esq., Indian Agent, Manitowaning, Ont.				

REMARKS: --

MANITOWANING AGENCY.

I certify that the services specified in this account have been satisfactorily performed, that they were necessary in the interest of the public, and that the charges made are in accordance with contract or agreement authorized by or, if not by contract, the charges are fair and just. No item in this account has been previously certified by me for payment. I recommend payment.

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C O P Y

19-6-3.

Orig. on...19-6-1.

Ottawa, August 29, 1932.

Sir:

I have to inform you that the Department is approving of the transfer of Miss Sadie J. Burke, senior teacher of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, to the Lake Helen Indian Day School, in the Fort Arthur agency. Miss Louise Gatty has been appointed to succeed Miss Burke at Wikwemikong, with salary at the rate of \$95 per teaching month, less 10% for the current fiscal year.

I have to request that you will give Miss Gatty any assistance you can in her work at the school and in encouraging a regular attendance of the Indian children.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie
Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED **September 30th,** 19**32.**

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE		ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Louise Gatty	WIKWESIKONG	\$950 00			
				\$95 00	
			Less 10%	<u>9 50</u>	
			Amount due	\$85 50	
Agnes Manitowabi	WIKWESIKONG	\$800 00			
				\$80 00	
			Less 10%	<u>8 00</u>	
			Amount due	\$72 00	
Send cheques to R.J. Lewis, Esq., Indian Agent, Manitowaning, Ont.					

Vote 201.
Agency 19/260.

Miss Louise Gatty appointed senior teacher with
salary at the rate of \$95 a teaching month. Began duties
September 1st, 1932.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED **December 31st,** 19 **32.**

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Louise Gatty	WIKWEMIKONG	\$950 00		
			\$285 00	
	Less 10%		<u>28 50</u>	
	Amount due		\$256 50	
Agnes Manitowabi	WIKWEMIKONG	\$800 00		
			\$240 00	
	Less 10%		<u>24 00</u>	
	Amount due		\$216 00	
Send cheques to R. J. Lewis, Esq., Indian Agent, Manitowaning, Ont.				

Vote 201.
Agency 19/260.

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270-61.

Manitowaning, January 27th, 1933.

Sir:-

I have the honour to report that Miss Agnes Manitowabi, teacher in the Junior Room at Wikwemikong School, and Miss Stella M. King, teacher at Bawab Day School, have asked for an advance of one month's salary each for March quarter.

These girls are assisting their relatives during these distressed times and they find it difficult to get through without being paid monthly, therefore, I would recommend, if possible, the Department advance them salary due for January.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

March 31st. 1933.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Agnes Manitowabi	WIKWEMIKONG	\$800 00		
	Advances		\$70 00	
Send cheque to R. J. Lewis, Esq., Indian Agent, Manitowaning, Ont.				

Send cheque to R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

Vote 201.
Agency 19/260.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED **March 31st,** 19**33**

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Louise Gattie	WIKWEMIKONG	\$950 00		
			\$285 00	
		Less 10%	28 50	
		Amount due	\$256 50	
Agnes Manitowaki	do	\$800 00		
			\$240 00	
		Less 10%	24 00	
		Amount due	\$216 00	
		Less Advance	70 00	
		Balance due	\$146 00	

Send cheque to R.J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

Yote 201.
Agency 19/260.

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FOR QUARTER ENDED **June 30th,** 19 **33.**

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Louise Gattie	WIKWEMIKONG	\$950 00		
			\$285 00	
			Less 10%	28 50
			Amount due	\$256 50
Agnes Manitowabi	WIKWEMIKONG	\$800 00		
			\$240 00	
			Less 10%	24 00
			Amount due	\$216 00

Send cheques to R.J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

Vote 188.
School 448.
Allet. 260.
E. R. 213.

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FOR QUARTER ENDED **September 30,** 19**33**

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Louise Gattie	WIKWEMIKONG DAY	\$950 00		
			\$95 00	
		Less 10% -	<u>9 50</u>	
		Amt. due -	\$85 50	
Agnes Manitowabi	do	\$800 00		
			\$80 00	
		Less 10% -	<u>8 00</u>	
		Amt. due -	\$72 00	
Send cheques to R. J. Lewis, Esq., Indian Agent, Manitowaning, Ont.				

**Veto 188.
School 448.
Allo 260.
B. R. 778.**

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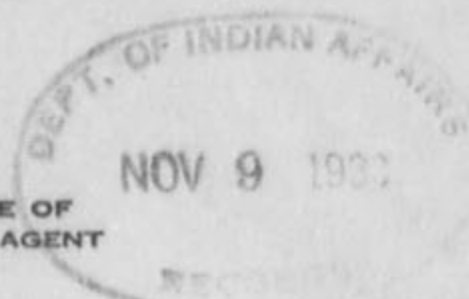
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INDIAN AGENT



19-6-3

See Graham
4/6/33
270-62.

Manitowaning, November 7th, 1933.

Sir:-

I have the honour to report that the under-mentioned teachers in the Indian Day Schools have made request for an advance on their December quarter salary, namely,-

— Miss Agnes Manitowabi, Wikwemikong School, October salary.
" Stella M. King, Buzwah " " "
Mrs A.J. Abbott, Sheguiandah A.C. " " "

As I know for a fact that these teachers are in need of funds at present I would recommend that, if possible, the Department approve of these advances being made.

Your obedient servant,

H. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED December 31st. 1933.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Agnes Manitowabi	WIKWELIKONG DAY	\$800 00		
	Advance		\$65 00	
Send cheque to R. J. Lewis, Esq., Indian Agent, Manitowaning, Ont.				

REMARKS: →

Vote 188.
School 448.
Allot. 260.
E. R. 1131.

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7:00 P.M.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED **December 31st,** 19**33.**

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Louise Gattie (Prin.)	Wikwemikong	\$950 00		
			\$285 00	
			Less 10% 28 50	
			Amount due \$256 50	
Agnes Manitowabi	Wikwemikong	\$800 00		
			\$240 00	
			Less 10% 24 00	
			Amount due \$216 00	
			Less Advance 65 00	
			Amount due \$151 00	

Send cheques to R.J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

Vote 188.
School 448.
Allet. 260.
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TEACHERS' SALARIES

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NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Louise Gattie (Prin.)	WIKWEMIKONG	\$950 00		
			\$285 00	
	Less 10%		28 50	
	Amount due		\$256 50	
Agnes Manitowabi	WIKWEMIKONG	\$800 00		
			\$240 00	
	Less 10%		24 00	
	Amount due		\$216 00	

Send cheques to R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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C O P Y

Orig. on 19-6-1.

Ottawa, August 22, 1934.

Sir:

Miss Louise Gattie is being transferred to the Garden River R. C. Indian Day School. She will be succeeded by Miss Goody, who will be allowed salary at the rate of \$85 a teaching month. It is expected that Miss Goody will be at Wikwemikong School in time to re-open it on the 4th proximo. Please give her every possible assistance.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

*Memo to
Treasury Br
on # 3
Garden River
R.C. Sch
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

August 22nd, 1934.

448 - Wikwemikong, Ont.

Memo for File:-

Miss Louise Gattie, teacher of
the Wikwemikong Indian day school, has been
transferred to the Garden River R.C. Day School.

Miss Julia Goody, has been
appointed to succeed Miss Gattie, with salary at
the rate of \$850 a year, from September 1st, 1934.

Approved:-
Memo to Minister
dated August 16/34
on File 19-6-1.

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*January
Paylist*

January 14th, 1935.

MEMORANDUM:-

Representative of the Treasury.

Please note the following changes for the Paylist for January, 1935:-

✓ 448	- Wikwemikong	- Julia Goody	- Wikwemikong,	- \$950 - \$95 -	
			Ont.		
448	- "	- Rita Trudeau	- " "	- \$800 - \$80 -	Memo to Minister dated Nov. 12, 1934. F. 19-6-1.
✓ 511	- Fisher River	- W. G. Tong	- Keestataak,	- \$1000 - \$100 (\$1050 less \$50.)	
			Man.		
511	- " "	- Marguerite Stevens	- " "	- \$850 - \$85 -	Memo to Minister dated Nov. 20, 1934. F. 136-2-1.
✓ 527	- Nelson House	- Irene Bell	- Wabowden,	- \$950 - \$95 -	
	U.C.		Man.		
					Memo to Minister dated Dec. 28, 1934. F. 128-11-1.
✓ 612	- Little Pines	- A.L. Cunningham	- Paynton, Sask.	- \$900 - \$90 -	
612	- " "	- Margaret Armitage	- " "	- \$600 - \$60 -	Memo to Minister dated Dec. 26, 1934 - 105-2-1.
✓ 828	- Massett	- Phyllis M. Kent	- Massett, B.C.	- \$1000 - \$100 -	
828	- "	- Eileen Gibson	- " "	- \$900 - \$90 -	Memo to Minister dated Nov. 28, 1934 - File 157-2-1.

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September 8, 1936.

MEMO FOR FILE:-

Miss C. O'Driscoll transferred
from Garden River R.C. School to senior teacher
at Wikwemikong, from Sept. 1, 1936, at a salary
of \$95 a teaching month. She succeeds Miss J.
Goody.

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19-6-1 (W.T. 1) ✓

Ottawa, 21 September 1946.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

Re: Wikwemikong Indian Day School - No.448

Owing to the large attendance it has been found necessary to appoint a third teacher in the person of Mrs. Clara Trudeau. Her salary is at the rate of \$112.00 a teaching month effective September 16th, 1946.

Mrs. Trudeau is an Indian teaching on her home reserve and is therefore not liable for income tax.

for Deputy Minister.

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19-6-1 (W.T. 1)

Ottawa, 9 October 1946.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

Re: Wikwemikong Indian Day School
No. 448

We have received and accepted the resignation of the teacher Miss Leblanc effective July 1st, 1946. No further payment of salary should be made to her.

Please refer to our memoranda of August 19th and September 21st with reference to the appointment of Mrs. Rita Corbiere and Mrs. Clara Trudeau. It is hoped that their salary cheques have been forwarded.

for Deputy Minister.

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Ottawa, July 7th, 1947.

Memorandum:

CHIEF TREASURY OFFICER

Re: Wikwemikong Indian Day School, No. 448

Miss Louise Gattie, teacher of the above mentioned school has given up duties effective July 1st, 1947 and no further payment of salary should be made to her.

for Deputy Minister.

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Manitowaning School.

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EXAMINED
SCHOOL BRANCH.

THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT OTTAWA 13th February 1885

Sir,

recd

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your report on the Wikwemokongsing Indian School for last month; and in connection therewith I beg to say that you should submit an estimate of the cost of the repairs required for the school-house in the spring. Be good enough also to state the approximate cost of the seats teacher's desk and chair which you state are also required.

Your obedient servant,

Acting Deputy Supt: Genl:
of Indian Affairs

B.W. Ross, Esq:

Indian Supt:

Manitowaning, Ont:

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and same can be made at
Itikwimikoussing at a cost of
about \$4⁰⁰/₁₀₀.

A Chair for use of the Teacher
is also needed which could
be purchased for about 75⁰⁰/₁₀₀.
I would also recommend that
authority be given to purchase
a box stove (for 2 ft. wood) for
this school, together with the
requisite piping, zinc & wires.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your obdt. servant,
R. M. Ross

S. Supt. Sch.

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Sch Indian Officer, Manitowaning,
July 22nd. 1895.

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Referring to Official
Letter under date 13th February
last, I have the honor to submit
statement of approximate cost of
material required to repairs the
Pikemikounging Indian School house
and to build a woodshed in
connection of dimensions (14 x 14) ft.

790 feet Lumber		\$12.00
3 bbls. Lime	@ 75"	2.25
1 keg 3 inch Sails	@ 1 ²⁵	4.00
15 days Labor	@ 1 ²⁵	18.75
Total		\$37.00

The Teacher's Desk required is such
as is supplied by Messrs.
A. Skill & Son of Chateworth, Ont.
for the price of \$7⁰⁰ and ^{the same} seats
for pupils can be purchased
from same firm at \$3⁵⁰ each.
A corner Cupboard for care
of school material is also necessary

The Deputy Supt General
of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Repairs \$ 37.00
Teacher's desk 7.00
10 seats 35.00
Cupboard 4.00
Teacher's chair .75
\$83.75

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SCHOOL BRANCH

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THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT
TO THE SVP RELLEY SHEL

OTTAWA 26th July, 1895

EXAMINED
SCHOOL BRANCH

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 22nd instant submitting an estimate of the cost of repairs to the school-house and a new wood-shed for the Wikwemikongsing Indian School; and in reply I beg to say that this work may be done, but the cost is not to exceed that stated by you, namely \$37.

The teacher's desk and chair and the pupils seats may also be purchased but are not to exceed in cost the price given by you. A corner cupboard for the care of school material, etc. may be made at a cost of \$4.

With reference to the stove which you state is required, the Department would like to be informed as to the reasons for discarding the one ~~now~~ ^{at} present ~~now~~ in use, and whether, if out of repair, it could not be fixed at Wikwemikong.

Your obedient servant,

(sgd) D. C. Scott

Acting

Deputy Supt: Genl:

of Indian Affairs.

B. W. Ross, Esq:

Indian Supt:

Manitowaning, Ont:

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Indian Office, Sault Ste. Marie,
11th September 1895.



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Sir:-

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of Official Letter of date 26th July last, and with reference to the stove in use in the Itikewinkongsing Indian School would respectfully state that a new stove to cost about \$6⁵⁰/₁₀₀, should be supplied this school, as the present one is badly cracked on the sides and bottom, and consequently discharges ashes freely when heating the building.

It would cost, to repair the stove, almost as much as the price of a new, suitable one.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedt. servant,

J. M. Ross
J. M. Ross

The Deputy Supt. General
of Indian Affairs,
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No. of Acct.

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

165879

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To *M. J. Gill & Son.*

DATE			AMOUNT.	
1895				
Aug.	17	For Furniture supplied to the Kikewinikong Indian School.		
		2 No. 1 Superior School Desks @ 3 ⁵⁰	7	00
		4 " 2 " " " "	14	00
		4 " 3 " " " "	14	00
		1 Teachers' Desk	7	00

(By Authy. Off. Lk. 15-2019⁵ of date 26th July 1895.)

Indian Office, Chaminowaning,
11th Sept. 1895.

Ch sent
25 Sept '95
42 00
25/9/95

42 00

I hereby certify that the articles have been received, the services performed, and that the prices are fair and just

B. W. Ross
V. Supt.

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Statement.

Chateworth, Aug. 17th 1895. ¹⁶²⁵⁰/₁₅₆₄₁
 John R. Ross, Indian Officer 165879
 In Account with
 A. J. Gill & Son.

Aug. 17	To 2 Ind. Superior School Books	7 00
" 14	" 2 " "	14 00
" 4	" 3 " "	14 00
" 1	Teachers Desk	7 00
		<u>42 00</u>

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Memorandum

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, 16 Sep 1895

To _____

1st. Mr 165879 165879 Any band funds.
2. Mr 165878 ~~165878~~ Has the band funds for this

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EXAMINED
SCHOOL BRANCH

THIS LETTER HAS BEEN ~~SENT~~ OTTAWA 28th September 1895

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Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th instant with reference to the stove at the Wikwemikongsing Indian School; and in reply I beg to say that a new stove to cost about \$6:50 may be purchased to replace the one at present in use.

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Your obedient servant

Deputy Supt:Genl:
of Indian Affairs.

B.W.Ross, Esq:

Indian Supt:

Manitowaning, Ont:

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No. of Acct.

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs

To *Chief Sek. Begoniasang,*

DATE.		AMOUNT.	
1895			
Oct. 14-	For Material supplied and Labor performed, repairs etc. Nipewitkonging School.	✓	37 00
(By Atty. Off. Letter No. 152.019, of date 26th July 1895-)			
128 148 34 00 4-11-95 Indian Officer, Manitowaning, November 1st 1895.			
		✓	37 00

I hereby certify that the articles have been received, the services performed, and that the prices are fair and just.

R. M. Ross
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Wikwemikongsing Oct 15th 1895

Peter Begoniiasang (Chief at Wikwemikongsing)

in account with Department of Indian
Affairs in connection with the Wikwemikongsing
School.

\$ 490 feet lumber	\$12.00
3 barrels lime at 45 cts	✓ 2.25
1 keg 3 inch nails	4.00
15 days labor at \$1.25	✓ 18.75
	✓ 37.00

I certify to the correctness of statement Wm. A. H. H.

Mary Sagima (Teacher)

Chief Peter Begoniiasang

128 148 \$57.00
sayR. H. H.
Wm. A. H. H.

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Interest at the rate of 1 per cent. per month charged on overdue accounts.

40	boards for Bushawa School				
"	13 pipes				
"	roof cap ³⁰ 2 elbows ⁴⁰				
				\$ 1.30	
				75-	
					\$ 2.05

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

To Cowald Hindle

DATE.		AMOUNT.	
1895-			
Nov.	6	For Stove and fixtures supplied Itikwimikong Indian School House.	
		1 Box Stove	6 50
		15 lengths piping @ 10 ⁰⁰	1 50
		2 Elbows @ 20 ⁰⁰	40
		Zinc	65-
		Becks	05-
		Tin for Ceiling	20
		1 Roof Cap	35
		1 Damper	25
(By Authy. Offl. Ltr. No. 152,019 th dated 28 th Sept 1895)			
13/11/95 UK. OFFICE			
Indian Officer, Itikwimikong, 96th November 1895-			
15 1349 99 12.11.95 pay 12.11.95 12.11.95			
		9 90	

I hereby certify that the articles have been received, the services performed, and that the prices are fair and just.

P. H. Rose
Agent.

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Manitowaning, Ont., 15-2-019
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Bought of

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...DEALER IN...

Hardware, Stoves, Tinware, Agricultural Implements, &c.

Interest at the rate of 1 per cent. per month charged on overdue accounts.

Go goods for Mchwikmikongling School

" 1 Box Stove

" 15 pipes 15⁰⁰ 2 elbows 4⁰⁰

" zinc 6⁰⁰ tacks 5⁰⁰

" Tin for ceiling 2⁰⁰

" Roof cap 3⁰⁰ damper 2⁰⁰

\$6.50

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✓
H. H. H.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs

To Robert V. Locke

DATE.		AMOUNT.
1895		
Nov. 18	For Sundries furnished to the Nikewinikonging Indus. School. 1 Book Case or Corner Cupboard 1 Chair	3 00 75
(By Authy. Offl. Lk. No. 152019 st of date 26 th Feb/95)		
OK. SENT 31/12/95 Indian Officer, Manitowaning, 14th December, 1895.		
128 226 30-12-95		3 75

I hereby certify that the articles have been received, the services performed, and that the prices are fair and just.

B. H. Ross, Agent
Sept. 1st / 1872

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Nov. 18 4890.
Statement.
Mr. B. W. Ross.
Nov. 16 Ys. / Book-case 3.00
" " / Chair 75
\$3.75
R. Stocks.

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Nikwemikonging Sept 24th
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Mr B. H. Ross Esq.

Manitowaning

Dear Sir

The following repairs
need to be made to the Nikwemikong-
ing school-house:

The foundations should be banked
up with earth to keep the cold
out; a small cellar should be
dug, there being no place to keep
anything. Teacher's room needs to
be boarded over and some laces
put around the walls - base or
wash boards as they are called, the
water leaks through the roof
around the stove-pipes, the house
needs white-washing inside and
outside and the ceiling and other

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Estimate -

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130 ft. engroved lumber \$4.00 per m - \$2.10	\$	2	10
8 boards for base-planned - 75¢			75-
40 ft. for closet doors			40
2 locks @ 40¢, 3 pair strap hinges 15¢ 45-		1	25-
Window glass 75¢ putty 25¢ 3 latches 15¢ 45-		1	45-
Nails \$1.00, 1 H. lime \$1.00 1 sash 75¢		2	75-
1 white-wash brush 40¢			40
paint and oil \$5.00		5	00
2 galvanized iron roof covers around store pipes 60¢		1	20
labor			
3 days 1 man & team @ \$2.50		7	50
cellar to be done by the job		6	00
11 days labor for 1 man @ \$1.25		13	75-
		42	55-

I certify that the above is a true statement of the
repairs needed on the Kikwemikong school house
& of the materials required & price for said repairs
Adèle de Lamorandière Teacher.

Chief Peter Begoneiasang

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wood-work needs painting, a double window is needed for the teachers room as it is altogether too cold in winter. The doors of the closets are gone and the locks and latches on the school-house are broken. Enclose list of materials needed with an estimate of cost of same and also estimate for labor

Yours respectfully
Adele de Lamondiere
Teacher.

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have the honor to ask if
the estimated expenditure of
\$42.50, may be incurred.

I have the honor to be,

Sr.

Your obedient servant,

Wm. G. Lonsdale,
in absence of Lupton

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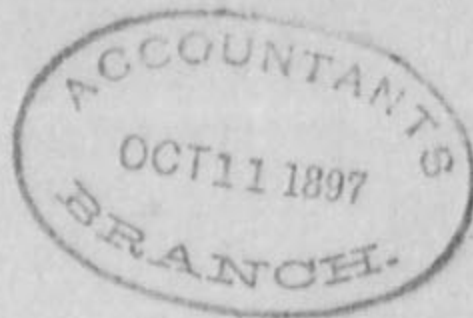
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Indian Office, *Leamington*,
4th. October, 1897.

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Sir:-

I have the honor
to enclose herewith, a detailed
estimate of cost of the repairs
necessary to the Wikwemikonging
Indian School house, together
with a joint communication from
the teacher Adèle de Lamorandière
and Chief Saper Beponiasang,
explanatory of the requirements.
In reporting the matter to the
Department I would respectfully
state that the teacher has verbally
urged the necessity of said
repairs, and in the absence from
home of Mr. Superintendent Ross,

have

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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~~Exd~~

Ottawa, 1st October, 1897.

Sir,

H. W. Rose
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Referring to your letter of the 4th instant, with enclosure, I beg to inform you that an expenditure not to exceed \$42.55, is hereby authorized for putting the Wikwemikonging Indian School house in thorough repair.

Accounts for the material purchased and work done shall be rendered in duplicate and in detail and forwarded to the Department in the usual way for payment.

Your obedient servant,

A. N. McNEILL

Assistant Secretary.

H. W. Rose, Esqr.,

Indian Supt.,

Manitowaning, Ont.

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To John Wagoner

DATE		AMOUNT.	
1898			
Jan.	9	For material and Labor furnished for repairs to the Whitewitching School house:-	
		150 ft. grooved Lumber @ 14 ⁰⁰ ft. m.	2 10
		16 Base Boards, 40 ft. Boards for Closets	1 15
		2 Locks, 3 for Hinges, 3 Latches	1 70
		1 in low glass, Putty	1 00
		2ails, 1 bbl. Lime, 1 Whitewash Brush	2 40
		Paint Oil, 1 Storm Sash	5 75
		2 gal. iron Roofing, around Stove Pipe & 60"	1 20
		3 days Labor, Ream & Ram @ 2 ⁵⁰ per day	7 50
		Making a Small Cellar (job)	16 00
		11 days Labor on Building @ 1 ³⁵	13 75
		(See Voucher attached)	
Indian Office, Nanitowaning,			
15 th Jan., 1898.			
		42	55

I hereby certify that the articles have been received, the services performed, and that the prices are fair and just.

B. W. Rues
Supt. Agent.

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Pikwemikongeing Jan 9th / 98

The Dept of Indian Affairs

re. Pikwemikongeing school-house re-

pairs in account-with-Peter-Begoniasang

To	150 ft-engrooved lumber \$14 per M.	2	10
"	8 boards for base 75, 40 ft boards for closet-doors 40	1	15-
"	2 locks 40, 80, 3 prs strap hinges 15-45; 3 latches 15-45-	1	70
"	window glass 75-cs, putty 25-	1	00
"	nails \$1.00, 1 bbl lime, \$1.00, 1 white-wash brush 40	2	40
"	paint-oil \$5.00, 1 storm sash 75-cs-	5	75-
"	2 galvanized iron roof covers, around stove-pipes 60	1	20
"	3 days labor, 1 man and team \$2.50 per day	7	50
"	making a small cellar (job)	6	00
"	10-11 days labor @ \$1.25 per day	13	75-
		\$42	55-

I certify that-Peter-Begoniasang has done
the-work as specified in my request re
repairs to school house, and according to
the-above statement-

Adèle de Lamorandière
Teacher.

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Indian Officer, Neinitowaning,
15th January, 1898.

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Sir:-

Referring to Official
Letter of date 12th October,
last, I have the honor to
enclose herewith an Account
amounting to \$42.55, in favor
of Peter Segoniassang, being for
material and labor furnished for
repairs and improvements in
connection with the Pitewmikonjing
Indian School house.

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I have the honor to be,

Sir,

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Your obedient servant,
R. M. Rice
C. L. P. S. A.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs

To *D. H. Ross* 201579

DATE.			AMOUNT.
1898			
Aug.	29	Paid J. C. Irving & Co. for Sundries for Hikewinikongsing School- house, - 1 Lock on School house door 50 1 Brogue School-room 25	
		(See Voucher attached.)	
		<i>Indian Affairs, Manitowaning.</i> <i>30th Aug. 1898.</i>	
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I hereby certify that the articles have been received, the services performed, and that the prices are fair and just.

D. H. Ross
Agent.
per C. J.

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Manitowaning, Ont., Aug 29th 1898

Mr B. W. Ross

For South Bay School

Bought of J. C. Irving & Co.,

DEALERS IN

STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, BOOTS and SHOES, HATS and CAPS, GENTS' FURNISHINGS

CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE, Etc., Etc.

For Lickamitongasing School house
To 1 lock for School house Door
" 1 Brodie's School Room.

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Paid

J. C. Irving & Co.

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rect- Indian Affairs, Manitowaning,
30th Aug. 1898.



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I have the honor to
enclose herewith an account
amounting to \$3-¹/₂ in my favor,
being for supplies purchased for
use of Itikwimikonging School.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

B. H. Ross,

Supt.
per C. D.

Manitowaning P.O.

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Wiwamikongsing Oct 29th/98

B. W. Ross J. A.
Manitowaning

Sir:-

I hereby authorize the works
and repairs to be done for the
Wiwamikongsing school

All charges to be paid from
the funds of the band

yours truly

Chief John Raboni

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Wekwemikongsing Oct 29th/98

B. W. Ross I. A.
Mamitowaning.

Sir:-

The following repairs and works
require to be done for the Wewemikongsing school.

- 1 the floor of shed and foundation
needs repairing.
- 2 the school house to be whitewashed
inside and outside
- 3 the foundation of school house
to be banked up.
- 4 A wooden gutter to be put around
the eaves, as the banking is always
washed away by the water falling
off the roof in rainy weather.

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- 5 the desks to be screwed to the floor
- 6 the stove to be removed to the middle of school-room.
- 7 Closets to be cleaned.

Materials for these repairs

150 ft of lumber	\$1.50
5-lbs nails	25¢
4 dozen screws	50¢

2 barrels of lime

2.00

Length of time to do the work \$4.25¢

10 days @ \$1.50 a day

15.00
\$19.25¢

yours truly
Elizabeth S. Assance
Teacher.

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Manitowaning
29th Oct., 1898.



15-6th

Sir :-

I have the honor to enclose
herewith a statement received from the
teacher of the Itikewinikongasing Indian
School, and used by the Chief of the Band,
specifying nature of repairs required to be
made in connection with the school house
as well as approximate cost thereof -
amounting to \$19.25, before this winter
sets in, which improvements I would
respectfully recommend to be authorized.



I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

B. W. Ross
Lieut.

Manitowaning P.O.

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Exd.

Ottawa, 7th November, 1898.

Sir :

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 156--7, of the 29th ultimo, enclosing a statement from the teacher of the Wikwemikongsing School, of repairs and other work required to be done to the schoolhouse, also a letter from the chief of the Wikwemikongsing Band authorizing payment from the funds of the Band.

In reply I beg to say that the repairs and work mentioned may be done at the cost stated, namely, \$19.25/

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEAN

Secretary.

B. W. Ross, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Manitowaning,
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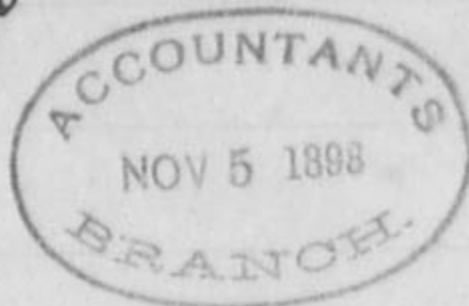
~~Accepted.~~

I suppose there are
funds for repairs to school authorized
by Chief of Miksemikongang Band.

H.C. Ross

4 Nov. 98.

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No. of Acct. 2077

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs

To Chas. S. Assance

211087

DATE.

Wahumikongsing June 19th/1899

AMOUNT.

above work nine days @ \$1.40 per day
and therefore is entitled to \$13.50
for all his work. Besides his work
he furnished 150 feet of lumber \$1.50
and three quarters of a barrel of lime
65 cents. Therefore his whole bill
comes to \$15.65. Kindly pay him
this amount and oblige

yours truly

Mrs Chas S. Assance
Teacher

I hereby certify to the truth of the
above statement

Signed

Chief John Habone

15-65

615

\$15 65

I hereby certify that the articles have been received, the services performed, and that the prices are fair and just.

C. L. D. Smith
Agent.

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DATE.

AMOUNT.

C. L. D. Nemo, S. H.

Manitowaning Out.

Dear Sir:-

I hereby certify that Charles
S. Assance has done the following work
on the school.

- 1st School-house white-washed inside and
outside and plaster repaired in spots
- 2nd Floor of shed and stairway repaired
- 3rd Desks screwed to the floor
- 4th Stove removed to the middle of school
room
- 5th Galvanized iron roof cover adjusted
to the roof
- 6th Wooden gutter put around the eaves
on one side of the school-house
- 7th Foundation of shed repaired.
- 8th Drawing of lumber and sand with
a team.

I moreover certify that Charles
S. Assance was employed at the

I hereby certify that the articles have been received, the services performed, and that the prices are fair and just.

C. L. D. Nemo
Agent.

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Issued

AMOUNT.

DATE.

1899
June

19

For repairs to Wharfedale School

15 65

615

[Signature]

\$15 65

I hereby certify that the articles have been received, the services performed, and that the prices are fair and just.

C. L. D. Smith
Agent.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, June 21st 1899

Acct

Sir,

Referring to Official Letter dated 7th November last, authorizing an expenditure of \$19.25 in repairs to the Wikwemikongsing School.



I have the honor to enclose herewith an account amounting to \$15.65 in favor of Charles S'Assance for making the necessary repairs.

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For
Jas. Macet
615
Sent 26 June

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant

C. D. D. L.

Agent

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.

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Ottawa 23rd June '99

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OTTAWA, 30th June, 1899

Sir,

I have to inform you that Mr Separate School Inspector Prendergast, in his report on the Wikwemikongsing school states that the blackboard is almost useless, and the Department would like you to have a proper board made and placed in readiness for work at the opening of the school after the summer holidays.

Your obedient servant,

S. STEWART

Asst. Secretary

C.L.D. Sims, Esq.

Indian Agent,

Manitowaning, Ont.

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Wikwemikongsing 213828
Sept 4th /99

C. L. D. Sims Esq
Indian Agent
Mauitowaning

Sir

The Wikwemikongsing band wishes the school was clab boarded, because its no use white washing it every year because its always washed away by the rain and the water goes right through between the logs where its plastered, and they wish it was plastered inside because it cant get warm in the winter, and the children is so cold in the school and some get sick because its so cold in the school. And there is another thing that they wish is to have one or two chimneys in the school because we are always afraid the school might catch on fire, because the school was burnt once before. And we were talking about that one day & that what they said to have it finished real good because its no use fixing it all the time its just waisting money. And so it would not have to be fixed again because there is such a bother fixing it all the time

Chief John Kaboni
Wikwemikongsing

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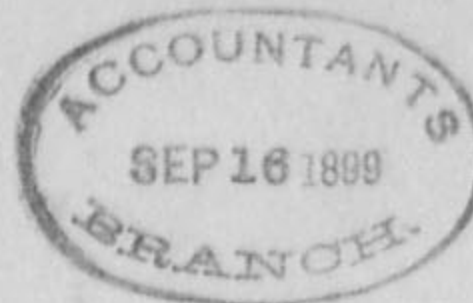
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Indian Office, M^onitowaning, September 12th 1899



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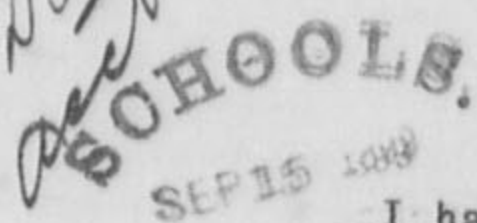
Sir,

I have the honor to enclose herewith a request from the Wikwemikongsing band for repairs to their School.

If the Department has funds available for this purpose, I would most respectfully recommend that the request be granted in so far as clab boarding the the outside of the school is concerned and the building of a substantial brick or stone chimney on the school.

This work could be done I presume for the sum of \$75.00 and which amount I recommend be granted for the purpose, provided funds are available.

*Acct
Are there funds?
All well
funds available (approx 99-1900)
Acct
Jed*



I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant

C. L. D. Sims
Agent.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.

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OTTAWA, 19th September, 1899

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 12th instant enclosing a communication from the Chief of the Wilwemikongsing Band, in which he asks that certain necessary repairs be done to their school building; and in reply I beg to say that you may have the school house re-boarded on the outside and a substantial chimney built, the cost of the whole work not to exceed your estimate of \$75.00.

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Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Secretary

C. L. D. Sims, Esq:

Indian Agent,

Manitowaning, Ont.

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No. of Acct.

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To *Chas Stewart*

DATE.

AMOUNT.

TERMS CASH

Honora, October 1st 1899

Mr. C. L. D. Smith Indian Agent

Mauitowaning

For repairs to Weewmickonging School

IN ACCOUNT
WITH...

CHAS. STEWART

DEALER IN

Dressed and Undressed Lumber of all Kinds, Sash, Doors, Lath and Shingles. Custom Sawing
a Specialty. Frames, Mouldings, and Pickets Made to Order.

To 1900ft 5 joint

150 28 00

" 64 - 1 + 6 pld

" 96

" 128 - 1 + 6 pld

1 1/2 19 1/2

Freight

2 00

\$ 33 88

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed, and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

C. L. D. Smith
Agent.

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For material supplied for
repairs to Miswimunging
School as per attached
Voucher

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed, and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

C. A. D. Lewis
Agent.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, 25th October 1899



Sir,

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account amounting to \$33.88 in favor of Charles Stewart of Honora for material supplied for repairs to the Wikwemikongsing School.

An expenditure of \$75.00 for this purpose was authorized by Official letter dated 19th Sept.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant.

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

[Handwritten signature]

Agent.

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No. of Acct. 211

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

215462

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To

C. L. D. Sims

DATE.

AMOUNT.

STATEMENT

October 16 1899

Duplicate

C. L. D. Sims.

Indian Land Agent,

In A/c with C. Hinds.

TERMS

Mantowaning

Sept 30.	12. Rifles	150 ✓
"	Paw for water.	25 ✓
"	6 Bars Soap.	30 ✓
"	Scrub Brush.	25 ✓
"	Broom	35 ✓
"	Chash Basin.	40 ✓
"	2 yds Tawelling	20 ✓
"	CEAS Looking Glass	35 ✓
"	Pail	35 ✓
"	cup.	5 ✓
		\$14.00

For. (Kewinikongung)
SchoolReceived payment
Hinds

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C. L. D. Sims
Agent.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, 27th October 1899

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Sir,

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account for \$4.00 in my favor for supplies purchased for the Wikwemikongsing School. The expenditure was authorized by Official Letter dated 13th September/99.

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Raymond
sent
act
9 Nov

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa

O. A. D. Smith

Agent.

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Department of Indian Affairs.

Ottawa,

Oct 31st

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To

C. L. D. Lewis

POOR
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Agent.

No. *Manitowaning*
Nov 13 1899
Received from *C. L. W. Lewis*
Eg *Re Lumber, Oct 2. for Manitowaning*
ling School *50 Dollars.*
for telephones to Stewart. Arner.
\$50.00 *21811 H. & N. S. Tr. Co.*
per J. J. Zuck
Agent

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ONE PER CENT. PER MONTH INTEREST CHARGED
ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS AND NOTES.

• • MANITOULIN ISLAND, • •

Manitowaning, Oct. 17 1899

Mr. C. L. D. Sims for W. K. Weenikongasing school.

In a/c with

A. NEILSON

-- DEALER IN --

DRY-GOODS, GROCERIES, BOOTS, SHOES,

— HARDWARE, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, ETC. —

40 lbs Nails
250 Brick

160
310

4.70

Recd. Payment.
218/10/10
A. Neilson

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Manitowaning Oct 28th 1899
Received from C. L. O. Lewis the Sum of Five
+ 50⁰⁰ Dollars for five days Labor @ 1⁰⁰ per day
repairing Wiskiwisungasing School,
Raphael Kaboni

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Maitowanning Oct 28 1899
Received from C. L. D. Sims The Sum of
Five Dollars for five days Labor @ 1⁰⁰ per
day repairing Mkwimistonguing School
John Abagosigon

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Manitowaning Oct 28 1899
Received from C. L. D. Sims the sum
of Five ⁴⁸/₁₀₀ Dollars for building
Chimney on Inkwormistongueing School
Jones Odjig

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Neauitowaning Oct 28th 1899
Received from C. L. D. Sims the Sum of Five
\$5⁰⁰ Dollars for five days labor @ 1⁰⁰ per day
repairing Witwimikongeing School.

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Peter John

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Mauntauwing Oct 28 1899
Received from C. L. O. Sims the sum
of Four Dollars for drawing two
loads lumber from Mauntauwing
to Inkormidongcing
Alex O. Samik

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Manitowaning Oct 28 1899

Received from C. L. D. Sims the Sum of
Three Dollars for Lumber used in
repairing Mishumitongsing School.

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A. C. Samick

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Naauitowaning Oct 28 1899
Received from C. L. & Sons the sum
of Two Dollars for Lame to build
Chimney on Mkwemikongsing School

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Chief John Kaboni

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Maanitowaning Oct 28 1899
Received from C. C. D. Sims the sum
of Six Dollars for drawing three
Leads Lumber and Bricks from
Maanitowaning to Wihwimilongsing.

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Chief John Kaboni

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Mauntauwaming Oct 28 / 1899
Received from C. L. D. Linn The sum of Five
\$5.00 Dollars for five days Labor @ 1.00 per day
repairing Widdowhamsongasing School

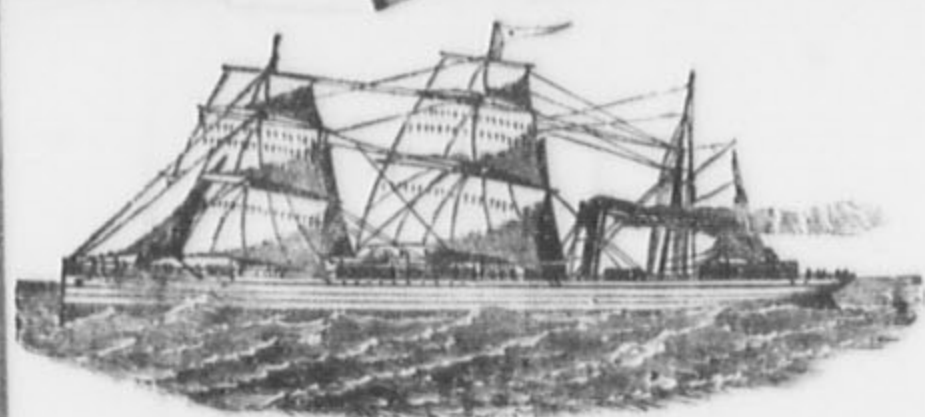
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Manitowaning, Oct 28 1899

Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa
Manitowaning

With

J. T. Burn's Warehouse

To Freight and Charges on the Undermentioned Goods

All Charges Payable upon Delivery of Goods

	WEIGHT	BR. CHGS.	STR. CHGS.	WHARFAGE	TOTAL
1899 Oct-28 1900ft Dressed Lumber				25	25
21611 OCT 28 PAID J. T. Burn					

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, 14th November 1899

Sir, I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in my favor amounting to \$46.25 being for expenditure in making repairs to the Wikwemikongsing School. I exceedingly regret that the expenditure has exceeded my estimate of \$75.00 but I can assure you that the same was unavoidable owing to the sharp advance in Lumber which fact I did not take into consideration when making the estimate. The expenditure was authorized up to \$75.00 by Official Letter dated 19th September. Trusting you will overlook the small excess in expenditure which I again assure was unavoidable under the circumstances

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Secret
I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa

C. D. T.
Agent

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

No. of Acct.

216265

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To *C. L. D. Lins*

DATE

NT.

Application *Manitoway Oct 12 1899*

Received from C. L. D. Lins

Five *100* *Dollars.*

for one Blackboard for Mikwemunging School

\$5-00 *R. Strick* *216265*

1899
Oct

12

Blackboard for Mikwemunging
-sing Indian School

5 00

196

for

4 5 00

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed, and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

C. L. D. Lins
Agent.

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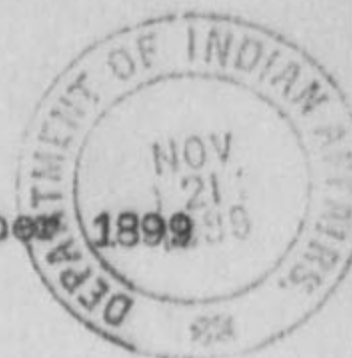
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Indian Office, Manitowaning, 19th November 1899



Sir,

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account for \$5.00 in my favor being for one Blackboard for the Wikwemikongsing School.

The above was authorized by Official Letter dated 30th June 1899.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant.

C. D. D. [Signature]
Agent.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

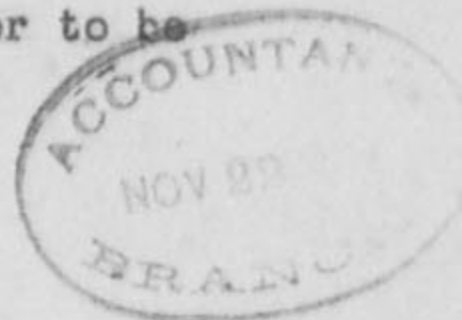
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Pay [Signature]
for [Signature]
Secret 23 Nov*



No. of Acct.

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

228523

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To *H. McLaughlin*

DATE.

AMOUNT.

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STATEMENT.

Oct 17

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*McDep't of Indian Affairs
for Mikamung School
In A/c with H. McLaughlin*

TERMS

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Bau tooring*

<i>1 Broom</i>	<i>35-</i>	
<i>6 Bars Soap</i>	<i>20</i>	
<i>2 yds Sewing</i>	<i>30</i>	
<i>1 Indurated Oil</i>	<i>45-</i>	
		<i>1 40</i>

227

for

\$ 1 40

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed, and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

C. D. D. Davis
Agent.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, 27th November 1900

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OTTAWA

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Sir,

Referring to Official Letter dated 12th
Ultimo, authorizing the purchase of certain
articles for the Wikwemikongsing School.

I have the honor to enclose herewith an
account amounting to \$1.40 in favor of Mr H.
McLaughlin, which Gentleman furnished the said
Articles to the School.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.

Agent

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Ans
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Sent
17 Dec

[Signature]

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No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To

Alex Neilson

234672

DATE.		AMOUNT.
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Manitowaning, Ont., May 22. 1901
M. C. D. Sims for Weikwemikongung school

In acct. with

ALEX. NEILSON,

DEALER IN

DRY-GOODS, GROCERIES, BOOTS AND SHOES, HARDWARE,
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, ETC., ETC.

Interest at the rate of ten per cent. per annum charged on all accounts after rendered.

1	Broom	35
6	Bars Soap	30
2	yds Towling	30
1	frail	45
		140

[Signature]

\$ 1 40

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C. L. D. Sims
Agent.

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D.K.H.



152019-----4 Indian Office, Manitowaning, 30th May 1901.

156---9 Sir,

Referring to Official Letter dated 29th
Ultimo, authorizing the purchase of certain
articles for the Wikwemikongsing School.

I have the honor to enclose herewith an
account amounting to \$1.40 in favor of Alex
Neilson who furnished the same.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.



Agent

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No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To *John Pokisigan*

DATE.			AMOUNT.
1901			
Sep	3	For plastering, whitewashing, scrubbing & cleaning the School house at McRurmit ongsing	238752
		<i>Jms</i>	4 75-
			10
			4 4 75-

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

O. L. W. Lewis
Agent.

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Indian Office/Manitowaning, 20th September 1901

156---9

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account amounting to \$4.75 in favor of Chief John Pokisigan, for scrubbing, whitewashing plastering and cleaning the Wikwemikongsing Indian School.

I may say that the outlay was urgently needed and was authorized by me.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant

Agent.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.

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238752



Indian Office/Manitowaning, 20th September 1901

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I may say that the outlay was urgently needed and was authorized by me.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant

Agent.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

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No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To

John Pakosigan

DATE.

AMOUNT.

Duplicate

Indian Department, in account with
Mr John Pakosigan

To White-washing school house
Two men one days work @ ¹⁵⁰ 3 00
To Scrubbing and Cleaning 1 00
H 4 00

I hereby certify that the above account
is correct and that the work was
satisfactorily done.

Signed Louise Bonnah
Teacher Midwaydangcing
School

Sept 30 1902

1761

H 00

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J. H. A. Line
Agent.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, 29th October 1902-

156---10

Sir,

I have the honor to inclose herewith an account amounting to \$4.00 in favor of John Pakosigan for whitewashing and cleaning the Wikwemikongasing School.

The work was badly needed and was authorized by this Office.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant

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for acct
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Seals & hon
G. A. D. M. S.
Agent

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To *H. McLaughlin & Co*

No. of Account.....

252026

DATE.
1902

AMOUNT.

Oct 15 For supplies for the
Hikwemkongsing Indian
School

2 40

FOLIO.....

Oct 15

1902

No. Hikwemkongsing School

In A/c

with

H. McLaughlin & Co
Manitoway

TERMS.....

Oct	16	To 1 Broom	25
"	"	" 1 Basin	30
"	"	" 12 Soap	60
"	"	" 1 Oil	25
			<u>2.40</u>

2 40

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]

Agent.

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Department of Indian Affairs.

Ottawa, 3rd Nov 1902

253026 x 253027

Sir,

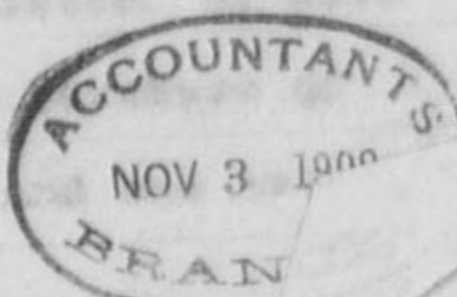
Referring to official letter of the 4th instant, authorizing the purchase of a brown, basin, 18 bars soap for the Wilmotthonging School.

I have the honor to inclose herewith an account amounting to \$2.40 in favor of Messrs H. McLaughlin & Co which firm supplied the articles to the school.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your obedient servant

Agent.

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.



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130
b2H Ottawa

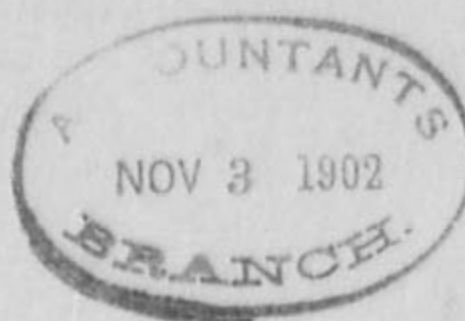
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1902

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, 29th October 1902-

acct

156---10

Sir,

Referring to Official letter of date
4th Instant, authorizing the purchase of
a broom, basin, 12 bars soap and one axe for
the Wikwemikong School.

I have the honor to inclose herewith an
account amounting to \$2.40 in favor of Messrs
H. McLaughlin & Co which firm supplied the
articles to the school.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant

Agent.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.

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Pay acct
for
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No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To *Alex Neilson*

DATE: *3*

AMOUNT.

255872

*Jan 15 For 1 Door Lock and
Knob for Wicewunkongung
Indian School*

75

Manitowaning, Ont., Jan 15 1903

M. C. L. D. Sims

Wicewunkongung School.

In acct. with

ALEX. NEILSON,

DEALER IN

Dry-Goods, Groceries, Boots and Shoes, Hardware, Cooking and Heating Stoves,
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, FURINTURE, ETC., ETC.

Interest at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum charged on all accounts after rendered.

Terms

1 Door Lock & Knob.

75

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

E. L. Sims

Agent.

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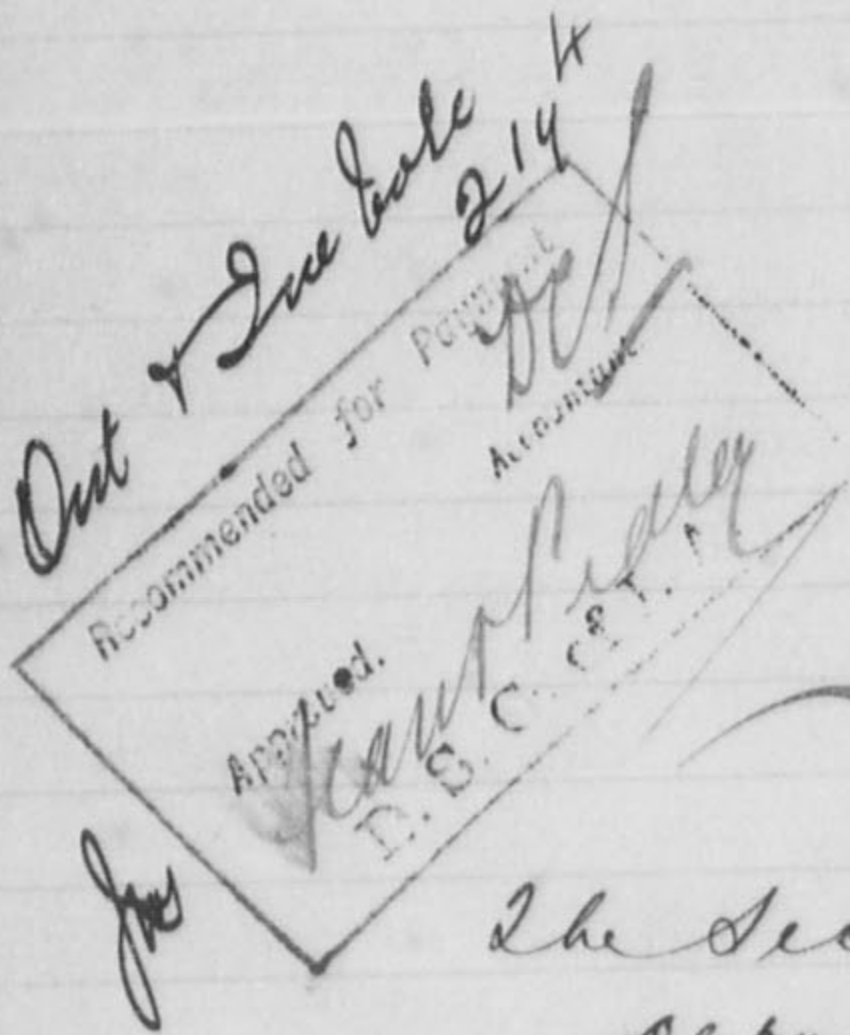
152019-4
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Indian Office Manitowaning
January, 16th 1903

Exd.

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose
herewith an account amounting
to 78 cents in favor of Alex Neilson
for one day's board and keep for the
Kikewemuncing Indian School
the purchase of which was
authorized by official letter of 12th
instant.



I have the honor to be
Sir

Your obedient servant.

C. D. Simms
Agent

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

A 508
Sent 30/1/03

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Manitowaning Agency.
Winona, Minn. School
No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To

256
John Pokisigan

AMOUNT.

DATE.			AMOUNT.
1903			
Sep 30	Whitewashing School		2 00
	Scrubbing School		1 00
		Total	3 00

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

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Canada.

[Signature]
Agent.

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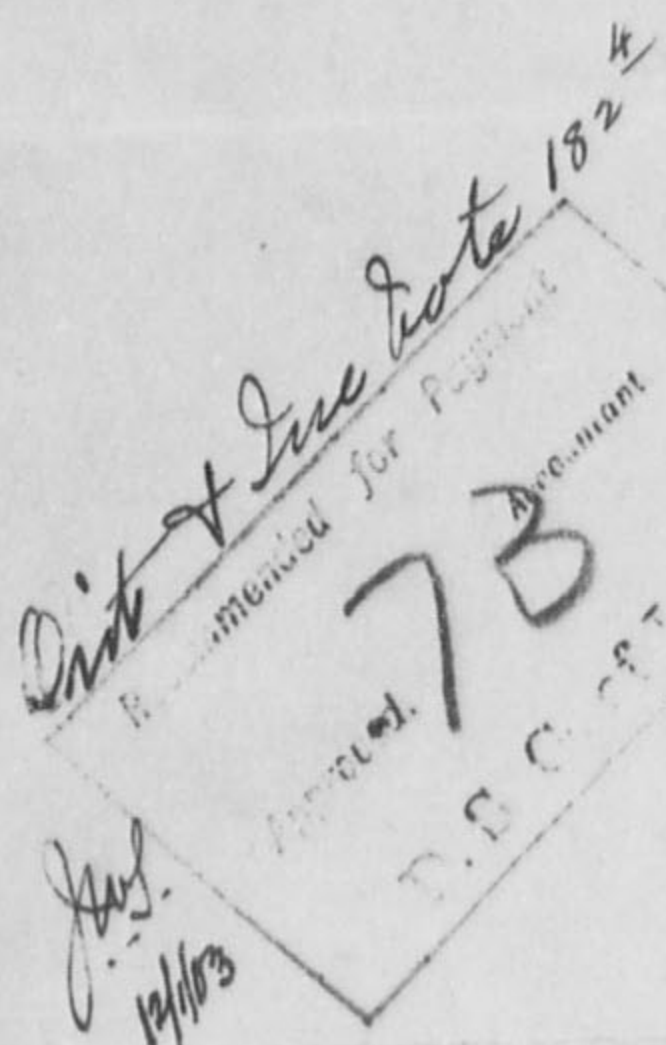
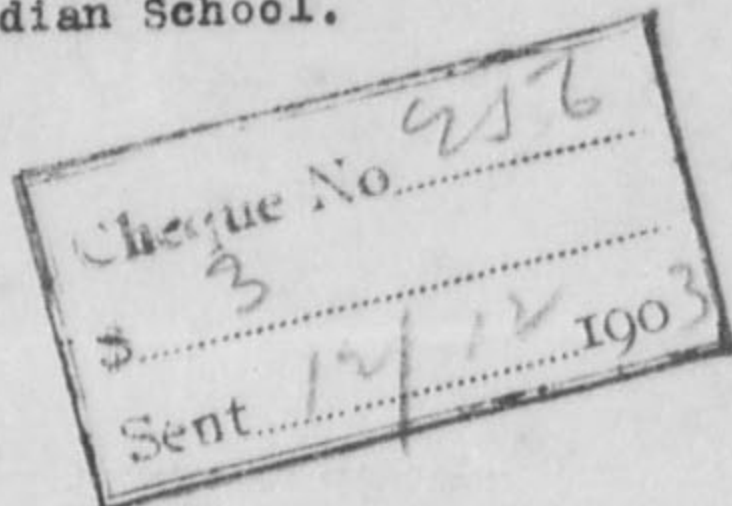
Indian Office, Manitowaning, 27th November/03-

Sir,



Sir,

I have the honor to inclose herewith
an account for \$3.00 in favor of John Pokisigan
for Whitewashing and scrubbing the Wikwemikong-
sing Indian School.



I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant

Agent.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,



Manitowaning, Ont.

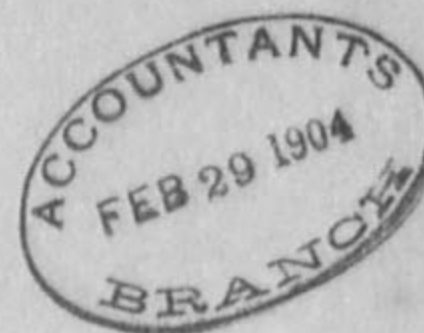
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25th February 1904- 190

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 156---11
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Ref.: Your Letter 15th Ultimo. 190 No. 152019/4

Sir, I have the honor to inclose herewith an account amounting to \$1.70 in favor of Alex Neilson for supplies furnished the Wikwemikong-sing Indian School.



182 4
RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT
APPROVED, 107
D. S. G. of I. A.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant

Cheque No. 570
\$1.70
Sent 5/3 1904

Indian Agent.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Mikwemungasing School
No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To *R. C. Guthrie*

DATE.	AMOUNT.
	269627

Manitowaning, Ont., *Feb. 24th* 1904

Mrs C. L. L. Sims
for Mikwemungasing School

In Account With **R. C. Guthrie,** 269627
Furniture Dealer and Undertaker.

TERMS

Feb 24 10/- blackboard *4 25*

offl Lett #15-2019/4
Jan 15/04

4 25-

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Manitowaning,



269627

7th March 1904 190

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 156---1
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Ref.: Your Letter 15th January 1904 190 No. 152019/4

Sir,

Referring to Official letter dated 15th
January last, authorizing the purchase of
a Blackboard for the Wikwemikongasing
School.

I have the honor to inclose herewith an
account amounting to \$4.25 in favor of R. C.
Guthrie who furnished the blackboard.

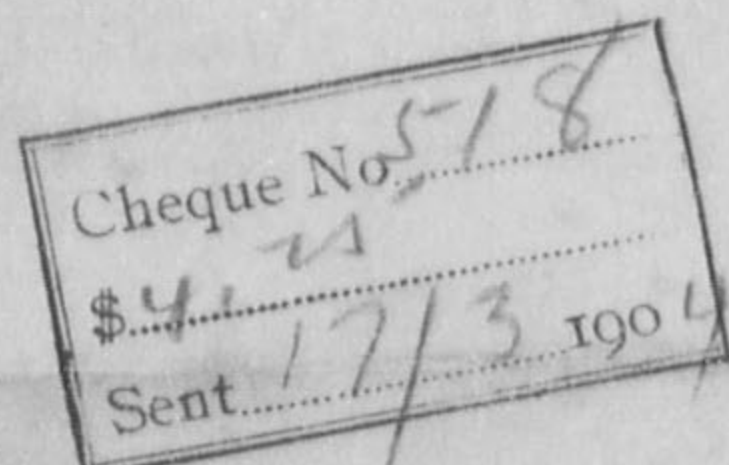
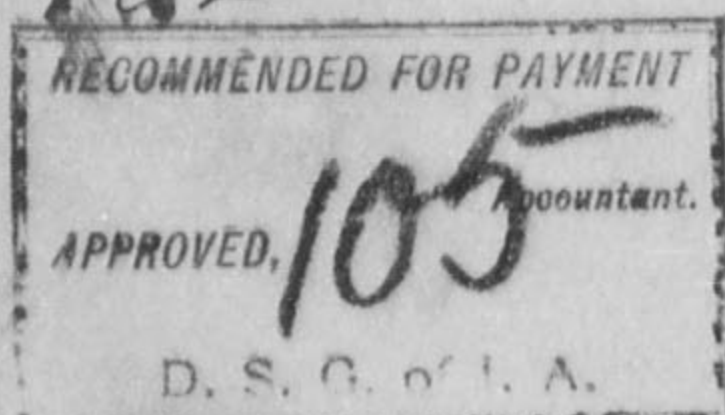


I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant

[Signature]
Indian Agent.



The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.



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EXD.

OTTAWA, 11th November, 1904

Sir,

I have to inform you that Mr ~~Mr~~ Separate School Inspector O'Brien advises the Department that the interior of the Wikwemikongsing school requires to be calsomined and that the closets are in need of repairs. Kindly have these matters attended to without delay.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEAN

Secretary

C. L. D. Sims, Esq.

Indian Agent

Manitowaning, Ont.

*For
Miss
J. D. Molean*

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Manitowaning Agency.
Wickwemikong School
No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

279728

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Alex Neilson

DATE.	AMOUNT.

Manitowaning, Ont., Nov 25 1904

M. C. L. S. Sims

for Wickwemikong School.

In acct. with

ALEX. NEILSON,

DEALER IN

Dry-Goods, Groceries, Boots and Shoes, Hardware, Cooking and Heating Stoves,
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, FURINTURE, ETC., ETC.

Interest at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum charged on all accounts after rendered.

Terms

Sup	rr	1 Fitor Pail ⁵⁰	1 Broom ²⁰	80	
		2 leambr ³⁰ ₇₅	byd. Louling ⁹⁰ ₁₅	120	
					2.00

[Signature]

200

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]

Agent.

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Reference.
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279728

Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ontario.

12th December 1904-

156---11

Sir,

Referring to Official letter of date
8th August last, authorizing the purchase
of certain articles for the use of the
Wikwemikongsing School.

I have the honor to inclose herewith
an account amounting to \$2.00 in favor
of Mr Alex Neilson who supplied the school
with the necessary articles as authorized.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant

School Note 1994
Amended for Payment

Approved
205
S. B. G. P. T. 1

Cheque No 356
\$
Sent 22/12/04

Indian Agent.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.

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No. of Account.

Vote
1994

To.

John Pakosigan

2nd

appl Lett 15-2019 / 4 30th Sept / 04
" " 15-2019 / 3- 17th Feb / 04

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent.

Agent.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Wickwemikonging School
No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To.....

W. J. Tucker

280715

1994

DATE.	AMOUNT.
MANITOWANING, ONT., <i>Dec 28</i> 1904	
<i>C. O. Sims Esq</i>	
<i>For Wickwemikonging School</i>	
Bo't of <i>W. J. Tucker,</i> 280715	
DRUGGIST AND GENERAL MERCHANT.	
<i>2 qt. Tins Paint</i>	<i>1 00</i>
<i>1 tin Varnish Stain</i>	<i>50</i>
<i>1 White Wash Brush</i>	<i>50</i>
	<i>2 00</i>

152019/4 30th Sept/04
152019/5 11th Nov/04

W. J. Tucker

2 00 v

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

W. J. Tucker
Agent.

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12
Reference
No 152 019/4
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152019-5
Ex'd 280715



Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ontario.

10th January 1905-



156---11

Sir,

Referring to Official letters of date
30th September and 11th November last with reference
to painting and calsomining the school room at
Wikwemikongsing.

I have the honor to inclose herewith an account
amounting to \$8.75 in favor of John Pakosigan who
performed the labor and one for \$2.00 in favor of
W. J. Tucker who supplied the paint and Whitewash
brush.

I have the honor to be

Sir

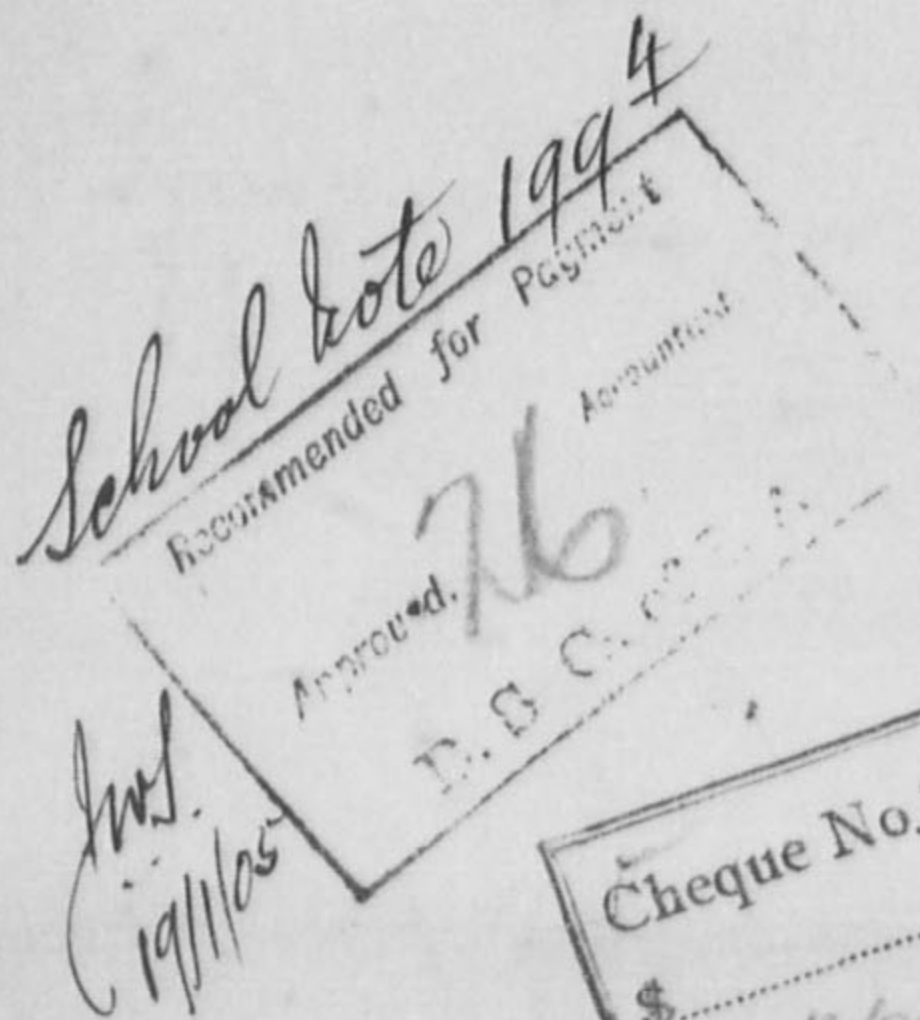
Your obedient servant

Indian Agent.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.



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Manitowaning Agency.
Manitowaning District
Manitowaning School.
No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

285114
To *W. J. Tucker*

DATE	AMOUNT.

My 16th 900.
Department of Indian Affairs
for Wikeemikouping School

In Account with

285114
W. J. TUCKER
MANITOWANING, ONT.

Terms

2 Brooms
12 bars Soap

@rs
@s

50
60
1 10

1 10

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

C. B. Adams

Agent.

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Indian Office, Neulawanning
May 17th 1905.

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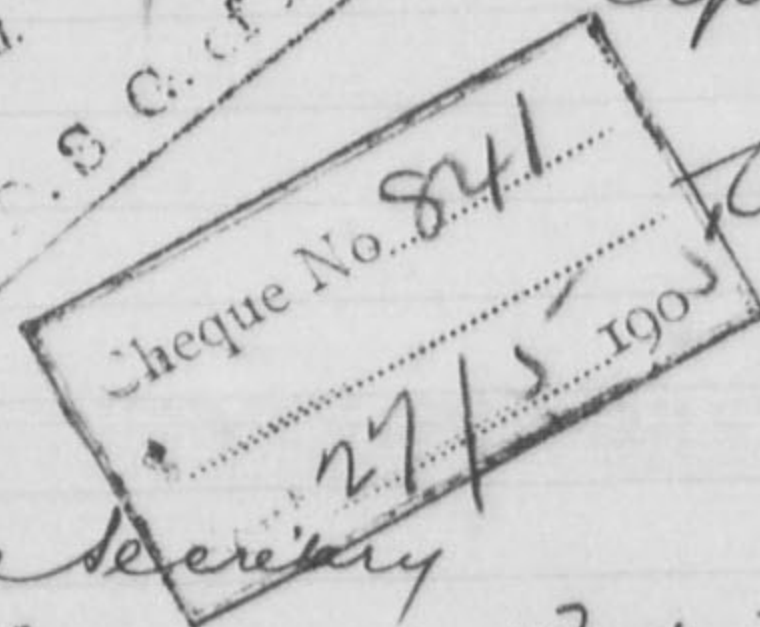


Sir.

Referring to Official letter of
11th inst. authorizing the purchase
of two brooms and one dozen bars
of soap for the Neulawanning
Ind. School.

I have the honor to enclose
herewith an account amounting
to 1¹⁰ in favor of W. J. Tucker, who
supplied the articles.

Balance 10.10



I have the honor to be
Sir

Your obedient servant

C. B. Adams
Ind. Agent

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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Manitowaning Agency.
Wikwemikonsing School
No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To Joseph Ozowamix

DATE		AMOUNT.
1905	For repairing closets at Wikwemikonsing School	285.928

Wikwemikonsing Ont.
June 8th 1905 285.928

The Department of Indian Affairs.
To Joseph Ozowamix Dr.

For repairing & moving closets.
and making a well. pit.

Material. ties 2	@	20-	40
boards 3	@	25-	75-
Hours work 35	@	15	525-
			<u>\$6.40</u>

I hereby certify that the above work has
been satisfactorily done and that the
wages claimed is reasonable.

Rose Fagan

Teacher.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

Manitowaning, Ont.

152019-5



Acet

June 8 1905

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 156"
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Ref.: Your Letter *11th Nov* 1904 No. 152019

Sir,

Above mentioned letter instructed me to have the closets of the *Vikewemikanging* School repaired and I have the honor to enclose herewith an account amounting to *6⁴⁰* in favor of Joseph Ozoamih, who did the repairing and furnished the necessary material



I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant.

C. B. A. L. M.
Superintendent

Note 1994
Recommended for Payment
Approved *261*
D. S. C. P. T. 2.

Cheque No. *880*
16/6 1905

The heretofore
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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Ex'a.

OTTAWA, 28th June, 1905

Sir,

I have to inform you that Mr Inspector Power in his report on the Wikwemikongsing school states that the building requires painting, and the Department would like to be informed as to what the cost of this work would be.

*For L2
C. L. D. Sims*

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEAN

Secretary

C. L. D. Sims, Esq.

Indian Agent,

Manitowaning, Ont:

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Manitowaning Agency.
Wikuemikongsiag School
No. of Account 162

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Wright McLaughlin

DATE	AMOUNT.
1907	

Manitowaning, Ont., 18th September/07 190

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The Department of Indian Affairs

for ^{Living}Wikuemikongsiag Indian School, per order C.L.D. Sims

BOUGHT OF

Wright McLaughlin

317629

GENERAL MERCHANT

And Dealer in all kinds of Farm Produce.

TERMS--Cash or Trade

To 1 Broom

" 2 Yds Towelling at 15 ¢

" 6 Bars Soap at 5 ¢

" 1 piece Flannelate 30 yards at 15 ¢

" 1 Regulation Foot Ball

" 1 Clock

" 4 Window Shades 3 X 6 feet at 60 ¢ each

35

30

30

4 50

4 00

2 00

2 40

\$13. 85

Aug 9th/07

WMS

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

C. L. D. Sims
Agent.

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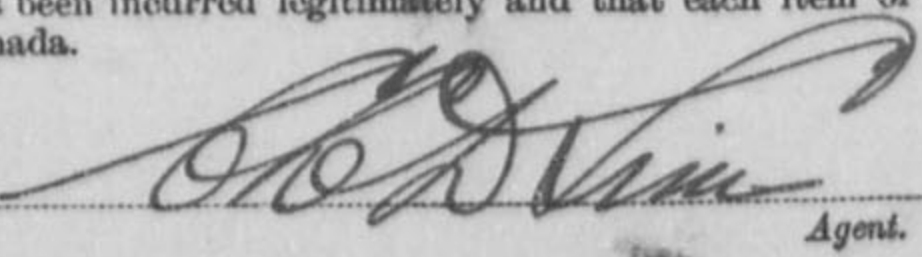
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Agent.

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9th August 1907

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

18th September 1907-



156--11

Sir,

Referring to Official letter of above number and date authorizing the purchase of several articles for the Wikwemikongsing school.

I have the honor to inclose herewith an account in favor of Mr Wright McLaughlin for the sum of \$13.85 being for the said supplies as shown therein.

2
I was unable to procure a cheaper foot ball than the one at \$4. but am of the opinion that it will be the cheaper in the end and Miss Fagan assures me that the possession of a foot ball for the boys is a great inducement for them to attend school regularly.

Your obedient servant

Indian Agent.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.

Ch. Sect. Sept. 26 1907

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Manitowaning Agency.
Wihwemikongsing School
No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To

324436
Hinds



DATE

1908
March 2

Bo't of **O. HINDS**
Dealer in Hardware, Stoves, Tinware and Harness
Cream Separators, Organs and Pianos
Agent for... Massey-Harris Co's Agricultural Implements, Waggon
Sleighs, Fanning Mills, etc.
Manitowaning, Ont. March 2 1908
M Department of Indian Affairs
The Carter-Grime Company, Limited, Toronto, Ont.
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Reference 152019/4
January 20th 1908

Note 2084
A. provided for
Approved
C. L. D. Sims
Ch. Secy March 10th

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C. L. D. Sims.

Agent.

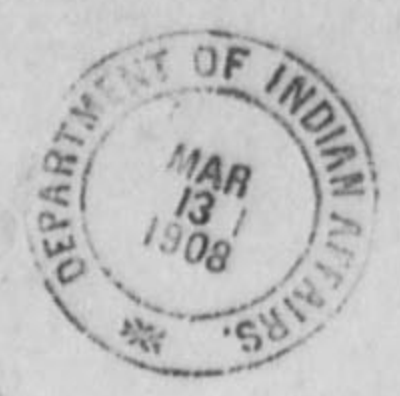
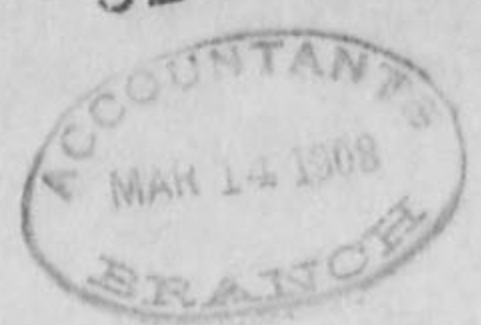
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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
March, 11th, 1908,

379 - 33,

Sir :-

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account amounting to \$ 52.50, in favor of John Pakosigan, for wood supplied the Wikwemikongsing Indian School.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]

Indian Agent,

note no 8 4
recommended for
Approved 976
1123
17/3/08

Ch. sent - March 19th

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,

Ont..

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*Wiwemikongsing School
Manitawaning Agency.*

No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

328549



The Department of Indian Affairs,

To *Wright McLaughlin*

EXQ

DATE.	AMOUNT.
<i>1908 May 22</i>	<i>1.30 ✓</i>
<i>Not Recommended for Pay</i> <i>7/1</i> <i>10/10/08</i>	<i>1.30 ✓</i> <i>Will</i>



152018.5

Ch. sent June 29th

Reference 152019/4 April 23rd 1908

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G. L. D. Sims.

Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND 930

To Wright McLaughlin

AMOUNT.

Oct 7

For Supplies furnished Wikwemikongsing School

Reference No 162019/4

September 22nd 1908-

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

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 Manitowaning Agency.
 Wikwemikongsing School
 No. of Account.....
 INDIAN TRUST FUND.
 337636
 The Department of Indian Affairs,
 To Wright McLaughlin

DATE. AMOUNT.

Manitowaning, Ont., Nov. 24th 1909. 190

Mr C L D Sims. for School at
 Wikwemikongsing.

BOUGHT OF Wright McLaughlin 337636
 GENERAL MERCHANT
 And Dealer in all Kinds of Farm Produce.

TERMS—Cash or Trade

To.	12 Bars Soap.	60.	2 Brooms. @ 30cts	60.	339.69	20.	✓
..	8 Fine Combs. @ 10	80.	1 Box Thread.	60.		1 40.	✓
..	4 Yds Towelling. @ 12 1/2	50.				50.	✓
			Total.			3 10.	✓

Reference 152019/4 Nov 16. 1909

note 221 4
 recommended for
 37

sent Dec. 28th
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C. L. D. Sims.
 Agent.

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Reference
No 152019/1

Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

21st December 1908-

156--12

Sir,

Referring to Official letters of date 1st Oct.
last and 14th Instant in regard to the need of a
new school building at Wikwemikongsing.

I have the honor to report that the school house
now occupied is without a doubt very small and a
larger and better lighted and ventilated building
would be desirable.

With regard to the location, I do not see that
it could be improved on to a very great extent as
the children who come from a distance are pretty
well scattered and allocation that would be favour-
able to some would be detrimental to others, besides,
if a new building were erected and the location
changed it would interfere with the teacher's
quarters which at the present time are attached to
the school.

If a new building is erected the old school
could be utilized as a part of the teachers residence
and would give them ample room.

If funds are available I would be pleased to
recommend that a new school house be erected the
coming spring.

Your obedient servant

Indian Agent.

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.



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156/12

Ottawa, January 16, 1909.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 21st ult. with reference to the need of a new school building at Wikwemikongsing, and in reply I beg to say that the Department would like you to submit the question of providing a new building to the Indians in Council, with a view to obtaining their consent to the expenditure of the necessary amount from their capital funds.

Upon receipt of a resolution authorizing this expenditure plans and specifications will be prepared and sent you with full instructions.

Your obedient Servant,

W. J. MOLEMAN

Secretary.

C.L.D. Sims, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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J. E. JONES, B.A.
INSPEC. OF SEPARATE SCHOOLS
MATTAWA

Jan. 25/09



Mr. Pedley,

Ottawa

Sch 339-55

Dear Sir:

The Indian people in the vicinity of Wiyem-
ikonging, Manitoulin Island are asking for better
school accommodation as the present school build-
ing is very small and old. It is one of the poorest
school houses that I visit in my Inspectorate.
Could not something be done to give them a build-
ing similar to that at South Bay during the ne-
summer vacation?

Yours truly
J. E. Jones



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153019/5

EXQ

Ottawa, January 28, 1909.

Sir,-

Replying to your letter of the 25th inst. I beg to say that the Department is at present in communication with its local Agent in reference to the matter of providing a new school building at Wikwemikongsing.

Your obedient Servant,

Secretary.

J. E. Jones, Esq., B.A.,
Separate School Inspector,
Mattawa, Ont.

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152019-⁵ Manitowaning Agency.
Wihwemikongsing School

No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs

To

Wright M Laughlin

DATE _____

Ex'd

AMOU

Bought of **Wright McLaughlin**
Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Clothing, Etc.
BEST GOODS **LOWEST PRICES**

Mantowaning, Ont.,

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Sold by

Got by

THE O-B BOOK. THE COPELAND-SHATTERSON CO., LIMITED, 8015 HAWES, TORONTO

To	2 m Black Marbles	120
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Vote 221 4

Reference 152019-4
July 3rd 1909

May 20/09

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

L. L. D. Sims

Agent.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,

March, 6th, 1909.

Sir :-

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account amounting to \$ 55.50, in favor of John Pakosigan, for wood supplied the Wikwemikongsing Indian School.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

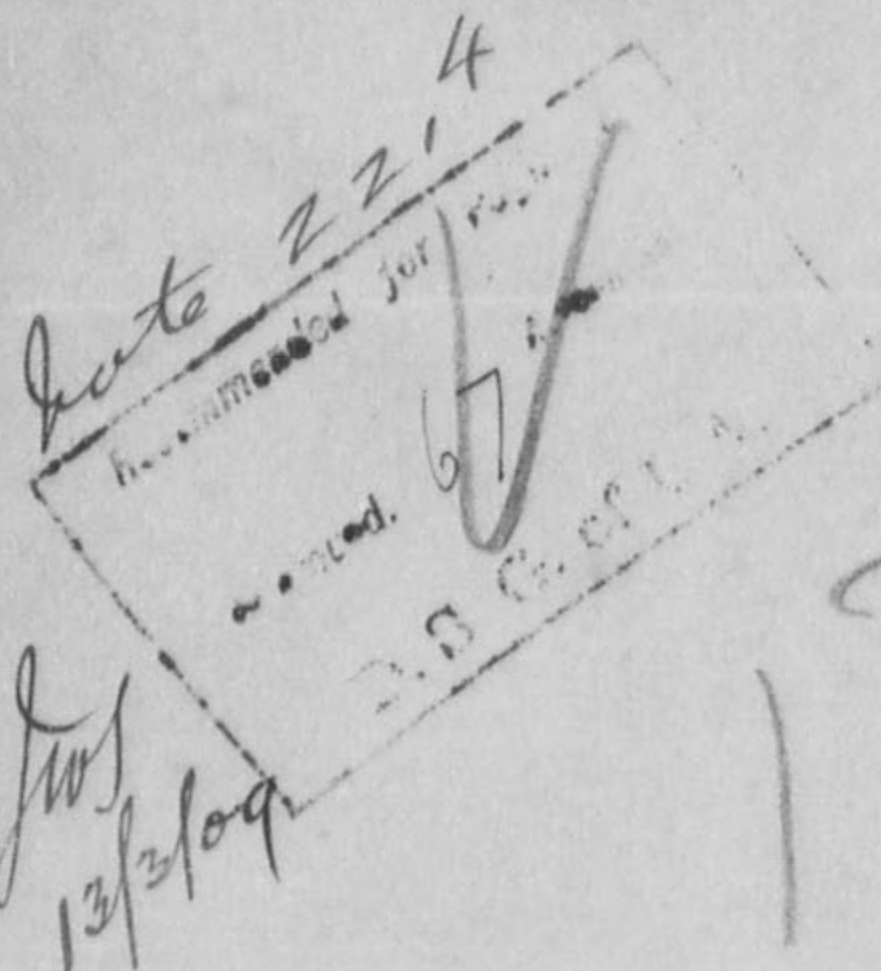
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ok. sent -
March 19th

Manitowaning Agency,
Wikwemikongsing School.

No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To John Pakosigan,

5/14/69 Date
221

DATE.			AMOUNT.
1909.			
March,	6	12 Cords Hardwood @ \$ 4.00	48.00
		3 Cords Cedar, 2.50	7.50
			\$ 55.50

[Handwritten signature]

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C. L. D'Sim
Agent.

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W. K. Koenig, Sep. 21 1908

Jr Dear Sir

Does it not look strange that the
man who is supposed to forward
our correspondence to the Department
is so careless! What confidence may
we rest in him? It was myself
who put into his hands the letter
I addressed to you in the month
of June.

This is the petition we made
our School house is very very old.
years - it is therefore unfit and
moreover it is too small.

people live here most of them
at least at a great distance
from the school. It is unsafe for
parents to let them go alone
the greater part of the year.

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This is what we would like to have a more ~~doomy~~ bent doing this the children. I speak of the little girls at least might stop from Monday to Friday inclusive on Friday after school hours the parents would come and fetch the children, and they would provide for their maintenance in the house.

The Inspector was told of what we intended and he approved cordially the idea and said that he would recommend it to the Department.

Please therefore help us and that as soon as possible. He will endeavour to do it before long.

Yours very truly.

Chief Peter. Begoneiassang

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Ottawa, October 1, 1908.

Sir,-

The Department is in receipt of a communication from Chief Peter Pegoniassang, of Wikwemikonguing, in which he complains of the condition of their school building, which he states is old, too small and not conveniently situated for the majority of the children. He ~~says~~ asks that a new building be erected with provision made for keeping some of the children at the school from Monday till Friday.

The Inspector in his reports on this school has recommended a new building, and the Department would like to have a full report from you on the matter, including the question of location.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLETT

Secretary.

C. L. D. Sims, Esq.,

Indian Agent,

Manitowaning, Ont.

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HXO

Ottawa, October 1, 1908 .

Chief,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 31st ult. in reference to matters concerning the Wikwemikongasing school, and in reply I beg to say that enquiries will be made by the Department and you will be further advised.

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W.M.

J.M.O.

Your obedient servant,

J.D. MCLEAN

Secretary.

Chief Peter Pegoniassang,
Wikwemikongasing, Ont.

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*For further action
see No 2.*

153019

Ottawa, December 14, 1908.

Sir,-

I beg to refer you to official letter of October 1, last, in which you were asked to report to the Department on the application of Chief Peter Peoniassang, of Wikwemikongsing, for a new school building at that point.

The Separate School Inspector has again brought to the attention of the Department the need for a new school-house, and I would be glad to have the report asked for at once.

*For
ack
a.m.*

Your obedient Servant,

W. H. MOLEMAN

Secretary.

C.L.D. Sims, Esq.,

Indian Agent,

Manitowaning, Ont.

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Site

Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.
25th February 1909-



156--12

Sir,

Referring to Official letter of date
16th Ultime in regard to the question of
providing a new school at Wikwemikongsing
and asking me to submit the same to the Indians
in Council with a view to obtaining their
consent to the expenditure of the necessary
amount from their capital funds.

I have the honor to report that on the
19th Instant I submitted the same to a General
Council of the whole band and herewith beg to
enclose minute of a Resolution passed unanimously.

Your obedient servant

[Signature]

Indian Agent.

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

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341022

Wickwumikong February 19 1909

Minutes of Resolution passed by
the Indians of Manitoulin Island
in General Council called in
accordance with the Rules of
the Band.

It was proposed by Chas Baibomacowai
and seconded by Alex Odomick
and carried unanimously
That the Department of Indian
Affairs be requested to erect a
new School Building at
Wickwumikong and that the
necessary funds for the construction
thereof be used from the Capital
funds of the Band. That the
Department of Indian Affairs are
hereby authorized to make the
above expenditure from the Capital
funds of Manitoulin Island - unceded
Band.

Chas Baibomacowai ^{his} X
Alex Odomick ^{mark}

Chief Joseph. Estkakogan

Joseph. Shabukwam

Joseph. Estkakogan ^{his} Jr

Louis Nedwaish ^{mark}

Wm Kinooharreg

Interpreter

P. H. Linn

Indian Agent

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Department of Indian Affairs.

Ottawa, March 2, 1909.

Mr. Ogilvie,-

Have you plan and specifications suitable for a inexpensive school-building, with accommodation for 25 pupils? If not, please prepare them.

The Indians of the unceded portion of Manitoulin Island have consented to expend an amount sufficient to erect a new school-house at Wikwemikongsing. The work should be commenced as soon as possible, so that the new building may be completed by the summer holidays.

[Signature]



Ottawa, March 31, 1909.

152019-1

Mr. Scott:-

The plans referred to herein have been prepared and specifications will be completed within a few days.

[Signature: R. M. Ogilvie]

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Letter

Little Current Manitowlin Expedit

Letter at Manitowlin

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ROYAL ARMS.

Tenders wanted.

Sealed tenders will be received up to noon, Saturday, May 8th, 1908, for the erection of a frame school on stone foundation at Wekwemikongasing, Manitoulin Island, Ontario.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of C.L.D. Sims, Esq., Indian Agent, Manitowaning.

All tenders must be sealed and marked on envelope "Tender for Wekwemikongasing School" and addressed to the Secretary, Department of Indian Affairs, Ottawa.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

The unauthorized insertion of this advertisement in any paper will not be paid for.

J. D. McLean,
Secretary.

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, April 10, 1908.

L. M. C.

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Ottawa, April 10, 1909.

Sir:-

Enclosed you will please find copy of advertisement for the erection of a school at Wekwemikongsing, Manitoulin Island, Ont.

The advertisement to appear in two issues of the Manitoulin Exposition, Little Current, Ont.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEAN

Secretary.

The King's Printer,
Ottawa.

*Frank
Miles*

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152019.

Ottawa, April 13, 1909.

Sir:-

I beg to inform you that plans and specifications have been prepared for a new school at Wekewikongsing, for which tenders have been called by advertisement in the Manitoulin Expositor, a copy of the advertisement being enclosed for your information.

Blue print plans, and specifications in duplicate are being sent you under separate cover by concurrent post for the use of contractor and others wishing to tender for the erection of the building.

You will be good enough to provide accommodation where the plans may be readily accessible and to give any necessary information in respect to site etc., which may be required.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEAN

Secretary.

C. L. D. Sims, Esq.,

Indian Agent,

Manitowaning, Ont.

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G. W. L. for
Asst. Sec. Gen.
Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa
Tender for
Wekwemikongsing School
May 8th 1887

H. W. Martin



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Recd. 10/1/10
Secretary, Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa



Sends for. *Ont.*
Wekwemikongsing School.

H. Patterson



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Indian Affairs

Manitowaning, Ont.
May 5 1909

Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa
Ont.

Dear Sirs:

I will build and construct a school house at Wikwemikongsing according to the plan and specifications supplied for the sum of fifteen hundred and fifty dollars. (1980)

Yours respectfully
R. C. Guthrie

R. C. Guthrie
Manitowaning P.O.
Manitowaning Isle. Ont.

[Handwritten signature]

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS.
MAY 10 1909
ARCHITECT.

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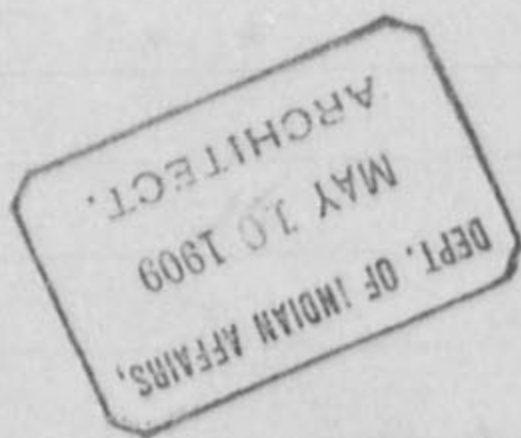
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Manitowaning May 1909
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa
Indian Affairs

Gentlemen Please find Enclosed Tender
For School House to Be Built at Wequimaconging
according To Plans & Spec. in Enclosed Office
at Manitowaning I Will complete it according
To Plans for \$2235⁰⁰ in a good Workmanlike
manner

Neil McMartin
Manitowaning
Ont.

[Handwritten initials]
[Handwritten signature]



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Ottawa, May 11, 1909.

Memorandum:

Mr. Scott.

Tenders have been received for the building of Weke
wemikongsing school, Manitoulin Island, as follows:-

R. C. Guthrie, Manitowaning, Ont.,	\$1950.00
Neil McMartin, "	2235.00

The tenders were advertised to close on May 8, but were
not received in the Department until the 10th.

The envelopes show the Manitowaning post mark of May
6th, and of Ottawa May 10th, and as both tenders were re-
ceived at the same time, I am of the opinion that the low-
est tender should be accepted as the price appears to be
fairly reasonable in that locality, and no injustice being
done to others tendering through their not being received
at the stipulated time.

Robert McQuinn

Architect.

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152019

Asst. Deputy



346089

Ottawa, 12th May, 1909.

MEMORANDUM

To Mr. Pedley.

Probably the Department could accept the lowest tender for the school at Wekwemikongsing. On the 19th February last the Band gave their consent to the amount being taken from capital, and as their fund now stands at \$38,368.45 I would recommend that a memo to Council be prepared authorizing the necessary expenditure, say \$2100.00, in order to cover any possible extras, and at the same time accepting Mr. Guthrie's tender. *Please see Mr. Gilman's report.*

aff. aff.

D. C. H. H.

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Ottawa, 15th May, 1909.

His Excellency

The Governor General in Council.

The undersigned begs to report that, a new school-house being required to replace the old one on the Wikwemikongsing Indian reserve, on Manitoulin Island, and a resolution having been passed by the band in favour of charging the cost of the building to their funds, tenders have been called for and the following received,-

R. G. Guthrie's,	Manitowaning, Ont.,	for \$1,950.00
Neil McMartin's,	" " "	2,235.00

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new school-house on Wikwemi-
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from band capital.

The new building is reported by the Separate School Inspector to be needed, and the old school-house has been complained about by the Chief of the band on the ground of its being too small, old and inconveniently situated.

Tenders were called for in the Manitoulin Expositor and the two hereto attached were received. They were due on the 8th instant and were received on the 10th; but, as they were received at the same time and no others were submitted no injustice will be done to any one by their being acted upon.

No particular sum was specified by the resolution of the band; so that possible extras can be provided for.

D.I.A., 15 May, '08.

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Certified copy of a Report of the Committee of the

Council, approved by His Excellency the Governor-General

General on the 28th May, 1909.



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On a memorandum, dated 15th May, 1909, from the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs, stating that a new school house being required to replace the old one on the Wikwemikongsing Indian reserve, on Manitoulin Island, and a resolution having been passed by the band in favour of charging the cost of the building to their funds, tenders have been called for and the following received, -

R. C. Guthrie, Manitowaning, Ont.,	for \$1,950.00
Neil McMartin	" " " 2,235.00

That the provisions of Section 90 of the Indian Act - requiring that the work shall be in the nature of a permanent improvement and that the consent of the band shall have been obtained for the expenditure being made from their capital - have been complied with;

The Minister, therefore, in accordance with the provisions of sub-section 2 of section 36 of the Public Works Act, submits herewith the said tenders and recommends that the contract for the work so tendered for be awarded to the lowest tenderer - Mr. R. C. Guthrie.

The Minister further recommends that, in order to cover possible extras, an expenditure up to \$2100.00 be authorized to be made on the work from the capital at the credit of the Wikwemikongsing band, which amounts to \$38,368.45.

The Committee submit the same for approval.

J. W. Bennett
Assistant Clerk of the Privy Council.

The Honourable

The Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.



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152019.

Ottawa, June 2, 1909.

Sir:-

I beg to inform you that your tender of \$1950.00 has been accepted for the building of a frame school on stone foundation for the Wekwemikongsing Indian reserve, Manitoulin, Ont.

Before making a contract it will be necessary for you to provide two reliable bondsmen of good standing and owning property each for the full amount of the contract. The full names of the bondsmen with their occupation and addresses are required, also your name in full as initial letters are not sufficient for contract.

As the Department is anxious to have the work proceeded with as soon as possible you will be good enough to give this your early attention.

Secretary.

R. E. Guthrie, Esq.,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Ottawa, June 2, 1908.

Sir:-

I beg to inform you that the tender of R. *E* Guthrie has been accepted for the building of a school for the Wekwenikongasing ~~Indian~~ reserve, Manitoulin Island, also that he has been requested to send to the Department the names of two reliable sureties owning property as bondsmen etc. A copy of the letter to Mr. Guthrie is being enclosed herewith for your information.

Your obedient servant,

W. D. MOLEAN

Secretary.

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G. L. D. Sims, Esq.,

Indian Agent,

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TENDERS WANTED.

Sealed tenders will be received up to noon, Saturday, May 8th, 1909, for the erection of a frame school on stone foundation at Wekwemikongasing, Manitowaning, Ontario.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of C.L.D. Sims, Esq., Indian Agent, Manitowaning.

All tenders must be sealed and marked on envelope "Tender for Wekwemikongasing School" and addressed to the Secretary, Department of Indian Affairs, Ottawa.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

The unauthorized insertion of this advertisement in any paper will not be paid for.

J.D. McLEAN,
Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, April 10, 1909.

C.L.D. Sims, Esq., Indian Agent, Manitowaning.

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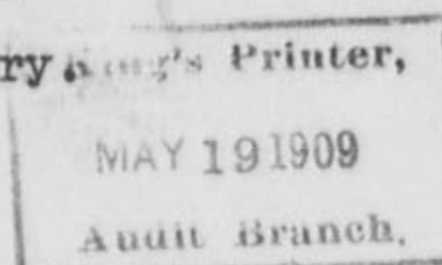
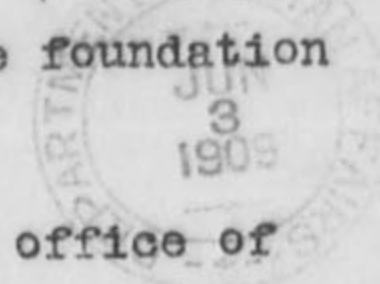
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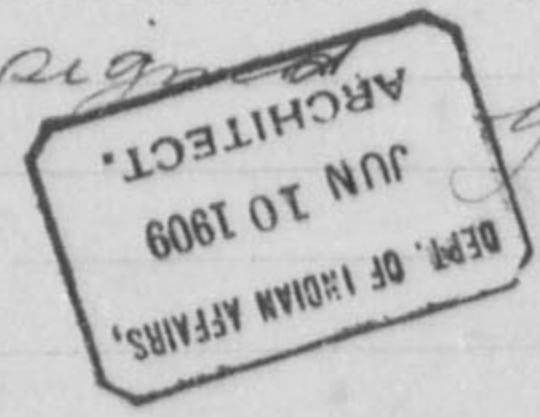


Mr. Gifford

Manitowaning Ont:
June 7th 1909.

Sec. Dep. of Indian Affairs
Ottawa Ont.

Dear Sir. In reply to your favor No. 152019 of June 2nd I would say that I have secured for bondsmen Mr. William John Tucker Sr. Druggist of Manitowaning and Mr. William Allen Beatty gentleman, also of Manitowaning whom you will find at your service. My full name and address are signed.



Yours truly

Robert Caldwell Guthrie
Manitowaning

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Ottawa June 10.1909.

Sir.-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated Manitowaning the 7, inst, with the names of your Bondsmen and to inform you that the names submitted are satisfactory to this Department also that forms of bonds and contract have been prepared in duplicate and sent to ~~the~~ C.L.D.Sims Esq Indian Agent at Manitowaning for execution.

for
me
You are requested to call on him at your earliest convenience ~~at~~ together with your Bondsmen so that there will be as little delay as possible in the ~~signing~~ signing of these papers and the carrying on of the work. You are also requested to sign copies of the plan and specification which are in the possession of the Agent and which are to be returned to this Department with the contract and bonds.

Your obedient servant.

J.D. MCLEAN

Robert Caldwell.Guthrie.Esq. | Secretary
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Registered.

Ottawa June 10, 1909.

Sir,-

I beg to inform you that Robert Caldwell ~~and~~
Guthrie of Manitowaning, Contractor for the Wek-
wemikongsing Ma Indian School Manitoulin Island
has sent in to this Department the names of Mr Wm,
John Tucker Sr, Druggist and William Allen Beatty,
Esq, Gentleman, both of Manitowaning as his bondsmen
and that forms of Contract and Bonds have been ~~prepa~~
pared in duplicate and are being enclosed to you ~~here~~
herein for execution. You are also requested to
have the Contractor ~~also~~ sign one of the copies
of the plans and specifications sent you for the
purpose of taking tenders marking them A and B respec-
tively and which form part of the contract. When
these have been duly signed and executed you will
return them to this Department and on their receipt
if found correct instructions will be issued for the
carrying on of the work.

Your obedient servant.

J.D. McLean

Secretary.

C.L.D. Sims. Esq..

Indian Agent.

Manitowaning. Ont.

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PLEASE ADDRESS
THE DEPUTY MINISTER
OF JUSTICE
OTTAWA.

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Ottawa June 23rd, 1909

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Sir:

In reply to your letter of the 23rd inst. No. 153019-5 I beg to state that the bond and contract appear to have been properly filled out and executed. Papers returned.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,



Francis H. Gisborne

Secretary.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Agreement made in duplicate the *Seventeenth* day of
June---- A.D. 1909.

Between His Majesty King Edward the Seventh, represented by the
Superintendent General of Indian Affairs of Canada (hereinafter called the Superintendent
General) ;

And Robert Caldwell Guthrie of the village of Manito-
waning District of Algoma, E.R. Province-----
of Ontario. (hereinafter
called the Contractor).

The Contractor for himself, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, agrees to
do in the most workmanlike manner all works and provide all the materials of the best
kind shown in the drawings and described in the specifications marked "A" and "B"
respectively and signed by the Contractor, and to complete, furnish and hand over to the
Superintendent General or to some person by him appointed for that purpose, the **frame**

**school house erected on stone foundation at Wekwamikong-
sing, Manitoulin Island Ont., including all trades complete see
according to plans and specifications prepared for the
same by the Department of Indian Affairs being No 193.
and all other work and labour incidental to and necessary for the entire completion
thereof, whether specified or shown in the drawings or specifications or not, by the
First day of October A.D. 1909.**

AND in consideration of the above agreement on the part of the Contractor, the
Superintendent General hereby agrees to pay the said Contractor the sum of **one
thousand nine hundred and fifty** dollars, provided always
that the Superintendent General may at any time during the progress or after the completion
or alleged completion of the work, appoint an Architect, Engineer or other officer, in which
case the certificate of such Architect, Engineer or other officer, that the work is duly
completed and of the amount, if any due, to the Contractor, after making such allowances
for penalties and for defective or incomplete work, or for extras and deviations as the
Architect, Engineer or other officer shall think fair, shall be a condition precedent to any
claim by the Contractor under this contract.

AND the Contractor for himself, his executors, administrators and assigns, further
covenants and agrees :—

1. That the wages to be paid in the execution of this contract shall be those generally
accepted as current in each trade for competent workmen in the district where the work is
carried on. If this condition is violated, the Superintendent General may cancel the
contract and refuse to accept any work done thereunder.

2. That if the Contractor fails at any time to pay any account for any goods or
materials supplied, or money advanced by anyone to the said Contractor for the purposes
of this agreement, or to pay the account of any sub-contractor for any work or materials
done or supplied for the said works to be constructed under this agreement, and such

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Know all Men by these Presents,

THAT WE

Robert Caldwell Guthrie, Contractor, of the Village of Manitowaning District of Algoma, E.R. Ont.

William John Tucker, Sen., Druggist, of Manitowaning and William Allen Beatty, Gentleman, of the same place,

are held and firmly bound to His Majesty King Edward the Seventh His Successors and Assigns represented by the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs of the Dominion of Canada in the sum of **One Thousand nine hundred and fifty** dollars of lawful money of Canada, to be paid to the said Superintendent General of Indian Affairs of the Dominion of Canada for the time being, for which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves, our Heirs, Executors, Administrators and Assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals.

Dated this *Seventeenth* day of **June** in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and **Nine**

The Condition of this Obligation is such, that if the above bounden Robert Caldwell Guthrie

and **his** ~~Executors~~ Executors, Administrators and Assigns, shall in all things well and truly keep and perform the covenants, conditions and agreements specified and contained in a certain agreement bearing even date with the above written obligation and made between His Majesty the King represented by the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs of the Dominion of Canada and **Robert Caldwell Guthrie** of the Village of **Manitowaning District of Algoma Ont.** ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ which on the part of the said **Robert Caldwell Guthrie** ought to be observed, fulfilled and kept according to the true intent and meaning thereof, then the said obligation to be void and of no effect; otherwise to remain in full force, virtue and effect.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered

IN THE PRESENCE OF

R. W. Wilson

R. C. Guthrie

W. J. Tucker

W. A. Beatty

Form No. 86.

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PROVINCE OF *Ontario*
District of *Manitoulin*
County of

To Wit:

I, *William John Tucker the elder*
one of the Sureties in the foregoing bond named,
make oath and say as follows: —

1. I am seized and possessed to my own use of real and personal estate in the
Province of *Ontario* in Canada, of the actual value
of *Two Thousand* dollars over and above all
charges upon or incumbrances affecting the same.

2. My post office address is as follows: — *Manitowaning Ontario*

SURETY.

Sworn before me at the *Village*
of *Manitowaning*
in the *District* of *Manitoulin*
in the Province of *Ontario* this
Seventeenth day of *June*
in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine
hundred and *nine*

[Signature]
A Commissioner in H. C. J.

[Signature]

PROVINCE OF *Ontario*
District of *Manitoulin*
County of

To Wit:

I, *William Allen Beatty*
one of the Sureties in the foregoing bond named,
make oath and say as follows: —

1. I am seized and possessed to my own use of real and personal estate in the
Province of *Ontario* in Canada, of the actual value
of *Two Thousand* dollars over and above all
charges upon or incumbrances affecting the same.

2. My post office address is as follows: — *Manitowaning, Ontario*

SURETY.

Sworn before me at the *Village*
of *Manitowaning*
in the *District* of *Manitoulin*
in the Province of *Ontario* this
Seventeenth day of *June*
in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine
hundred and *nine*

[Signature]
A Commissioner in H. C. J.

[Signature]

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PROVINCE OF *Ontario*
District
County of *Maitland*

I, *Robert William Neilson*
of the *Village of Maitland*
District
in the County of *Maitland*

To Wit:

in the Province of *Ontario* do solemnly make oath and say
that I was personally present and did see *Robert Caldwell Guthrie,*
William John Tucker and *William Allen Beatty*
the obligors in the within bond or writing obligatory named, duly execute the
said Instrument by signing, sealing, and, as their respective acts and deeds
delivering the same; and that I am a subscribing witness to such execution.

WITNESS.

Sworn before me at the *Village of*
Maitland
District
in the said County of *Maitland* this

Seventeenth day of *June*

A.D., one thousand nine hundred and *nine*

R. W. Neilson
A Commissioner in H. C. J.

R. W. Neilson

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Ottawa 24th June, 1909.

Sir,

With reference to previous correspondence, I beg to enclose herewith duly completed form of contract for the erection by Mr Robert Caldwell Guthrie, of the Indian School house at Wekwemikongsing. One copy of the bond is also transmitted.

The contractor should proceed with the work without delay. You should hand to him ~~one~~ copy of the plan and specifications ~~xxx~~ which are in your possession.

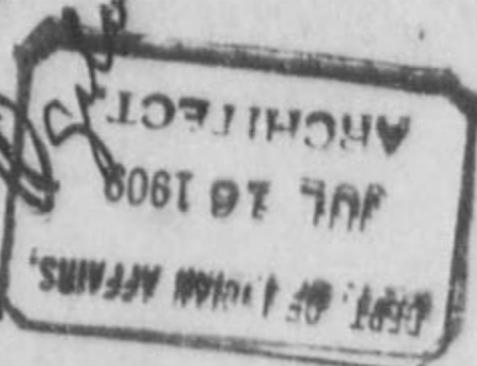
Your obedient servant.

Secretary.

C. L. D. Sims, Esq.,

Indian Agent,

Manitowaning, Ont.



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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

14th Sept. 1909-

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156/13 Sir,

Referring to previous correspondence in regard to the new school building at Wikwemikongsing.

I have the honor to report that the contractor Mr R. C. Guthrie has the new school building well under way and expects to have it completed by the 1st Prox.

The plasterers are now at work and the building has had one coat of paint outside.

I beg to call your attention to the fact that no provision was made for either closets or wood shed for the new school and as it is quite a little distance from the old buildings it will be absolutely necessary that ~~closets~~ closets and shed be provided. The old closets are not worth moving and in any event one of them will be required where it is for use with the teachers dwelling.

I beg to enclose herewith a requisition for school material for the Wikwemikongsing school, among other things requisitioned for is a stove, the stove that I took from the old Buzwah school could be sent over to them and would save buying one.

Will you be good enough to advise me as to what it to be done in regard to closets and shed in order that I may, if you conclude to build them, get prices from Mr Guthrie while he is on the ground.

Your obedient servant

Indian Agent,

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.



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*17/10/10
Sent plans
Sent 17/9/10*

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Ottawa, September 17, 1909.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th inst., and in reply I beg to say that there are being sent you under separate cover plans for a dry-earth closet and a woodshed, and I have to request that you will be good enough to obtain from Mr. Guthrie prices for the erection of two closets, with screened approaches and a shed in accordance with these plans.

The location of these outbuildings should be carefully chosen, and the Department will leave this matter with you.

The stove formerly in use at Buzwah may be transferred to this school, if it is suitable.

your obedient servant,

Asst. Secretary.

C.L.D. Sims, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Reference

No 152019/11

Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

20th Sept. 1909-

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Sir,

Referring to your letter of date 17th Inst. regarding closets and woodshed in connection with the new school at Wikwemikongsing.

I beg to report that I have received the plans mentioned and submitted them to Mr Guthrie for his consideration, he informs me that he will build the two closets with screened approaches and a wood-shed and paint them to correspond with the school for the sum of \$225.00 Two hundred and twenty five dollars.

Your obedient servant

Indian Agent.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.



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Ottawa, September 23, 1909.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 20th inst., stating that Mr. Guthrie, who has the contract for the erection of the new school building at Wikwemikongsing, will erect two closets and a woodshed in accordance with plans sent you for the sum of \$325.00.

In reply I beg to say that the Department cannot pay this price for the work. It has had both closets and sheds erected in different parts of the province on these plans and the prices now quoted are far in advance of any it has ~~were~~ been asked to pay.

Be good enough to ask Mr. Guthrie to reconsider his offer or get ~~xxx~~ offers from other parties.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. MOLEAM

Secretary.

C. L. D. Sims, Esq.,

Indian Agent,

Manitowaning, Ont.

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Reference
No 152019/5

Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

27th Sept. 1909-

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Sir,

Referring to your letter of date 23rd Instant with regard to the offer of Mr Guthrie to erect two closets and a woodshed in accordance with plans sent me for the sum of \$225.00.

I have the honor to report having interviewed Mr Guthrie and as per your instructions asked him to reconsider his offer. He now offers to do the work for \$180.00 providing his offer is accepted at once as he will be through with the school building in this week. He informs me that it is a very expensive place to build at owing to the distance the material has to be conveyed and also the fact that all materials for the construction of the buildings has to be freighted from either Owen Sound or Collingwood to Manitowaning and then teamed to the reserve. This may seem strange to you, but, I can assure you that it is a fact nevertheless. Nearly all the building material for use in the construction of buildings in this place is imported from either of the above places as it is impossible to get good dry material anywhere nearer. If you wish Mr Guthrie to do this work I wish you would wire your decision as soon as you receive this in order that he may make arrangements to complete the work at an early date.

Your obedient servant

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

[Handwritten signature]
Indian Agent.



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J. TAIT, Asst. Supt., Winnipeg, Man.

A. W. BARBER, Supt., Toronto, Ont.
JNO. F. RICHARDSON, Supt., Montreal, Que.
P. W. SNIDER, Supt., St. John's, N.B.

JAS. KENT,
Manager Telegraphs, Montreal.

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Send the following Message, subject to the above terms, which are hereby agreed to:

Ottawa, October 1, 1909.

O.L.D. Sims,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

Department accepts Guthrie's offer for
closets and shed.

J.D. McLean.

Charge Dept. of I.A.

READ THE NOTICE AND AGREEMENT AT THE TOP

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Ottawa, October 1, 1909.

Sir,-

I beg to confirm the following telegram sent you to day in reply to your letter of the 27th inst.:-

"Department accepts Guthrie's offer for closets and sheds".

These buildings should be erected for the sum named, \$180.00, in accordance with the plans sent you, including screened approaches to the closets and painting of all the buildings to harmonize with the school-house, and the Department will expect you to see that the work is completed in a satisfactory manner.

You should also carefully inspect the school-house at regular intervals, if not completed, and report to the Department. The Department has had several school-houses erected this summer and all are apparently a credit to the workmen and itself, and it hopes that the Wikwemikongsing school will be no exception.

A suggestion has been made to the Department that quarters ought to be provided in which some of the

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Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEARY

Secretary.

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Your obedient servant,

SECRETARY

Secretary.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Wiwemikangsing School

No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

352139

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To

B Hinds

DATE.

AMOUNT.

Authorized by Dept. letter No. *152019/4 Sept 20 1909*

HARDWARE, STOVES,
TINWARE, PAINTS,
AND OILS.
FURNITURE, SEWING
MACHINES, AND
HARNESS
BUGGIES & CUTTERS
MASSEY-HARRIS
IMPLEMENTS AND
REPAIRS

MANITOWANING, ONT.

M *Dept Indian Affairs*

for Wewemikangsing School

BOUGHT OF

O. HINDS

Hardware Merchant

ACCOUNTS DUE WHEN RENDERED

10% INTEREST CHARGED ON ALL OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

DATE	DESCRIPTION	FOL.	DEBIT AMOUNT	CREDIT AMOUNT	TOTAL
<i>Jan 27</i>	<i>20 16 pipes 2⁰⁰ Dampur pipe 2⁵⁰</i>		<i>2.25</i>		
	<i>" 12 1/2 to zinc 1⁰⁰ 1 Elbow 20</i>		<i>1.60</i>		<i>\$3.85</i>
	<i>" 10 1/2 to zinc 1⁰⁰ 1 Elbow 20</i>		<i>1.60</i>		<i>\$5.45</i>
	<i>" 10 1/2 to zinc 1⁰⁰ 1 Elbow 20</i>		<i>1.60</i>		<i>\$7.05</i>

See above

\$ 4 35

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]

Agent.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
September, 30th, 1909,

Sir :-

Referring to Official Letter 152019/X, September 20th,
authorizing the purchase of several articles for the Wikwemik-
ongsing Indian School.

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in favor
of O. Hinds, amounting to \$ 4.35, for the same.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

4th October 1909-



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Sir,

Referring to Official letter of date 1st inst confirming telegram of even date, accepting the offer of Mr Guthrie for the erection of a wood shed and two closets in connection with the Wikwemikongsing Indian school.

I have the honor to report that the contents of your letter have been carefully noted and can assure you that the instructions contained therein will be carried out to the letter. I have made several inspections of the school building and it is about completed and it certainly is a credit to the Department and contractor. The chimney on the teacher's residence requires attention and also the shed. The chimney requires re-pointing and a few new bricks, the shed requires a new covering on the roof as it leaks very badly. A covering of Paroid roofing would be the best thing for this.

In regard to the suggestion that quarters be provided for some of ~~the~~ the children I beg to say that the teacher and her companion at this school have kept from five to eight boarders, children from a distance, the old school building is intended

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.



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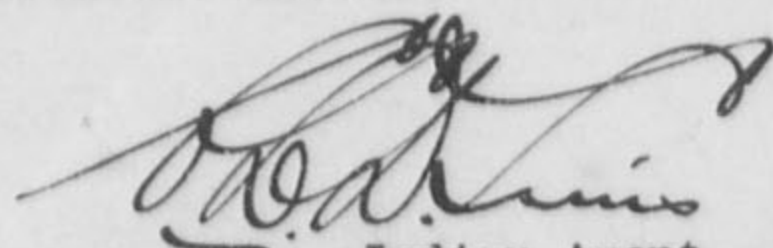
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to be used as a dormitory for these as the ~~old~~ school building and the teachers quarters adjoin.

Heretofore they have been very much cramped for room but now it is hoped they will have ample accomodation for the pupils they keep. These pupils have been kept by the Mission and no pay asked for from the Department. It will be necessary that a little furnishing be supplied to ~~equip~~ the sleeping apartment which will not amount to very much. I will find out exactly what is needed the next time I visit Wikwemikongsing and report as to the cost of same.

The teacher requires a single iron bed with spring and mattress as they have only one bed now, ^{both} for the teacher and her companion, this was asked for on requisition referred to by you in your letter of 20th Ult. The cost of a new bedstead, spring and mattress will be about \$9.00. The teacher and her companion deserve every consideration possible as they take great interest in the education of the children taking into consideration that they are doing it purely for charity's sake. They should at least be allowed the smaller comforts asked for in the way of sleeping accomodation.

Your obedient servant


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EX-10

Ottawa, October 8th, 1909.

Sir,

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I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 4th instant, and in reply I beg to say that the Department is pleased to learn that the new school at Wikwemikongsing is being constructed in so satisfactory a manner.

You may have the chimney repaired and the shed roof recovered as suggested by you.

With reference to furnishing sleeping apartments for the children, the requisition will receive consideration when received. In the mean time you may supply the iron bed, springs and mattress needed at a cost not exceeding \$9.00.

Your obedient servant,

S. STEWART

Asst. Secretary.

C. L. D. Sims, Esq.,

Indian Agent,

Manitowaning, Ont.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

14th Oct. 1909-



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Sir,

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Referring to Official letter of date 8th Inst. and more particularly to that portion of the final paragraph thereof regarding the furnishing of sleeping apartments for the children at Wikwemikongsing school.

I have the honor to report that there should be furnished for this purpose eight iron cots with springs and mattress same as used in Institutions.

Also eight pairs of Blankets. I have received a quotation from the furniture dealer here of \$50. for the eight iron cots with springs and Mattresses which he assures me is a very close price for same.

The eight pairs of blankets would cost about \$3.25 per pair.

It will also be necessary to supply three extra school seats and two rear seats to furnish the required seating accomodation in the new school.

Trusting the above will receive the favourable consideration of the Department

I have the honor to be
Sir

Your obedient servant

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

W. A. Jones
Indian Agent.

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Ottawa, October 19th, 1909.

Sir,

I56-13

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th instant, stating that eight iron cots with springs and mattresses, and eight pairs of blankets are required to furnish sleeping accommodation for the children who remain during the week at the Wikwemikongsing School, and in reply I have to say that you may purchase these articles; the total cost not to exceed the sum mentioned by you, \$76.00.

Be good enough to state whether the three extra desks and two rear seats required for the new school building can be purchased by you and quote the price.

Your obedient servant,

STEWART

Asst. Secretary.

C. L. D. Sims, Esq.,

Indian Agent,

Manitowaning, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency
Wikwemikongsing School.
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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To *Robert. Caldwell Guthrie*

DATE		352994	AMOUNT.	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No. 152019 June 2. 1909		
Oct 14/09		For erecting school house at Wikwemikongsing, on Manitoulin island unceded portion, as per contract	1 9 5 0	0 0

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

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Sir,

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account amounting to \$1950.00 in favor of Mr R. C. Guthrie for erecting a school at Wikwemikongsing.

The school building is completed and ready for occupation and I can assure the Department that it is a first class building and erected according to contract. It is a credit to the reserve. As Mr Guthrie has now finished the work he would like that the Department forward his cheque with as little delay as possible as he is in need of funds. The work of erecting the closets and wood shed will be commenced at once. I have asked Mr Guthrie to move and hang the bell that is on the old building to the new school and trust this will be approved of by the Department. A new bell rope and a pulley or two will be required.

Your obedient servant

Indian Agent.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.

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19/10/09



[Signature]

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2 letters

Ottawa, October 19th, 1909.

Sir,

I56-I3

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th instant, reporting that the new school building at Wikwemikongsing has been satisfactorily completed, and enclosing a voucher in favour of Mr. R. G. Guthrie for the amount of the contract, \$1950.00.

In reply I beg to say that a cheque for this amount has been issued and sent to your address.

The Department approves of your action in having the bell re-hung in the new building, and you may purchase the bell-rope and **pulleys** required.

*A.F.M.
mto
JCS*

Your obedient servant,

STEWART

Asst. Secretary.

C. L. D. Sims, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

26th Oct./09

Ex'd

156/13

Sir/

Referring to the final paragraph of Official letter of date 19th Inst regarding the purchase of school seats for the Wikwemikongsing school.

I beg to report that these cannot be procured here.

The rears required are for the largest desks, two medium sized desks and one small size.

Your obedient servant



Indian Agent.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.

2 years No. 1
2 Seats No 3
1 " No 5.

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Ex'd

Ottawa, October 30th, 1909.

Sir,

156/13

In reply to your letter of the 26th instant I beg to say that the desks required for the Wikwemikongsing School will be ordered to be shipped to your address.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEAN

Secretary.

C. L. D. Sims, Esq.,

Indian Agent,

Manitowaning, Ont.

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Ex'd

Ottawa, October 30th, 1909.

Sir,

I have to ask you to be good enough to order the following desks for the Wikwemikongsing Indian School:-

2 Double Desks	No. 3
1 " "	No. 5
2 Rear Seats	No. 1

These desks should be sent freight charges prepaid to Mr. C. L. D. Sims, Indian Agent, Manitowaning, Ont., and the account in duplicate should be sent to him.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEAN

Secretary.

L. W. Hutchison, Esq.,
206 Wellington St.,
Ottawa.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY

Shipper's No.....

Agent's No.

STRAIGHT BILL OF LADING-ORIGINAL-NOT NEGOTIABLE

RECEIVED, subject to the classifications and tariffs in effect on the date of issue of this Original Bill of Lading,
 at Chennai Nov 16 1903
Swk. Jackson the goods described below, in apparent good order, except as noted
 from (contents and condition of contents of packages unknown), marked, consigned and destined as indicated below, which said Company
 agrees to carry to its usual place of delivery at said destination, if on its road, otherwise to deliver to another carrier on the route to
 said destination. It is mutually agreed, as to each carrier of all or any of said goods over all or any portion of said route to destination
 and as to each party at any time interested in all or any of said goods, that every service to be performed hereunder shall be subject
 to all the conditions, whether printed or written, herein contained (including conditions on back hereof) and which are agreed to by the
 shipper and accepted for himself and his assigns.

The Rate of Freight from.....
to Innsmouth N.H. is in Cents per 100 Lbs.

IF Special

Consigned to C. L. D. Sims
Destination Manitowaning { Province or State of Ont County of
Route Over Lake Huron Car Initial Car No.

No. Packages	DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES AND SPECIAL MARKS.	WEIGHT (Subject to Correction)	CLASS OR RATE	CHECK COLUMN	If charges are to be pre- paid, write or stamp here, "To be Prepaid." Received \$4⁶⁵ to apply in prepayment of the charges on the property described hereon. Agent or Cashier. Per _____ (The signature here acknowledges only the amount prepaid.) Charges Advanced: \$
5	school desks.	300			

Per.

Per.

(This Bill of Lading is to be signed by the shipper and agent of the carrier issuing same.)

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PHONE 3082.

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Ottawa, Nov 16th 1909

Dept Indian Affairs

W. L. D. Drums Manitowau



L. W. HUTCHISON



Card Systems, Vertical Files, Desks, Sectional Book Cases,
Sectional Cabinets, Metallic Fittings, Adjustable
Roller Shelving, Quick-Easy Copying Presses.

354566

Terms:

Your O/n

Our O/n

Qty. order	QUANTITY	CATALOG No	DESCRIPTION	PRICE	Unit of Price	AMOUNT
	2	#3	D.S. desks @ 5 ⁰⁰		-	10 00
	1	#5	" @ 4 ⁷⁰		-	4 70
	2	#1	Rear. D. " @ 4 ⁴⁵		-	8 90
			Freight		-	4 65
					-	28 25

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Handled Mr H -
Nov. 18

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☒ Approved	☐ Not Approved
D. C. C. L. A.	

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

No. of Account

415

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To *L. W. Hutchison*

DATE

AMOUNT

Authorized by Dept. letter No.

1512019/5-Oct 30/09

PHONE 3082.

Ottawa, Nov 16th 1909

Dept Indian Affairs

C. L. D. Sims Manitowaning, Ont.

In Account with

L. W. HUTCHISON

Card Systems, Vertical Files, Desks, Sectional Book Cases,

Sectional Cabinets, Metallic Fittings, Adjustable

Roller Shelving, Quick-Easy Copying Presses.

43751

Terms:

Your O/n

Our O/n

Mis. Order	QUANTITY	CATALOG No	DESCRIPTION	PRICE	Unit of Price	AMOUNT
	2	#3	Double S. desks - @ 5. ⁰⁰			10 00
	1	#5	" " " " @ 4. ⁷⁰			4 70
	2	#1	Rear D. " " @ 4. ⁴⁵			8 90
			Freight			4 65
						<u>\$28 25</u>

JWJ

*Ch. Laurel Mr 11
Nov. 18th*

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]

Agent.

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Reference
No 1512019/5

15-2019-5-
355071



Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

25th Nov/09



156--13

Sir,

Referring to Official letter of date
30th Ultimo in which you informed me that the
desks required for the Wikwemikongsing school
would be ordered by the Department.

I have the honor to enclose herewith accounts
in duplicate amounting to \$28.25 in favor of L.
W. Hutchison, the seats having come to
hand.

Your obedient servant

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

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No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,
To *R. C. Guthrie*

DATE	358845	AMOUNT.
Authorized by Dept. letter No. <i>152019/5-Oct 8th/09</i>		

Folio.....	Statement.....	43762
	<i>Nov 11th</i>	<i>1909</i>
<i>M. Lf. Indian Affairs</i>		
<i>Ottawa</i>		
<i>In Acc't with R. C. Guthrie</i>		
<i>Terms.....</i>		

Nov	11	To.				
		New sett on Wapashed				
		Rebuilding chimney				
		Installing bell				
		52 lbs wire @ 30¢ per lb			16	60
		Material for chimney			4	30
		hangers, bolts & pulleys				
		In bell			90	
					\$ 20	80

20 80

Per *Ind*

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. C. Guthrie
Agent.

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356843

Reference
No 152019/5
Oct 1st. /09

Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

December 6th 1909--



156--1

Sir,

Referring to official letter of above number and date in which you accepted the offer of Mr R. C. Guthrie for erecting two closets and a wood shed at the Wikwemikongsing school for the sum of \$180.00.

I have the honor to enclose herewith and account amounting to the sum above named in favor of Mr Guthrie and beg to report that the buildings are completed in a very satisfactory manner.

Your obedient servant

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

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11/18/09

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No. of Account
INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,
To *R. C. Guthrie* ³⁵⁶⁸⁴³

DATE.		AMOUNT.
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. <i>152019/5 Oct 1st/09</i>	
	<i>For erecting woodshed and closets at the Mikwamiskung School as per plans and tender</i>	<i>180 00</i> ✓
	Ex'd <i>JD</i> <i>4456</i> <i>sent</i>	<i>180 00</i>

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent.

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No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

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The Department of Indian Affairs,

To

P. C. Sims & Co

DATE

AMOUNT.

Authorized by Dept. letter No. 152019/5

Oct 8th & 19th

Little Current, Ont., December 1st/09 190

M The Department of Indian Affairs, Ottawa

for Wikwemikongsing School.

To T. C. SIMS & CO. Dr 356849

SUCCESSORS TO SIMS BROS.

GENERAL MERCHANTS

Wharfingers, Forwarders and Coveyancers.

ACCOUNTS DUE WHEN RENDERED.
ONE PER CENT PER MONTH CHARGED
ON ALL OVERDUE ACCOUNTS.

1909

Oct	27	To 1 Single Iron Bed complete with Springs and Mattress	9. 00	✓
Nov	29	To 8 pairs white Blankets at \$3.25 per pr.	26. 00 35. 00	✓ ✓

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JMS

35-00

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P. C. Sims

Agent.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Wikwemikongsing
No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

356847



The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Wright M. Laughtlin A/c 15

DATE	AMOUNT
Sept 20 th 1909	
Authorized by Dept. letter No. 152019 7 Sept 20 th 1909	

WRIGHT McLAUGHLIN
DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, BOOTS AND SHOES, CLOTHING, ETC.
BEST GOODS ♦♦ LOWEST PRICES

ACCOUNT NO.	
Letter	No.

Manitowaning, Decr. 7th, 1909.
ONT.

Sold to Department of Indian Affairs, Ottawa,
per order C. L. D. Sims.

Accounts rendered monthly Interest charged on overdue accounts

DATE	ARTICLES	FOLIO	CREDIT AMOUNT	DEBIT AMOUNT	TOTAL
Novr. 15	To 24 Slates	@ .10		2.40	✓
	19 1/2 yds. Flannellette.	.15		2.93	✓
					5.33
	For Wikwemikongsing Day School.				

445-35
sent Jan

533

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

C. L. D. Sims
Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.



The Department of Indian Affairs,

To

O. Hinds

DATE

AMOUNT.

Authorized by Dept. letter No. 152019/5

Oct 8th, 19th & 19th

358851

MANITOWANING.

Dec 7 1909.

M. Dept. Indian Affairs

Wabunungwong School.

Bought of

O. HINDS

HARDWARE. STOVES. TINWARE.

FURNITURE. HARNESS. IMPLEMENTS

Oct	13	3 Square Paroid Roofing	\$7.50	✓
Nov.	2	1 Bell Rope	20	✓
Dec	3	8 Beds & Mattresses	50.00	
			\$57.70	

44500
Dec. 15
Three accounts
44500

57 70

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11/12/09

Agent.

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 Manitowaning Agency,
 Wikwemikongsing School.
 No. of Account
INDIAN TRUST FUND.
 The Department of Indian Affairs,
 To John J. Morrow Esq.,

DATE.		AMOUNT.
1909.	Authorized by Dept. letter No.	
Decr.	2 To two trips to Wikwemikongsing with	
	3 School supplies. @ \$ 2.50	\$

Handwritten: ac 15
Stamp: DEC 28 1909
Stamp: D.X.
Handwritten: 4743
Handwritten: Sent Dec. 31/09

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Signature: L. L. D. Sims
 Agent.

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Witwamitangsing School
Manitowaning Agency.

No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

357222

of 15

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To

Peter Pegonealssang

1903

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No.		
Oct	18	To moving school furniture from the old to the new school and fastening down the school seats	2	00 ✓
Dec	4	To Putting down the extra seats and repairing the Door Jamb	2	00 ✓
			4	00 ✓

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

K. A. L.

Agent.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

8th January 1910

156--13

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account amounting to \$4.00 in favor of Peter Pegoneaissang for moving the school furniture from the old to the new school, fastening down school seats and repairing the Door Jamb.

Shortly after the new school was taken over and in use there was a very heavy wind storm and one of the small pupils in opening one of the doors allowed it to go back with very great force against the wall of the building with the result that the door frame was split from top to bottom and the door could not be shut.

This happened after the Contractor had got through with all the other work and had left and I was compelled to get this man to repair it. I cautioned the teacher not to allow the children to open the doors on windy days unless they are strong enough to handle them.

When the frost goes out of the ground next spring it would be very good plan to have a post sunk at each side of the building for the doors to come against and act as a stop. this would overcome any further trouble like the above.

Your obedient servant

Indian Agent.

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

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152019-5 *Manitowaning Agency.*
Ojibwemikongring
No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

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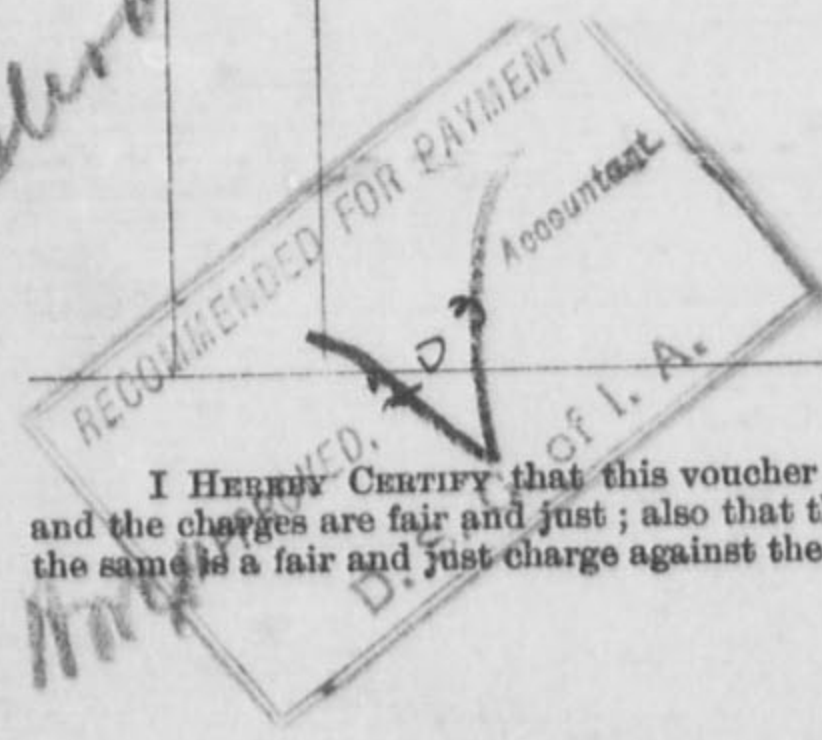


The Department of Indian Affairs.

To *Wright McLaughlin*

DATE.	AMOUNT.												
Authorized by Dept. letter No. <i>152019/4 April 14. 1910</i>													
Bought of Wright McLaughlin Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, ST PRICES BEST GOODS <i>Manitowaning, Ont.</i> <i>May 24 1910</i> <i>Department of Indian Affairs</i> Sold by COPELAND-CHATTERSON-CHAM LIMITED, MAKERS, TORONTO AND OTTAWA <table border="1"><tbody><tr><td><i>2 Brooms @ 45</i></td><td><i>90</i></td></tr><tr><td><i>1/2 A Coarse Combs</i></td><td><i>60</i></td></tr><tr><td><i>1 B Fine Combs</i></td><td><i>120</i></td></tr><tr><td><i>12 Bars Soap</i></td><td><i>50</i></td></tr><tr><td><i>8 440 Trolling 10</i></td><td><i>120</i></td></tr><tr><td colspan="2"><i>Total \$ 4.40</i></td></tr></tbody></table>		<i>2 Brooms @ 45</i>	<i>90</i>	<i>1/2 A Coarse Combs</i>	<i>60</i>	<i>1 B Fine Combs</i>	<i>120</i>	<i>12 Bars Soap</i>	<i>50</i>	<i>8 440 Trolling 10</i>	<i>120</i>	<i>Total \$ 4.40</i>	
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Cont. June 6th

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

H. A. D. Smith

Agent.

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Reference
No. 152019 /4

Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

2nd September 1910

389600

156---14

Sir,

Referring to Official letter of date 14th
April last authorizing the purchase of a wash
stand for the use of the Wikwemikongasing school.

I have the honor to enclose herewith an
account amounting to \$2.50 in favor of Mr. O.
Hinds who furnished the article as per enclosed
vouchers.

Your obedient servant

Indian Agent.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.

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fact
Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

23rd September 1910



156--14 Sir,

Referring to official letter dated 14th April last and more particularly to the concluding portion of the last paragraph thereof in which you authorized me to have two cupboards made for the Wikwemikongsing School.

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account for \$8.00 in favor of Mr. Neil McMartin who made the cupboards.

Your obedient servant

1113
[Signature]
Indian Agent.

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h. - manded for Pym. et
Accountant
Approved.
J.M.S.
27/9/10
The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.

Sent Sept. 28th

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Wiwemikongsing School
No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

570467

note

258

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Neil Kestartin

DATE		AMOUNT.	
July	12/10	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 152019/4 April 14th 1910	
		To 2 Cupboards with shelves & locks at \$4.00 each	
		8.	00

[Handwritten signature]

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Handwritten signature]

Agent.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

23rd September 1910

156--14

Sir/

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in favor of Louis Osawabine for delivering cupboards, Washstand and box of sundries to the Wikwemikongsing School.

Your obedient servant

[Signature]

Indian Agent.

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note 258
Recommended for Payment
Approved: *[Signature]*
JWS
30/9/10

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

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Wikwemikongsing School
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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

258

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Louis Osawabine.

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No.....		
Aug	26	To delivering cupboards, Wash-stand and Box Sundries from Manitowaning to Wikwemikongsing Scheel	1	50
				

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[Signature]
Agent.

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Manitowaning Agency.
No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND 374509 Note 258

Wickwemikonging School

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Wright & McLaughlin

DATE	AMOUNT
Authorized by Dept. letter No. 152019/1 Nov 4/1910	

WRIGHT McLAUGHLIN

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, BOOTS AND SHOES, CLOTHING, ETC.

BEST GOODS

LOWEST PRICES

374509

Manitowaning,

ONT.

ACCOUNT NO.

Letter	No.

Sold to

Indian Department (Ottawa)

for Wickwemikonging School

Accounts rendered monthly

Interest charged on overdue accounts

DATE	ARTICLES	FOLIO	CREDIT AMOUNT	DEBIT AMOUNT	TOTAL
	To 1 Bf Flour 310 25 "K. Oats" 100 477	31		4 10	
	w 20 # Beans 120 26 "Bacon" 178	31		5 97	
	v 3 # Mit Tea 70 76 4 for Minor Shores 702 175	31		7 75	
	Total			17 82	

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

L. L. Osburn

Agent.

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EXD.

File No. 152019/1

Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

6th December 1910

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Sir/

Referring to Official letter dated Nov. 4th last in which you authorized me to supply the Wikwemikongsing school with certain supplies.

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account amounting to \$17.82 in favor of Mr. Wright McLaughlin for the goods supplied as per account.

Your obedient servant

Indian Agent.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.

Cur. Dec. 16th

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Itikwemikonging
Dec. 31, 1910.

The Secretary, 376161
Dept of Indian Affairs,
Sir.

You will see from the enclosed report, that we have no well around here, and that we have to walk two and a half miles to get a pail of water. I can tell you its no fun to travel over those roads in winter a person is in danger of breaking their bones.

It is true, we have a barrel in the ground, and it is also true that the cemetery and the two closets are.

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right above it, and there is the old barrel at the foot of the hill, ready to receive every juice that comes along. Every few days we have to empty it out, or if not you would need to have a pretty bad cold in the head when you could stand over it for five minutes.

This is the water they have been drinking for the past five or six years it is not fit for a four footed animal, much less a human being.

Before the period above mentioned, John Pokouigan

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lived near by and he
had a lovely spring well
but when he moved
away from here, he closed
it up, threw logs & stones
into it; for fear the cattle
might fall in. He
didn't mind at all
what people would
suffer in consequence.
Now it won't cost much
to pull those few logs
& stones out of that well,
so please let us have
a drop of clean water
to drink. It cannot
be done now, but it can
be done in the early spring
so we will look forward
to that time.

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4

What about a fence
around the school.
It looks rather wild to
be without one. It
would be a good
thing if we could
keep the animals
away from the door,
for they are very friendly
here. Well we will
leave the well and
the fence to you, hoping
that you will not
put them aside.
I remain very
respectfully
Emily Crawley.

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Ottawa, January 20, 1911.

Madam,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 31st ultimo in reference to a supply of water at the Wikwemikongsing school.

In reply I beg to say that this matter will be taken up with Mr. Sims, the Agent.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Emily Frawley,
Teacher,
Wikwemikongsing, Ont.

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2 letters
Ottawa, January 20, 1911.

Sir,

The teacher of the Wikwemikongsing school reports that they are no longer allowed to use the spring from which they have been accustomed to get their water for drinking at the school, as the Indian found it necessary to close the spring in order to avoid danger to his cattle.

for
The Department would like to know whether anything can be done so that this spring would be again available.

Wm.
Red
The Department would also like you to take up the question of fencing the school lot.

now
Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

G. L. D. Sims, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency.
No. of Account.

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To *Wabigoon School*
Wright McLaughlin

DATE	AMOUNT.
Authorized by Dept. letter No. <i>152019/4 Jan 4 1911</i>	

WRIGHT McLAUGHLIN

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, BOOTS AND SHOES, CLOTHING, ETC.

BEST GOODS

LOWEST PRICES

Manitowaning, ONT.

Sold to

Department of Indian Affairs
for Wabigoon School

Accounts rendered monthly

Interest charged on overdue accounts

DATE	ARTICLES	FOLIO	CREDIT AMOUNT	DEBIT AMOUNT	TOTAL
<i>20</i>	<i>1 life Haddled</i>	<i>130</i>		<i>1.30</i>	
<i>21</i>	<i>12 Bars Soap</i>	<i>60</i>		<i>1.00</i>	
<i>22</i>	<i>8 large granite cups</i>	<i>12 1/2</i>		<i>1.10</i>	
<i>23</i>	<i>8 granite plates</i>	<i>15</i>		<i>1.50</i>	
<i>24</i>	<i>8 knives and forks</i>	<i>1.50</i>		<i>2.00</i>	
<i>25</i>	<i>8 spoons</i>	<i>20</i>			
	<i>Total</i>				<i>5.90</i>

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. A. Lewis
Agent.

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Reference
No. 152019/4

Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

16th January 1911

EXD.

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Sir/

Referring to official letter of date 4th Inst.
authorizing the purchase of certain articles for the
use of the Wikwemikongsing school. I have the
honor to enclose herewith an account amounting
to \$5.70 in favor of Mr. Wright McLaughlin who fur-
nished the school with the supplies authorized.

Your obedient servant

Indian Agent.

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

Recd Jan. 30 1911

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152019/5

Ottawa, April 21, 1911.

Rev. Sir,

Referring to your request to be allowed a grant for prizes for the children attending the West Bay, Sheshegwaning, South Bay and Wikwemikongsing schools I beg to say that the Department appreciates the efforts that are being made to induce regular attendance and is prepared to make a grant of \$6.25 each quarter for this purpose. Payment will be made upon the receipt of accounts showing the articles purchased with prices and the account for each school should be ^{separately} ~~separately~~ in order that the expenditure for each school may be shown in the books of the Department. The accounts for the West Bay and Sheshegwaning schools should be forwarded through the office of Mr. Thorburn, the Indian Agent, and those for the other two schools through Mr. Sims' Office. The Agents will be advised that this expenditure has been authorized. The first expenditure may be incurred at the end of this quarter.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. Eug. A. Papineau, S.J.,
Wikwemikong, Ont.

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Ottawa, April 21, 1911.

Sir,

I beg to advise you that the Department has authorized an expenditure of \$12.50 per annum for prizes for the Wikwemikongsing and South Bay schools in your Agency. Purchases will be made quarterly and instructions have been give to have the accounts forwarded through your office. This request was made on behalf of the teachers by Rev. Father Papineau, the Missionary of that district.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

G. L. D. Sims, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Ottawa, April 21, 1911.

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Your obedient servant,

over

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. Thorburn, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Gore Bay, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency,
No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND. 386567

South Bay School.

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The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Miss Zoe St. James,

DATE		AMOUNT.
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 152019/5, dated April, 21st, 1911.	
	To 3 Bals Shoe Strings,	.30
	3 Gal. Hats \$2.20	.60
	25 yds Muslin,	1.38
	4 pr Pants \$2.28	1.12
	3 Suspenders	.30
	4 do	.60
	6 pr Hose	.60
	1 Hat	.59
	2 Hats \$0.19	.38
		6.37

[Handwritten signature]

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L. B. D. Smith

Agent.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,

July, 11th, 1911.

Sir :-

Referring to Official Letter No. 152019/5, of
April, 21st, 1911.

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account
in favor of Miss Zoe StJames, amounting to \$ 6.37,
for prizes for the pupils of South Bay Indian School.

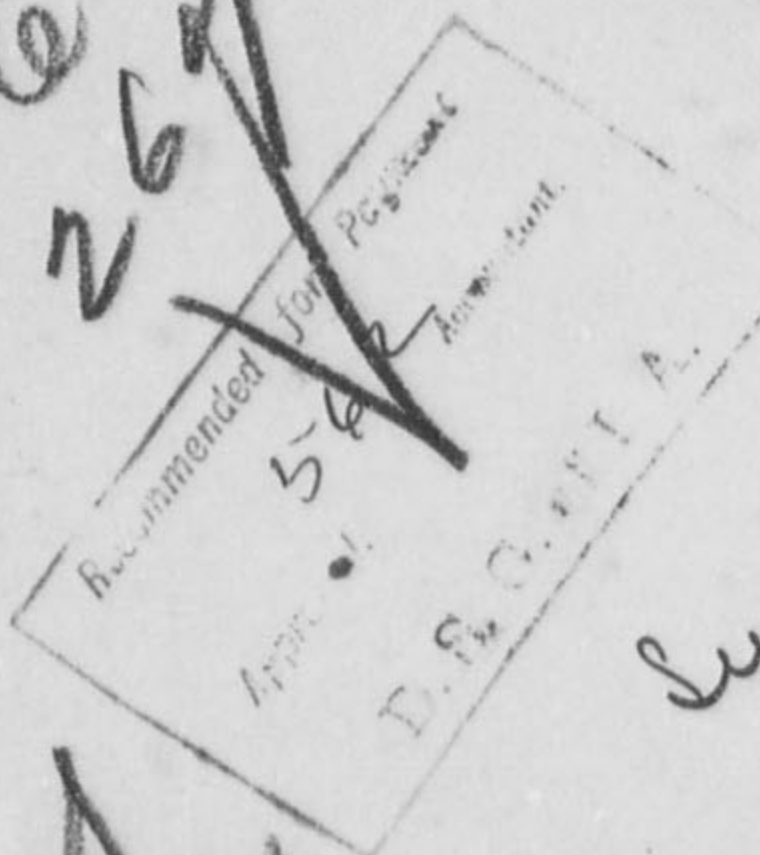
Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.



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Subd. July 20th 1911

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Manitowaning, Agency.

No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

386585

Wikwenikongsing School.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Miss Emily Frawley.

DATE		AMOUNT.
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 152019/5 dated April, 21st, 1911.	
	To 1 dr Inf soft sole boots	.25 ✓
	2 boys mule skin mitts @.25	.50 ✓
	5 Pencil Boxes @.05	.25 ✓
	3 Colored Pencils	.05 ✓
	2 Golf Caps @.39	.78 ✓
	1 Tam O Shanter	.25 ✓
	1 Childs Leatherette Satchel	.15 ✓
	2 Boys Shirts @.50	1.00 ✓
	2 Dolls @.10	.20 ✓
	Parchesi	.20 ✓
	8 yds Shepard Check @.25	2.00 ✓
	6 Patty Pans.	.04 ✓
	# Cake Tin with Tube	.04 ✓
	Scoll Cake Lin.	.04 ✓
	6 Mens Colo Hakfs.	.25 ✓
	3 Hats,	.50 ✓
		6.50 ✓

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[Signature]

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[Signature]

Agent.

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156 - 15,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

July, 11th, 1911.

Sir :-

Referring to Official Letter No. 152019/5 of
April, 21st, 1911.

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account
amounting to \$ 6.50, in favor of Miss Emily Frawley,
for prizes for the pupils of Wikwemikong Indian
school.

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Your obedient servant,

[Signature]

Indian Agent,

Notes 2/6/17
Recommended for Payment
by 2
Approved
D. G. C. C. A.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

13th July 1911

156--15

Sir/

Referring to the first paragraph of official letter dated 6th Instant, I have the honor to inform you that the desk referred to should be shipped either by the C.P. Railway via Owen Sound and boat to Manitowaning, Ont. or by G.T. Railway via Collingwood ~~or Owen Sound~~ which ever is the most direct route from where the article is to be shipped. On its arrival here I will attend to its being forwarded to Wikwemikong-sing.



Your obe dient servant

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa, Ont.

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2 letters



Ottawa, July 26, 1911.

Sirs,

I have to ask you to be good enough to ship, freight charges prepaid, by the Grand Trunk Railway Via Collingwood to Mr. C. L. D. Sims, Indian Agent, Manitowaning, Ont., one teacher's desk No. 4 in your catalogue for the Wikwemikongsing Indian day school. You will be good enough to advise Mr. Sims, when the desk is shipped and forward your account to him in duplicate for transmission to the Department.

[Handwritten scribbles and initials]
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Your obedient servant,

over

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

The E. N. Moyer Co., Limited,
12 Louisa St.,
Toronto, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency
No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

Wikwemikongsing school

The Department of Indian Affairs,

389258 Note 267
To John J. Morrow Dr.

DATE			AMOUNT.	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No. 152019/5 dated July 6th 1911		
Aug	2	To trip to Wikwemikongsing with lumber and Man to build fence at school grounds	2	5 0 ✓
Sept	11	To trip to Wikwemikongsing with teachers desk	2	5 0 ✓
			5	0 0 ✓

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Agent.

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Reference
No. 152019/5

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389254



Recd

Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

11th September 1911

156--15

Sir/

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in favor of Mr. John J. Morrow for two trips to Wikwemikongsing school as shown in the said account.

2

Your obedient servant

Vote 267
Recommended
By
1045

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

14/10/11

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

Sent Sept. 16/11

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Manitowaning Agency.

No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

Wikwemikonging School

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To E. N. Moyer Coy 389247

DATE	AMOUNT.
152019/5 July 6 th 1911	
Authorized by Dept. letter No.	

ONE MAIN
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E. N. Moyer Company, Limited

ESTABLISHED
1884

SALESMAN Mail.
SHIPPED TO Manitowaning, Ont.

TORONTO

WINNIPEG

EDMONTON

Always refer to this
Number

Our No. 71 3042

Manitowaning.
DATE SHIPPED July 21 / 11

SCHOOL FURNITURE - SCHOOL SUPPLIES - OPERA CHAIRS - CHURCH FURNITURE
Toronto, July 28th, 1911.

Sold to Mr. C. L. D. Sims, Indian Agent, 389247 Manitowaning, Ont.
P. O.

TERMS F. O. B. C.
Agents are not authorized to collect.

All claims against this bill must be made upon receipt of goods.

One # 4 Teacher's Desk

- 45238

13 00

(Ordered by the Secty. Dept. of Indian Affairs, Ottawa).

NOTICE

If you send us a Cheque, add 25c. for ex-
change. We prefer Bank Drafts, Express
Orders, Money Orders or Postal Notes.
THEY ARE CHEAPER.

IF PAYMENT IS MADE BY CHEQUE EXCHANGE MUST BE ADDED

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed
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C. L. D. Sims

Agent.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

11th September 1911

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Sir/

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account for \$13.00 in favor of the E.N. Moyer Co. Limited, of Toronto for a teacher's desk for the Wikwemikongsing school.

2
date 26/9
14/9/11
1044

Your obedient servant

1044
Indian Agent.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

Sent Sept. 16

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

389249

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J. J. Burns

Wahmukongjing School

Date 26th

DATE

AMOUNT.

Authorized by Dept. letter No.

152019/5 dated July 6th 1911

FREIGHT ACCOUNTS DUE
WHEN RENDERED

MANITOWANING,

Aug 19th 1911

M

C. L. D. Sims

In account with J. T. BURNS' Warehouse

The undermentioned Goods have been received at this Wharf, and are held entirely at owner's risk from any cause whatever, subject to charges as under:

No. of Pkg's	DESCRIPTION OF GOODS	Weight	RATE	Steamer's Charges	Wharfage	TOTAL
1	Teachers Desk	180	60	59		
			65	12		
				31	10	1.13
2	Bk Drugs addressed to Wahmukongjing Industrial School				10	10
						1.25

THE R. J. LOVELL CO. LIMITED, TORONTO

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

C. L. D. Sims

Agent.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

11th September 1911



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Sir/

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account amounting to \$1.25 in favor of J. T. Burns for freight and wharfage on a teacher's desk for the Wikwemikong school and wharfage on two Bbls drugs for the Wikwemikong Industrial school.

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date 2/67
14/9/11

1043
Your obedient servant

Indian Agent.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

Sent Sept. 15

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Extract from Mr. Inspector O'Brien's report
on the Wikwemikongsing school dated September 23, 1911.
Original on file 152019/6.

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The pre sent stove is an old one, broken and
otherwise unsuitable. I should recommend that a new stove
of the proper kind be secured, jacketed and installed
as the school architect no doubt intended. I should be
glad to give any assistance that might be needed to have
this matter properly done; it interests me very much as I
feel that it is the simplest and best system of ventilation
I have ever seen where stoves only are kept.



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Schools

Ottawa, October 6, 1911.

Sir,

Mr. Separate School Inspector O'Brien in his report on the Wikwemikongsing school states that the present stove is an old one, broken and otherwise unsuitable. He recommends that a new stove of the proper kind be secured and that it be jacketed. The Department is introducing these jacketed stoves into a number of its schools. This provides for a more uniform heating of the room and also for a supply of fresh air.

I am enclosing you herewith a copy of the plan and specifications for the installation of a jacketed coal heating stove which will be a guidance to you as to the manner in which the installation should be made. It would be well for you to purchase at once a suitable stove and then submit to the Department an estimate of the cost of having it jacketed along the lines of the one in the drawing. It is presumed that you will use a wood stove.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEMAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

C. L. D. Sims, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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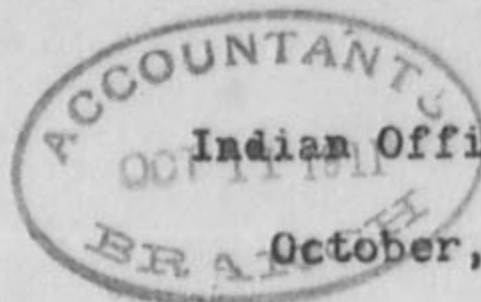
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Refer to School

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,

October, 6th, 1911.

Sir /-

Referring to Official Letter 152019/5, April, 21
1911.



I have the honor to enclose herewith an account
in favor of Miss Frawley, amounting to \$ 6.25 for
prizes for the children for September quarter.

Also an account for \$ 2.00, for caretaking and
scrubbing, the Wikwemikongsing Indian School.

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I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant,

C. H. P. S. in

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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152019/5

Ottawa, October 16, 1911.

Sir,

Referring to official letter of the 6th instant in reference to the installation of a jacketed stove at the Wikwemikong School I may say that the Department overlooked giving any instructions with regard to the carrying off of the foul air. This can be done by running ordinary stove pipes from the smoke pipe near the chimney to within six inches of the school floor, or, if it is not convenient to put it there, this pipe may be placed at the rear of the stove. It is thought, however, that it might be more effective if placed near the chimney. The object of this pipe is to carry off the foul air which is at the lower portion of the school-room.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
J. B. MOLEMAN

Assistant Secretary.

[Signature]
C. L. D. Sims, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Reference
No. 152019/5

Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

Oct. 20th 1911

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Sir/

Referring to official letter of date 6th Inst. regarding the report of Mr. Inspector O'Brien as to the stove at Wikwemikongsing school and enclosing a blue print and specifications for a jacketed stove with instructions to purchase one and then submit an estimate of the cost for having same jacketed along the lines of the one in the drawing.

I have the honor to report that the stove at this school is in very fair condition yet and is a very good one of its kind, not very badly broken either.

I note you wish me to purchase a wood stove, do you intend it to be of the upright pattern, like a coal stove? I can arrange to get a stove but I do not think I can get an estimate of the cost of having it jacketed here as there is not anyone available who could do this work and it would be very costly to import a mechanic to do the work at Wikwemikongsing, more so, in my opinion than the circumstances warrant.

So far as my experience goes with wood stoves, and have used them all my life, is that upright wood stoves are not a success as heaters, they usually smoke very badly when the wood is being put in and are not nearly so good as an ordinary box stove. I will await your further instructions before buying a stove for this school.

Your obedient servant

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

Indian Agent.



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Ottawa, October 23, 1911.

Sir,

156--16

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 20th instant in reference to the stove for the Wemikongsing School.

In reply I beg to say that the Separate School Inspector in his report stated that the "stove is an old one, broken and otherwise unsuitable". It is not advisable to have a broken stove in the school-room on account of the danger from fire and it is thought that you should arrange for the purchase of a new wood stove.

With regard to the jacketing of the stove I may say that the ordinary box stove can be jacketed just as well as an upright stove. The plan sent you showed an upright coal stove, but this plan was only sent for guidance. As, however, it would appear that there is no mechanic in the neighborhood who can attend to this work the question of jacketing may be allowed to stand over. It would, however be advisable to arrange to have a piece of zinc placed around the stove for the protection of the pupils who have to sit nearest it.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Secretary.

C. L. D. Sims, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

hole 267

The Department of Indian Affairs,

Manitowaning Agency,
Wikwemikongasing School.

To J. C. Irving & Co.

DATE.	AMOUNT.
153019/4 September, 25th, 1911.	
Authorized by Dept. letter No. dated	

Manitowaning, Ont., October 4th 19011.

MANITOWANING INDIAN

M. Department of Indian Affairs.

Bought of

J. C. IRVING & CO.

--- DEALERS IN ---

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps,
GENTS' FURNISHINGS, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE, ETC., ETC.

Oct. 4	20 1/2 Doz slates ²⁵ / ₅₀	1/2 Doz do ⁷⁵ / ₁₅₀	100
-	1 Doz Fini Combs 92		90
-	3 lb yarn ¹⁵⁰ / ₅₀	3 lb do ¹⁶⁵ / ₅₅	315
-	6 1/4 yds Blue 1 1/2	1 ave 9 saddle 125	917
-	6 pr shoes 175		1050
-	12 soap 62	5 lb D. Silecloth ²⁰⁰ / ₄₀	260
-	2 scrub brushes ⁵⁰ / ₂₅	1 w. w. brush 75	125
-	6 pr Dimples ⁶⁰ / ₁₀	1 Thermometer 50	110
-	1 B saw 102	20 lb Lard ³⁰⁰ / ₁₅	400
-	3 lb Tea ⁹⁰ / ₃₀	25 lb Bacon 375	465
-	3 pkg. needles 15	1 Bq Flour 275	290
-	6 window shades 135		
	Duplicate		
			\$ 41.22
			810
			\$ 49.32

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent.

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Reference
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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.
10th November 1911

156--16

Sir/

Referring to official letter of 25th September
last authorizing the purchase of certain supplies for
the Wikwemikongsing school.

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account
amounting to \$49.32 in favor of Messrs. J. C. Irving
& CO. which firm supplied the goods as per enclosed
bill.

With reference to the third paragraph of your
letter above quoted in regard to the supplying of six
pairs of shoes, I have the honor to state that the
children for whom these shoes were required are all
orphans with no one to contribute to their support, in
view of this I authorized the purchase.

Your obedient servant

Indian Agent.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

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Wilemikinging School

No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

Manitowaning Agency.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To

Alex Wilson

Note 267

DATE

AMOUNT.

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Authorized by Dept. letter No.

FREIGHT ACCOUNTS DUE
WHEN RENDERED

M.

In Account with

NEILSON'S WHARF

The undermentioned Goods have been received at this Wharf and are held entirely at owner's risk from any cause whatever, subject to charges as under

No. of Packages	Description of Goods	Weight and Rate	Steamer's Charges	Wharfage	TOTAL
1 Box		30	10		
				40	

40

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

E. L. D. Sims

Agent.

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156 - 16,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

December, 8th, 1911.

Sir :-

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account amounting to .40 ¢ in favor of Alex Neilson, for express charges on 1 Box Dumbells, for Wikwemikong-sing Indian School, from Cutler to Manitowaning.

Your obedient servant,

G. B. D. Simms

Indian Agent.

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The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

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John W. Keweenaw
Nov. 1911.

The Secretary
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Sir,

334940

I asked for a stove for the school, two years ago, and I got one, which had been in some other school, and had seen better days. The door of it is hanging on a bit of wire, and when we manage to open it, we can not shut it, & when we shut it we can't open it.

We dare not turn or close the damper, on account of the front being open, for it blows all the smoke and the flames out in two places at the back

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part of the stove. The building
is in danger from it. I
hope it will be fixed (I
doubt if it can be) during
the Christmas holidays.
Very respectfully
Emily Frawley

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Ottawa, December 26, 1911.

Madam,

Replying to your letter of the 19th ultimo, which only reached the Department on the 23rd instant, in regard to a stove for the Wikwemikongsing School I beg to say that on October 24th, last, the Agent was instructed to purchase a stove for the use of this school. He will be again written to in the matter.

Your obedient servant,

Signed J. P. M. H.

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Emily Frawley,

Teacher,

Wikwemikongsing, Ont.

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2 letters

Ottawa, December 26, 1911.

Sir,

On October 24th, last, you were authorized to purchase a box stove for the Wikwemikongsing School. The Department is in receipt of another communication referring to the very dangerous condition of the present stove and I have to ask you to be good enough to state what action, if any, you have taken in regard to the purchase of a new one.

*L. M. L.
A. M. M.*

Has letter been sent?

signed J. M. M.

Your obedient servant,

J. M. M.

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

C. L. D. Sims, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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W. K. Kungung
Dec. 1911

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The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs
Sir,

When the inspector
was here last September
he told me "to get some
galvanized iron and put
it around the stove." I
got the iron and Mr. Sims
has refused to pay for
it. There is a ventilator
under the stove, and when
the cold air comes in, it
spreads around the room
before it has been heated
by the stove. Mr. O'Brien
said that it was worse

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the useless as it was,
that there should be
something put around
the stove so that the
cold air will first strike
the stove and get heated
before it spreads about
the room. I got the
iron at Mr. Hines, Manito-
wing and paid \$1.25 for it.
So please see that it
is paid for. (I mean that
I'll get my money back)
Very respectfully
Emily Frawley.

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Ottawa, December 29, 1911.

Sir,

Referring to official letter of December 26th and previous correspondence I beg to say that the teacher of the Wikwemikongsing School states that she purchased some galvanized iron and had it placed around the stove in the class-room. As you are aware the Department has asked you to supply this iron, but since the teacher has done so her account for the iron should be forwarded to the Department for payment.

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Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

C. L. D. Sims, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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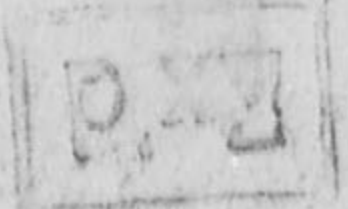
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2 letters

Ottawa, December 29, 1911.

Madam,



Replying to your letter of recent date I beg to say that Mr. Sims has been asked to forward the account for the galvanized iron used as a protection around the store at the Wikwemikongsing School to the Department for payment.

*For
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Your obedient servant,

John

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Emily Frawley,

Teacher,

Wikwemikongsing, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency.
No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND. Wikwemikongsing School

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Kingsbore & Baxter

Vote 267 396105

DATE.

AMOUNT.

Authorized by Dept. letter No. 152019/5 dated Oct. 24 1911

Little Current, Ont.

1911

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NEW DEPT.

WATCHES
CLOCKS
JEWELLERY
and
SOUVENIRS

Marriage Licenses
Issued

BOUGHT
OF...

J. G. KINGSBORE
HARDWARE AND JEWELLERY

396105

TINWARE, STOVES, PAINTS, OILS AND GLASS
Sawmill and Steamboat Supplies

Agent for all kinds of Agricultural Implements

One per cent. per month interest on overdue accounts

TERMS

DATE

ARTICLES

FOLIO

CREDIT
AMOUNT

DEBIT
AMOUNT

TOTAL

1 only heating Stove

15 00

15 00

J. O. B. Manitowaning.

gms

COPELAND-CHATTERSON-CRAIN SYSTEMS TORONTO AND OTTAWA

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent.

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FILE No.
152019/5

Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

8th January 1912

396105

156--16

Sir:-

Referring to official letter of date 24th October last authorizing the purchase of a new stove for the Wikwemikongsing school. I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in favor of Messrs Kingsboro & Baxter, Little Current, Ont. for the sum of \$15.00 being for one heating stove for the school above mentioned.

Your obedient servant

Indian Agent.

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.



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INDIAN OFFICE, MANITOWANING, ONT.

8th January 1912

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156--16

Sir/

Referring to official letter of date 26th Ult asking me to report on what action has been taken in regard to the purchase of a new stove for the Wikwemikonsing school.

I have the honor to report that immediately on receipt of your letter of October 24th last in which you authorized me to purchase a stove for this school I ordered one from the local dealer in Manitowaning. he did not have a suitable stove in stock at the time but assured me that he had one ordered, showed me the cut of it in a stove catalogue, and I told him I would take it on its arrival. I inquired for it several times but each time was informed that it was on the way but owing to the heavy freight traffic at that season of the year it would be late in arriving. As the condition of the roads did not warrant me in taking the stove over during the early part of December I did not go to see about it until the 15th Ultimo when I went to the store to take delivery of the stove and take it over to the school and have it set up, when to my extreme surprise Mr. Stove Dealer informed that his clerk had sold the stove and he had not another suitable one in stock. This is how I was humbugged in not having it in place. The roads since then have been almost impassible and I was unable, until to-day, to get another stove from outside dealers for the school. I have one here now and will

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa

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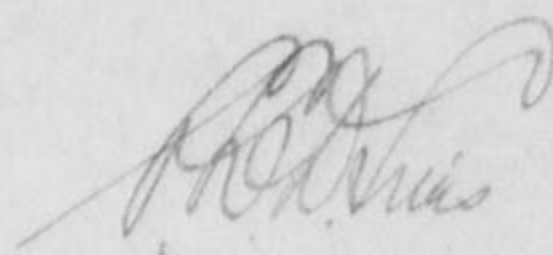
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have it placed in position at the earliest possible moment. I got it from a Little Current dealer and it will fill the bill to the letter.

Regretting the delay in this which I can assure you was quite unavoidable on my part

Your obedient servant



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File
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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

13th January 1912



156--16

Sir:-

Referring to official letter under date 24th October last in regard to the jacketing of the stove at Wikwemikongsing school.

I have the honor to report that I have just received a communication from Mr. Michael O'Brien, Separate school Inspector, Peterborough, enclosing me a plan for jacketing the stove which appears to be very much more simple than the one sent by the Department. The Inspector states that the system as suggested by him is the best for heating and ventilation for country schools. I am of the opinion that this could be done as suggested by the Inspector by an Indian tinker who does odd jobs of tinkering around Manitowaning if ~~the~~ the work was under supervision while being done. If the Department wishes I will have him undertake the work, but, I cannot give an estimate as to what it will cost as he will have to make the jacket and fit it to the stove at Wikwemikongsing. The Inspector will no doubt give you details as to the system he suggests.

Your obedient servant

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

Indian Agent.

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Ottawa, January 24, 1912.

Sir,

156--16

Mr. C. L. D. Sims, Indian Agent, Manitowaning, reports that you supplied him with a plan for a jacketed stove, which appears to him to be preferable to the one sent by the Department.

I would ask you to be good enough to let the Department have details and drawings of this plan, if possible.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Michael O'Brien, Esq.,
Separate School Inspector,
Peterborough, Ont.

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Material: galvanized iron - stock size sheets will do, although it would be better to have the stove jacketed forward to the front.

Shape: rectangular or square tapering at the top to give strength and to add something to the appearance.

Construction: put together with small bolts rather than solder, so that it may be easily put up, and taken down.

Erection: let jacket rest on floor all round cold air register in floor, set an ordinary box stove back through the opening in front of jacket so that back of stove may come within a few inches of back of jacket. The stove-door front legs and dampers will fall outside the jacket, but the front of jacket should come forward within a few inches of being flush with front of stove. Jacket should be firmly secured to floor and stove. The opening in front of jacket should be cut to fit close to the stove. There should also be an opening 8 or 9 inches in diameter circular at back of stove in jacket for the purpose of taking cold air off floor in the roomings, and through which the register in the floor will be accessible. This opening should have a sliding cover.

Note. I noticed, when visiting that the cold air was taken from the outside through the foundation from a point at the level of the ground. As this vent is an open shaft it fills up with ice and snow in winter. There should be a wooden flue built on the outside of the wall to the height of about 4 ft with a hinged cover which could be closed at night and during storms -

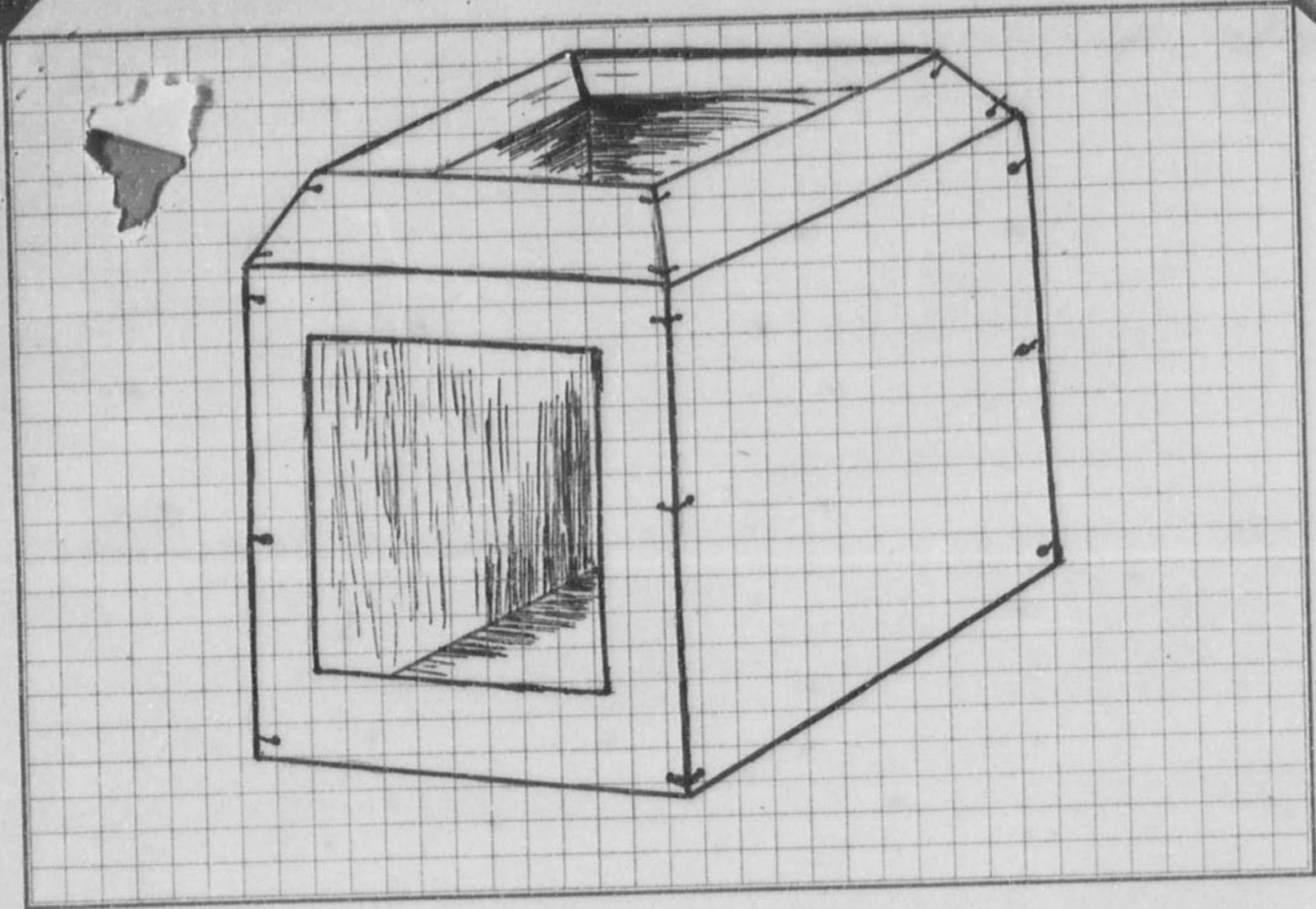
M. O'Brien

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MICHAEL O'BRIEN,
INSPECTOR OF SEPARATE SCHOOLS
PETERSBOROUGH.

152019-5

Jan. 27. 1912



397121



Dear Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge your letter of the 14th inst #152019/5 which is only now to hand re a proper stove for the heating and ventilation of the Indian School at Wikwemikong Sing.

I visited the district last September and found that a new school had been recently built with a very satisfactory arrangement for ventilation but our link - the stove jacket - had been neglected without which the arrangement was worse than useless - indeed the stove was not placed over the cold air register.

I was sorry to learn that something had not been done for this winter, as both children and teachers suffered there last winter. I know it is difficult to get skilful mechanics in that district, so I sent Mr. Sims a small paper model of a simple device which I thought he could get made in Manitowaning or Little Current. I shall not now take the time to make another model but from the enclosed rough sketch you will understand what I mean.

I trust you will encourage the agent to have this matter attended to, as neither the heating nor ventilation will be satisfactory without something of this kind. I understand that a new stove has been provided.

Yours

Dear Sir

Yours very faithfully
Michael O'Brien

J. A. McLean Esq
In Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa
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152019/5

Ottawa, January 31, 1912.

Sir,

156-16

Replying to your letter of the 13th instant I beg to say that you may have the stove at the Wikwemikong-
sing school jacketed in accordance with the plans and de-
tails submitted to you by the separate School Inspector.
It is noted that the principle is the same as that involved
in the plans sent by the Department, but that submitted by
the inspector may be somewhat simpler and as expert work-
men are not available the Department considers that it would
be well to adopt it.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

C. L. D. Sims, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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152019/5

Ottawa, February 2, 1912.

Sir,

I have to thank you for your favour of the 27th instant enclosing sketch and specifications of the jacket for the stove at the Wikwemikongssing School, which you recommended should be installed. The Agent is being asked to carry out this plan.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Michael O'Brien, Esq.,
Inspector of Separate Schools,
Peterborough, Ont.

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Acct

156 - 17,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

February, 5th, 1912.

Sir :-

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account amounting to \$ 1.25, favor of Miss Kintz, for galvanized Iron for the Wikwenikongsing Indian School. As per Authy. Offl.Lett. 152019/5 , December, 29th, 1911.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent,

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ask agent why miss
asked as
Kintz
received from which she
stated that she had
iron for the galvanized
of the Christian name
be given should

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency
Wikwemikongasing School.

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The Department of Indian Affairs,

337892

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To Emily Frawley

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
1911		Authorized by Dept. letter No. 152019/1 May 14 1911		
Dec	31	To Prizes purchased for the School children as follows.		
		Two Sleighs at 50¢	1	00
		17 Skeins of Cotton Stocking yarn		85
		12 Yards Dress Goods at 25 ¢	3	00
		1 Prayer Book		10
		1 Handkerchief		05
			5	00

ful

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

February 5th 1912

156--17

Sir:-

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account amounting to \$5.00 in favor of Miss Emily Frawley for prizes purchased for the children attending the Wikwemikongsing school. As authorized by Official letter of 14th November last.

Your obedient servant

Indian Agent.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.

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152019-5

Ottawa, 15th February, 1912.

Sir,-

Referring to your letter of the 5th instant, I re-enclose herewith the account rendered at \$125 for the purchase made by Miss Kintz from Mr. O. Hinds for the Wikwemikong School, and I have to request that you will kindly state why the Department is asked to make payment in favor of Miss Kintz. I may state that a letter was received from Miss Frawley in which she states that she paid for the galvanized iron which is charged for in this account. Kindly amend the account so as to show the christian name of the teacher, and furnish the explanations above asked for.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

C. L. D. Skms, Esq.,

Indian Agent,

Manitowaning, Ont.

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Copy for No. 5 Nishewemikongasing

Part 63

Ottawa, February 19, 1912.

Sir,

156-17

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 13th instant in reference to the purchase of prizes for the South Bay School.

In reply I beg to say that in official letter of April 21st, last, the intention of the Department was that \$12.50 should be the total expenditure at both schools for the year, or \$6.25 for each school. The Rev. Father Papineau, who was informed of the grant, has evidently misunderstood the Department's letter and told the teachers that the grant would be \$6.25 for each quarter.

The amount, \$6.25, for the year may be a little small and the Department has decided to increase it to \$10.00, or \$2.50 per quarter for each of the two schools. You will be good enough to at once advise the teachers accordingly, so that they will not make purchase for the current quarter over that amount. In the meantime as the other prizes were evidently purchased in good faith you should submit the accounts for payment.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

C. L. D. Sims, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

19th February 1912

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Sir:-

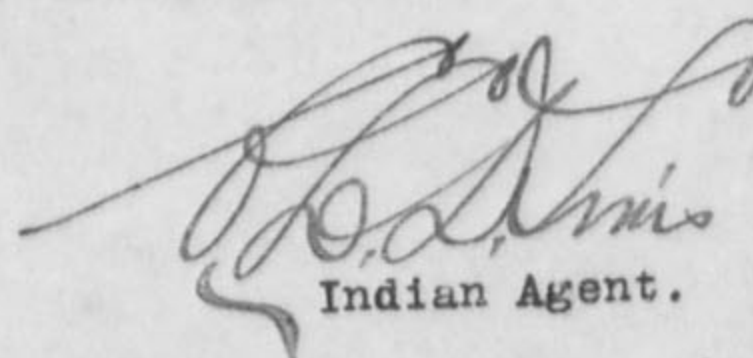
I have the honor to report that the outside doors at the Wikwemikongsing school have been a source of trouble since the first. They open out and are of such a size that when the wind blows it is impossible to hold them from flying around and breaking.

The last time I was at the school I found that one of the doors had come to grief in this way, it is split almost beyond repair.

The only remedy for this will be to have the doors taken off and made to open, in otherwise they are liable to be blown from their fastenings at any time.

I would most respectfully recommend that authority be given to send over a carpenter and have him repair the broken door and hang it on the inside and also remove the the other outside door and hang it to open inwards also.

Your obedient servant


Indian Agent.

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Miss Rose Hointy

Manitowaning Agency. 337890
Wikwemikongsing School.

No. of Account

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DATE.	AMOUNT.
152019/5,	338746
Authorized by Dept. letter No. dated	December 29th, 1911.

HARDWARE, STOVES,
TINWARE, PAINTS,
AND OILS,
FURNITURE, SEWING
MACHINES, AND
HARNESS
BUGGIES & CUTTERS
MASSEY-HARRIS
IMPLEMENTS AND
REPAIRS

Manitowaning, Ont. January 31 1912

Miss Hointy -

Bought of O. Hinds 338746
Hardware Merchant

ACCOUNTS DUE WHEN RENDERED

10 PER CENT. INTEREST CHARGED ON ALL OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

Oct 13 1911 Galvanized Iron

1.25-

Paid with Check
O. Hinds

2484

\$

125

Sub. Feb. 26

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

L. F. O'Sullivan

Agent.

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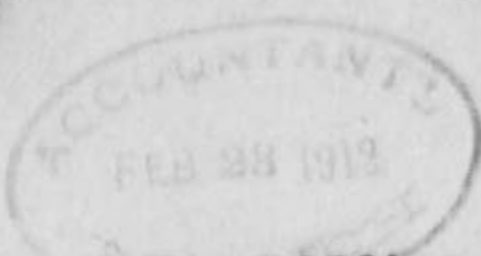
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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

19th February 1912

156---17

Sir:-

Referring to official letter of date 15th Inst. returning for amendment accounts for \$1.25 in favor of Miss Kintz for Galvanized iron for the Wikwemikong-sing school and asking why the Department is asked to make payment in favor of Miss Kintz in place of Miss Frawley and that Miss Frawley informed the Department that she had paid for this iron.

I have the honor to report that Miss Frawley did not pay for the iron, she ordered it but did not pay the merchant for it. Miss Kintz, the Lady Superior of the Mission at Wikwemikong paid for it.

This explanation should have accompanied the account in the first instance but was overlooked.

The accounts are returned herewith duly amended as per your instructions.

Your obedient servant

R. A. V. V.
Indian Agent.

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.



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Ottawa, March 1, 1912.

Sir,-

156--17

Replying to your letter of the 19th ultimo I
beg to say that you may have the broken door at the Wikvem-
ikongsing school repaired and have both doors rehung so
that they will open inwards.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

C. L. D. Sims, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency

No. of Account

Vote 267

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

Manitowaning Agency
Wikwemikongsing School.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To R. D. Boyter

400064

DATE.		AMOUNT.	
		152019/5 31st Jan. 1912	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No. dated	
March	1	Te making Galvanized Iron Jacket for stove and material for same	7 25
		JND	

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]

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400084

Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

13th March 1912

156--17

Sir:-

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in favor of R.D. Boyter amounting to \$7.25 being for jacket for the stove at Wikwemikongsing school as authorized by Official letter dated 31st January.

Your obedient servant

Indian Agent.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.

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Manitowaning Agency

No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

403780

Wikwemikongasing School.

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To NIEL McMARTIN

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DATE.			AMOUNT.	
1912		Authorized by Dept. letter No. <u>152019/5</u> dated <u>March 1/12</u>		
March	12	To repairing broken door and re-hanging both outside doors, furnishing steps and cutting down doors at Wikwemikong- sing school	4	95
		<i>put</i>		
		<i>sent May 22nd</i>		
		<i>123</i>		

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent.

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403780



Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

May 15th 1912

156---17

Sir:-

Referring to official letter of date 1st March last authorizing repairs to the school at Wikwemikong-sing. I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in favor of Mr. Neil McMartin, for the sum of \$4.95 for the work performed.

Your obedient servant

Indian Agent.

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.

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No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

406815

Manitowaning Agency,
Wikwenikongsing School.

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To Emily Frawley,

DATE.

A M O U N T.

151721/5, February, 19th, 1912.

Authorized by Dept. letter No. dated

Folio.....

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M. Emily Frawley

In Acct: with The J Eaton Co

Terms

69	Confectionery Store	150
	The Real goods	

780-750

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250

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Tom M Good

Agent.

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M Emily Frawley

In Acct:
with

The J Eaton Co

Terms

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Tom M Good

Agent

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per memo*



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156 - 17,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

July, 3rd, 1912.

Sir :-

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account amounting to \$ 2.50, in favor of Emily Frawley, for prizes, for June quarter 1912.

Your obedient servant,

Wm H Good
Indian Agent,



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

Manitowaning Agency,
Wikwemikong School,

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Wikwemikong Mission,

DATE	AMOUNT.
152019/4 September, 4th, 1912.	
Authorized by Dept. Letter No. dated	

441392

Wikwemikong, Sept. 21st 1912

M Department of Indian Affairs
EXD.

IN ACCOUNT WITH L. D. Dugas, Jr.

Wikwemikong Mission

7 dozen Baraga's large Indian Catechisms 4 20

970

Supplied to Miss Hawley
teacher of the Wikwemikong
Indian School.

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152019/4 Sep 4

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Recd. Oct 3/12

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

W. W. Wood

Agent.

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156 - 17,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

September, 24th, 1912.

Sir :-

Referring to Official Letter No. 152019/4, September 4th,
authorizing School material for Wikwemikongsing Indian Sch-
ool.

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account amounting
to \$ 4.20, in favor of the Wikwemikong Mission, for 1 Dz
Indian Catchesims.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent,

General Note
Recommended for Payment
974

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Sent Oct 9/12

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Indigenous Agent
The Catchesims should
have been bought from
Mr. L. H. Dugas.
The requisition have been
sent to the Dept for
them.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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Ottawa, 4th October, 1912.

EXD.

Sir:-

With reference to your communication of the 24th ultimo and the account which you forwarded from the Rev. L.W.Dugas of the Wikwemikong Mission, I have to point out that you should not have purchased catechisms from him, but have submitted a requisition to the Department for the books required. The account has been paid.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

W. McLeod Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,

October, 7th, 1912.

Sir :-

Referring to Official Letter No. 152019/5A, of the 4th, Inst, advising me that I should not buy Catchesims from the Wikwemikong Mission, but have submitted a requisition to the Department.

In reply I beg to say that the Catchesims were requisitioned for in the usual way and the Catchesims for the Wikwemikongsing School were authorized by Official Letter No. 152019/4 September 4th, and ~~the~~ and for the Wikwemikong Girls Industrial September 16th, 1912.

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Lord

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

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Manitowaning Agency,
Wikwemikongsing School.

To Nancy Shigwadja

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DATE.	AMOUNT.
Authorized by Dept. Letter No. dated	
<i>W. L. Livingston</i> <i>Sept. 30, 1912.</i> <i>Mailey Shigwadja,</i> <i>in account with the</i> <i>Dept of Indian Affairs</i> <i>To sweeping & cleaning</i> <i>school for one month.</i> <i>It was scrubbed once.</i> <i>\$1. 75. One dollar and</i> <i>seventy cents.</i> <i>Emily Lawley,</i> <i>teacher.</i> 1294	

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,

October, 7th, 1912.

Sir :@

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account amounting to \$ 1.75, in favor of Nancy Shigwadja, for care-taking of the Wikwemikongsing Indian School, for September quarter 1912.

Your obedient servant,

Wm. McLeod

Indian Agent,

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

Manitowaning Agency,
Wikwemikongsing School.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

412345

To Emily Frawley,

DATE

AMOUNT

151721/5 February, 19th, 1912.

Authorized by Dept. Letter No. dated

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M Emily Frawley 412345

In Acct: with Wikwemikongsing
The T. E. E. Co
Toronto

Terms

5 for Cotton Hose

50

1 for Gasquet Set

25

1 for Run Runners

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Wm. M. Wood

Agent.

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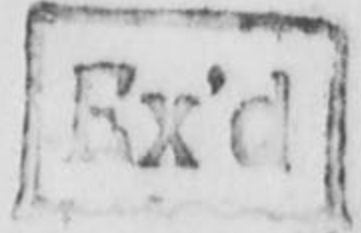
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Indian Office, Manitowaning,

October, 7th, 1912.

Sir :-

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in favor of Emily Frawley, amounting to \$ 2.50, for prizes for the Wikwemikongsing Indian School, for September quarter 1912.



Your obedient servant,

Wm. Whod
Indian Agent,

Sch. Vote
Recommended
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Approved
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J.H. [illegible]

Sent. Oct. 15-1912

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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The Department of Indian Affairs,

No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

Manitowaning Agency,

WIKWEMIKONGING SCHOOL.

To J. C. IRVING & CO.

412700

DATE.

AMOUNT.

Authorized by Dept. Letter No. 152019/4 September 24th, 1912.. dated

Manitowaning, Ont.

Oct. 12th 1912

MANITOULIN ISLAND

The Department of Indian Affairs

412700

Bought of

J. C. IRVING & CO.

--- DEALERS IN

For Wikwemikonging School

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps,
GENTS' FURNISHINGS, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE, ETC., ETC.

1912

Oct 12 Do 3 prs. Miss. Shoes

165

\$ 4.95

Duplicate

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W. M. L. ...

Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND. Manitowaning Agency
Wikwemikonging School.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J. C. IRVING & CO. *Sch note*

DATE.	AMOUNT.
153019/4 September, 4th, 1912.	
Authorized by Dept. Letter No. dated	

Manitowaning, Ont., Oct. 12th 1912

110th Department of Indian Affairs

412700

Bought of J. C. IRVING & CO.

--- DEALERS IN --- *For Wikwemikonging School*

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps,

GENTS' FURNISHINGS, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE, ETC., ETC.

1912	Sept 16	To 1 clock 2 ⁰⁰ Dust pan 1 ⁰⁰ 2 Brooms 1 ⁰⁰	3 10
"	"	6 B. combs 9 ⁰⁰ 12 bars soap 6 ⁰⁰	1 50
"	"	4 worm candy 1 ⁰⁰ 4 cast. oil 6 ⁰⁰	1 60
"	"	1 doz. Thimbles 3 ⁵⁰ 1 card Buttons 1 ⁰⁰	45
"	"	4 lb Grey yarn 2 ⁰⁰ 4 lb Red do 2 ⁴⁰	4 40
"	"	57 yd Fleec @ 11" 6 ²¹	6 27
		Total	17.32

Duplicate

153019/4
Sep 4/12

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Wm. M. Head

Agent.

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412700

Handwritten signature

152019/4 September, 4th, and 24th, 1912.

156 - 17,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

October, 16th, 1912.

Sir :-

I have the honor to enclose herewith two accounts in favor of J. C. Irving & Co, amounting to \$ 17.32 and \$ 4.95, for supplies for the Wikwemikongsing Indian School.

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Wood
Indian Agent,

Handwritten notes:
Sch. 100
Recommended for Payment
Approved
D. R. G.
15/10/12

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Recd. Nov. 18th

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Accountant

Ottawa, November 8, 1912.

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Sir,-

The Department desires to furnish the Wikwemikong-
sing School with seven pairs of blankets and sufficient
enamel to re-enamel their bedsteads and also linoleum
to cover the floor of the room in the teacher's residence
used a dormitory.

You may make the purchases of these articles in
Wikwemikong. The blankets should be medium priced and
you should purchase linoleum of the kind agreed upon by
yourself and Mr. MacKenzie when he recently visited this
school. A comfortable teacher's chair, which should not
cost more than about \$3.00, should also be provided for
this school.

Wm. McLeod
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Your obedient servant,

W. D. McLEOD

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Wm. McLeod, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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The Department of Indian Affairs,

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

No. of Account

415641

Manitowaning Agency,
Wikwemikonging School.

To J. C. Irving & Co.

Sch Note

DATE	AMOUNT
152 080/5 November, 8th, 1912.	
Authorized by Dept. Letter No. dated	

Manitowaning, Ont., Nov. 28th 1912.

MANITOULIN ISLAND

M D C Department of Indian Affairs

415641

Bought of J. C. IRVING & CO.

--- DEALERS IN --- Wikwemikonging School

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps,
GENTS' FURNISHINGS, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE, ETC., ETC.

1912

Nov. 28	Do white Enamel 1 ⁵	Chair 2 ⁵⁰	3 25
"	" 12 yds. Linoleum	1 00	12 00
"	" 7 pr. Blankets	2 20	15 40
		Dollar	\$ 30.65

Duplicate

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30.65

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

W. M. Wood

Agent.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Manitowaning, Ont..

December,
November, 2nd, 1912, 191



IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No.

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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

152019/5.

156 - 17,

Sir,-

Referring to Official Letter of November, 8th,
last, No. 152 089/5, authorizing certain supplies for
the Wikwemikongsing school.

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account
amounting to \$ 30.65, in favor of J. C. Irving & Co.,
for the said supplies.

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Wood

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

Manitowaning agency,
Wikwemikongsing School.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Miss Emily Frawley. 417632

DATE.	AMOUNT.
Authorized by Dept. Letter No. 151721/5 dated February, 19th, 1912.	
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M. Emily Frawley 417632	
In Acct: with The J. Eaton Co	
Terms..... Toronto	
Copy	6 Hankys 25
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	JWJ

I HEREBY certify that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Wm W. Lord

Agent.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Manitowaning, Ont..



January, 3rd, 1913

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. LETTER

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Sir,-

417532

Referring to Official Letter No. 151721/5, Feby.
19th, 1912, authorizing prizes for the Wikwemikongsing
Indian School.

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account
amounting to \$ 2.50, for prizes for December quarter
1912.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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No. of Account *Sole Note*

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

Manitowaning Agency.
Wikwemikongsing School.
423548

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Miss Emily Frawley,

DATE.	AMOUNT.
Authorized by Dept. letter No. 151721/5 February 19th, 1912. dated	
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<i>Miss Emily Frawley</i>	
In Acct: with <i>The J Eaton Co</i>	
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Agent.

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Manitowaning, Ont..



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April, 8th, 1913.

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Sir,—

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I have the honor to enclose herewith an account amounting to \$ 2.58, in favor of Miss Emily Frawley, for prizes for the Wikwemikongsing Indian School, for March quarter 1913. Authorized by Official Letter No. 151721/5, February, 19th, 1912.

Your obedient servant,

W. W. Lead
Indian Agent,

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See April 16/13

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

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Manitowaning, November 5th. 1913.

Sir:

In reference to Official letter No. I52019-4,
dated the 17th of September last. I have the honor
to enclose herewith an account amounting to \$ 26.21
in favor of J.C. Irving & Co. for supplies to the
Wiwemikongsing Day School and Residence.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]

Indian Agent.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa. Ont..

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Ottawa, 17th November, 1913.

Sir:-

Referring to your letter of the 5th instant, I beg to enclose herewith the account which you submitted from Messrs. J.C.Irving & Co.. It is rendered at \$26.21, but has been certified to by you at \$23.91. If, as would appear, \$26.21 is the amount which should be paid, the voucher should be certified by you at that amount.

*For
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[Signature]*

Your obedient servant,

[Faint signature]

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Wm. McLeod Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

No. of Account
Manitowaning Agency
Wickwemikong School

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To *J. C. Irving & Co*

DATE	AMOUNT
1913	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. <i>152019/4</i> dated <i>Sept 17/13</i>

MANITOWANING, ONT. *Nov 11* 1913
MANITOULIN ISLAND

M D Re Department of Indian Affairs

BOUGHT
 OF

J. C. IRVING & CO.

Supplies to Wickwemikong School
DEALERS

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Gents' Furnishings
 CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE, ETC., ETC.

1913

Nov	4	To Amt. Prot. Forward		23	91
"	"	2 Bks muelage ¹⁰ / ₃	1 Fin shovel ¹⁵ / ₁₀		25
"	"	1 Draw knife ⁶⁵ / ₁₀	1 Bk cloth pins ¹⁰ / ₁₀		75
"	"	1 Floor mop ⁷⁰ / ₁₀	1 Flour Sieve ¹⁵ / ₁₀		35
"	"	1 mirror ³⁰ / ₁₀	1 Bk matches ¹⁵ / ₁₀		45
"	"	1 st sulphur ⁵ / ₁₀	6 cakes Lifebuoy soap ²⁵ / ₁₀		50
			2 combs ⁷⁰ / ₁₀		
		Total		\$	26 21

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Wm Wood
 Agent.

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McLe Department of Indian Affairs.

BOUGHT
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J. C. IRVING & CO.

Supplies to Wikwemikong
School & Residence

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Gents' Furnishings

CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE, ETC., ETC.

1913

Sept	24	Do 1 gail ³⁰ / ₂₀ 1 do ²⁵ / ₂₀ 1 dipper ²⁰ / ₂₀ 1 saucepan ²⁰ / ₂₀ 1 Lamp ⁶⁰ / ₂₀	155
"	"	- 1/4 doz Egg cups ⁶⁰ / ₂₅ 1 Dry pan ²⁰ / ₂₀ 2 pans ²⁰ / ₂₀ 1 B. knife ⁴⁰ / ₂₀	86
"	"	- 1 Bowl ¹⁰ / ₂₀ 1 do ¹⁵ / ₂₀ 1/2 doz plates ⁴⁵ / ₂₀ 1/2 doz cups & saucers ⁵⁰ / ₂₀	120
"	"	- 1/2 doz soup plates ⁹⁰ / ₂₀ 1/4 doz Fruit dishes ¹⁵ / ₂₀	65
"	"	- 1 Soapot ²⁵ / ₂₀ 1 Tea Kettle ¹⁷⁵ / ₂₀ 2 Brooms ⁹⁰ / ₂₀	290
"	"	- 1 set speppers shakers ²⁰ / ₂₀ 1 cream jug ¹⁵ / ₂₀ 1/4 doz knives ⁹⁰ / ₂₀	125
"	"	- 1 set Irons ¹⁴⁰ / ₂₀ 1 Toilet set ¹⁵⁰ / ₂₀ 12 soap ⁶⁰ / ₂₀	350
"	"	- 1 stove polish ¹⁵ / ₂₀ 1 stove brush ²⁵ / ₂₀ 1 scrub brush ²⁵ / ₂₀	65
"	"	- 1 wash tub ¹⁰⁰ / ₂₀ 1 wash board ²⁵ / ₂₀ 1 dish pan ⁵⁰ / ₂₀	175
"	"	- 1 oil can ⁴⁰ / ₂₀ 1 stove pot ⁹⁰ / ₂₀ 1 set butter dish sugar ¹⁰⁰ / ₂₀	230
Oct	30	- 2 48 gillies corn ⁵⁰ / ₂₅ 1 - gillies ¹⁷⁵ / ₂₀ 1 clock ³⁰⁰ / ₂₀	525
"	"	- 12 48 Dowelling ¹⁶⁰ / ₁₂ 1 Bean. cup ¹⁵ / ₂₀ 1 wash bowl ³⁰ / ₂₀ (for school)	205
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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

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Agent.

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Manitowaning, November 21, 1913.

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Sir:

I have the honor to enclose herewith corrected account amounting to \$ 26.21 in favor of J.C.Irving & Co. for supplies to Wikwemikongasing School.

Your obedient servant,

Wm. C. L. L. L.
Indian Agent.



The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

No. of Account

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To

Wickwemikong Ring School
Sch. No. 1
J. C. Irving & Co.

DATE

AMOUNT

1914
Jan 15

Authorized by Dept. Letter No. *152019-4* dated *Nov 11/13*

MANITOWANING, ONT.
MANITOULIN ISLAND

Dec. 15th 1913

M. The Department of Indian Affairs *440984*

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OF

J. C. IRVING & CO.

Supplies to Wickwemikong School
DEALERS IN

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Gents' Furnishings
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE, ETC., ETC.

1913

<i>Dec</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>To 3 only C.B. Stales Small</i>	<i>17.58</i>	<i>31</i>
-	-	<i>1 pillow 175</i>	<i>100</i>	<i>275</i>
-	-	<i>2 Ropes (for skipping)</i>		<i>15</i>
-	-	<i>6 Dumb Bells</i>	<i>17.00</i>	<i>100</i>
		<i>Total</i>		<i>\$ 4.21</i>

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

W. M. Lewis

Agent.

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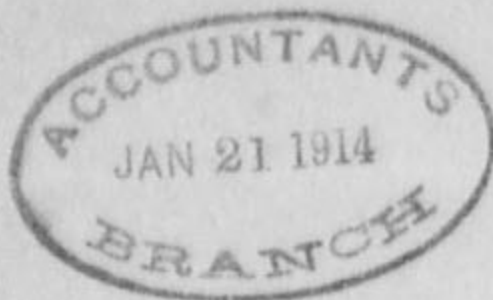


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156-18,

Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont..

January 15th, 1914.



Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 152019/4 dated November 11th, last, I have the honor to enclose herewith an account amounting to \$ 4.21 in favor of J.C. Irving & Co. for articles furnished to the Wikwemikongsing Indian School slates, pillow, dumb bells, and etc.

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Lead

Indian Agent.

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Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

Wickwemikong Supt
School

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Mary L. Mercier

DATE	AMOUNT
1914 Mch 30	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. dated

Folio..... Wickwemikong Supt 7/30 1914

M. Dept of Indian Affairs

In Acct: Ottawa
with Miss M. L. Mercier

Terms 1914

Wickwemikong Supt

Mch 30	To Board of Pupil	
	Mary Shewadje	444693
	Fred Shewadje	
	John Orambline	
	Josephine Orambline	
	5 weeks each from Jan 19 to Feb 28	
	@ 6.00 per month 4-5-20	30 00
	Jane Resnick	
	2 weeks from Jan 19 to Feb 1/14	1 00
		33 00
	Pupil Board at Wickwemikong	
	Supt School	
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	M. L. Mercier	
	Wickwemikong	
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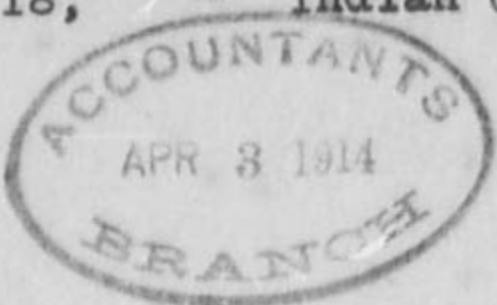
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156 - 18, Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont..
March 31st, 1914.



Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter dated November 24th last,
I have the honor to enclose herewith an account amounting to
\$ 33.00 in favor of Miss M. I. Mercier for board of Pupils
at the Wikwemikongsing Day school.

Your obedient servant,

Wm. C. Ross

Indian Agent.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont..

April 25th, 1914.

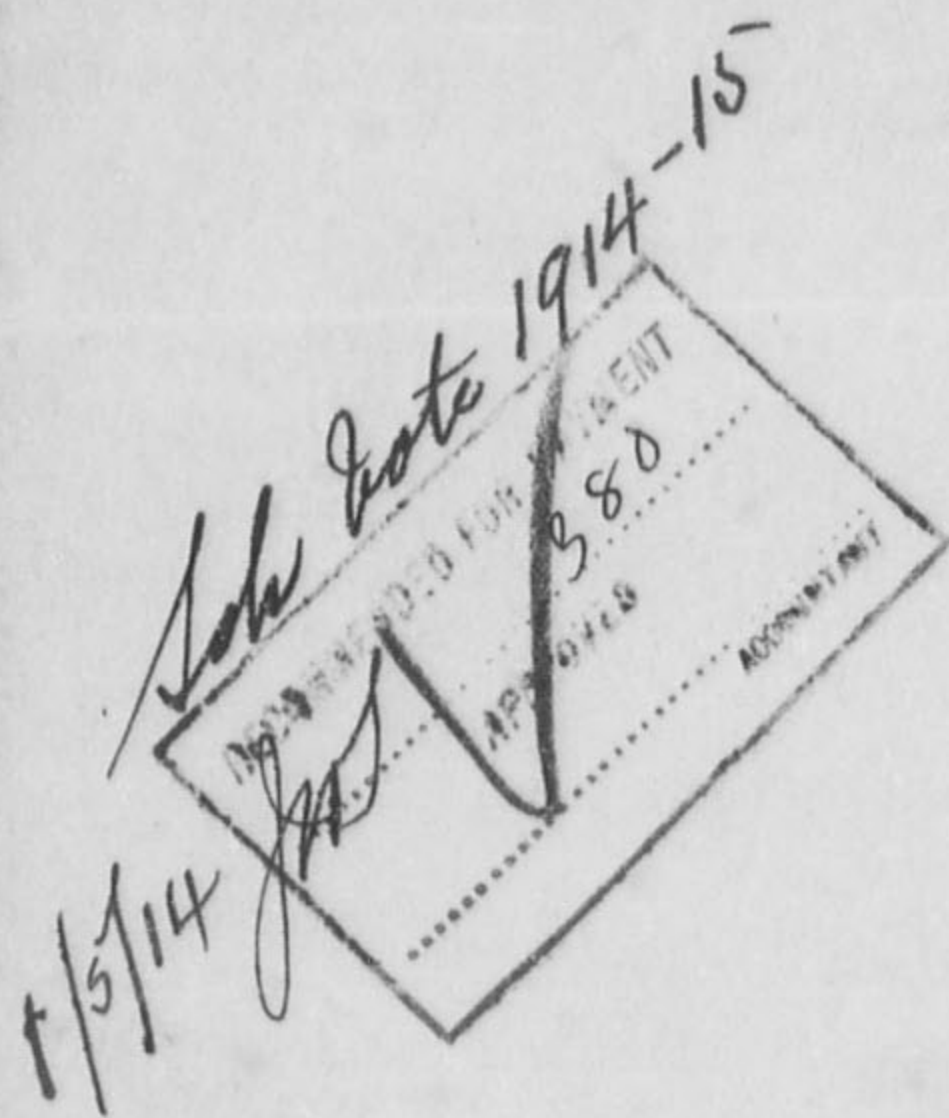
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Sir :-

Authorized by Official Letter No. I52019/4
dated the 16th Instant, I have the honor to enclose
herewith an account in favor of J. C. Irving & Co
amounting to \$ 5.15 for soap, brooms, stove polish,
flannette, spools, needles & etc furnished to the
Wikwemikongsing Indian Day School. <

Your obedient servant,

Wm Chod
Indian Agent.



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

Manitowaning Agency
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To J.C. Irving & Co

DATE	AMOUNT
1914 Apr 25	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. dated

MANITOWANING, ONT.
MANITOULIN ISLAND

Apr 21st 1914

Messrs The Department of Indian Affairs

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Supplies to Witkemuncung School
DEALERS IN

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Gents' Furnishings
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE, ETC., ETC.

1914

Apr	20	Do 12 bars soap ⁶⁰ / ₅	1 Bon Ami ¹⁵ / ₅		75
"	"	2 Brooms ⁶⁰ / ₃₀	1 Bk St. Polish ¹⁵ / ₅		75
"	"	20 yds DK Flute ²⁰⁰ / ₁₀	1 Dsg spools ⁶⁰ / ₅		2 60
"	"	1 pk. needles ⁵ / ₅	4 w. screens ¹⁰⁰ / ₂₅		1 05
			Total	\$	5 15

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Sent May 7/14

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

W. W. Hood
Agent.

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No. of account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND Wikwemikongsing School

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The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Joseph Peltier

DATE	AMOUNT
1915	
Authorized by Dept. Letter No. 152019/I dated July 18/14	

STATEMENT.

Wikwemikongsing, March 30/15

M Dept of Indian Affairs,

OTTAWA, Ont..

In af With Joseph Peltier, *Dr.*

TERMS:

1914	
Nov. 24	To 1 day labor with team moving desks & seats from the Wikwemikongsing school to Wikwemikong School 4.00
	200 ft of lumber @ 12.00 per M. 2.40
	2 pad locks for school doors .70
	2 Hasps and staples .30
	2 lbs nails .10
	Total 7.50

The lumber used for boarding windows

Subd 15/5 4563

\$ 7.50

I HEREBY the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Wm L...
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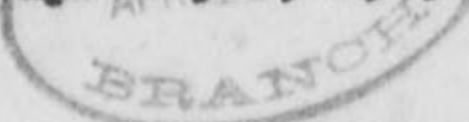
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April 5th, 1915.



Sir :-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 152019/I
dated July 18th last, I have the honor to enclose
Herewith an account in favor of Joseph Peltier
amounting to \$ 7.50 for moving seats from the Wik-
wemikongsing school to the Wikwemikong School, and
furnishing lumber and boarding widows & etc.

Your obedient servant,

Wm. L. ...
Indian Agent.



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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Manitowaning Agency.
Wikwemikong School.

No. of Account.....15

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To.....Isabelle Peltier.

DATE 1923		AMOUNT	
January	2	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 430214-5, dated January 14th, 1918. Prizes awarded to pupils in Junior class-room.	
December	8/22	To paid F.W.Woolworth Co., Toronto.	
		" 1 Ball .15, 4 Beads .15 - .60	.75 ✓
		" 1 Mirror .15, 1 Note Paper .15	.30 ✓
		" 1 Banjo .15, 2 Horns .15 ---.30	.45 ✓
		" 1 Bugle .15, 1 Monkey .15	.30 ✓
		" 1 Book .15, 1 Crayons .05	.20 ✓
		" 1 Package tags .05, 3 yds Ribbon .30---.60	.65 ✓
		To paid J.A.Doan of Manitowaning,	
		" 2 pounds mixed nuts @ .50	1.00 ✓
		" 4 # candy .25	1.00 ✓
		TOTAL:-	\$4.65 ✓

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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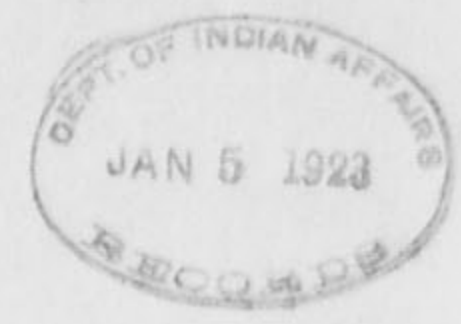
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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
January 2nd, 1923.



Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 430214-5
of January the 14th 1918, I have the honour to
enclose herewith a voucher, in duplicate accompanied
by receipts, in favour of Miss Isabelle Peltier
amounting to \$4.65 for prizes given to pupils in
the junior class-room at the Wikwemikong school
at Christmas.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Messrs J. C. Irving & Co, Manitowaning.

DATE		AMOUNT
1924	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
February 28		

MANITOWANING, ONT., February 27th 1914.
MANITOULIN ISLAND

M Dept. of Indian Affairs, Ottawa.

Wikwemikong School

BOUGHT
OF

BOUGHT OF J. C. IRVING & CO.

DEALERS IN

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Gents' Furnishings
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE, ETC., ETC.

1924	January 31	To 2 Thermometers @ 75¢ each	\$1.50 /
7949 sent 3/3/24.			
987			\$ 1.50

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

Manitowaning, Ontario.

February 28th, 1924.

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

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Sir,—

I have the honour to enclose herewith an account in favour of Messrs J. C. Irving & Co., General Merchants, Manitowaning, amounting to \$1.50, for two Thermometers furnished for use in the junior and senior class-rooms at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

There was no authority given to purchase these Thermometers, but the teachers at this school both claimed that they were badly needed as it was impossible to regulate the temperature in the class-rooms without them, therefore, I purchased the same from Mr. Irving, and would most respectfully recommend that the account be paid.

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Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..



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WIKWEMIKONG DAY SCHOOL

BUILDINGS, ACCTS. &C.

FROM

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

July, 28th, 1913.

Sir :-

I have the honor to report that Miss Kintz informs me that the following articles will be needed for Miss Frawley the teacher of the Wikwemikong Day School :-
Bed, mattress, and springs, dresser and wash stand, Toilet set, Cook stove and pipes, and furniture, Table, 6 Chairs, and a few other small articles. I would most respectfully ask permission to purchase the above for the teacher.

Your obedient servant,

W. McLeod

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

July, 28th, 1913.

Sir :-

I have the honor to report that Rev T. A. Desautels informs me that there will be some repairs required on the building which will be used as the Day School, at Wikwemikong. Should these repairs be done by the Mission or by the Department? If by the Department I will go to Wikwemikong examine the building and see what repairs are needed and report the matter ~~to the Department~~ latter on.



Your obedient servant,

W. M. L.

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..



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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

July, 28th, 1913.

Sir :-

I have the honor to report that Rev T. A. Desautels informs me that there will be some repairs required on the building which will be used as the Day School, at Wikwemikong. Should these repairs be done by the Mission or by the Department? If by the Department I will go to Wikwemikong examine the building and see what repairs are needed and report the matter ~~to the Department~~ latter on.



Your obedient servant,

W. M. L.

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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Ottawa, August 7, 1913.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letters of the 28th inst., submitting a list of articles required to furnish living quarters for the teacher of Wikwemikong Day School.

In reply I beg to say you are hereby authorized to make these purchases.

With regard to the repairs needed to this building, the Department will make them as soon as it receives a writing from Father Desautels to the effect that the building may be used for school purposes, as long as required. In the meantime you may examine the building and report on the repairs necessary.

Your obedient servant,

W.D. McLEOD

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Wm. McLeod, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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SPANISH RIVER INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

August 7, 1913.

Sir,-

In reply to yours of the 25th ultimo, No. 430214, I beg to say that the school is available for day school purposes. The building needs reparation. The roof is in bad condition and needs to be repaired at once.

For other information regarding that building, address yourself to Father T. De'Saulte's at Wemikong.

Yours truly

L. Dugas, S.J.,

Principal

Spanish River Industrial School

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa,

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the hill by the water.

The school roof needs some minor repairs.

I suppose both buildings and land improvements; maple trees, elms planted, good fence by the road side etc. may be worth \$4,000.00.

The mission will sell it \$1300.00 for the school building and what is in it and \$200.00 for the wood shed.

As for a rent I suppose it is worth \$20.00 a month.

But the mission will not take charge of repairing or remodeling the buildings if needed.

The Department will consider, I suppose, that we have expended more than \$100,000.00 at Wickenburg for the sake of education in building schools, burnt, and rebuilding and at last left most of them a complete loss.

These are the conditions I propose to the Department. I think they are more than fair.

Truly yours

T. A. Desautels, S. J.

Mr. W. McLeod.

Ind. agent

Sanitawaning, Ont.

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The recreation hall, the kitchen and a room on the lower storey have a good recent hard wood floor. The flooring of the rest of the building is in pine a little worn out in some parts but sufficiently good in a whole.

There are temporary partitions in the recreation hall that can be removed.

There are two round chimneys

Two fire escape apparatus.

A good system of ventilation

5 good box stoves with smoke pipes

Cupboards and shelves in the library and some other rooms & outside doors.

Water pipes and hydrants connected with the mission & tanks.

Acetylene systems connected with the mission plant.

For these two last items the Dept may make arrangements with the mission if desired.

There are two black boards fixed on the walls. etc.

There is a good wood shed 50 x 36 and a store room in it.

The school and dependants are built on the land ceded to by the Indians for the use of the missionaries. That land has been much improved. A solid stone wall has been built 20 ft from the North side wall of the school to protect the school from the gale winds brought down

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Wakewick Aug. 27 1913

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Dear sir,

In regard to the old boys industrial
school to say that I have nothing from the department.
I always expected the visit of some official but nobody
came. I am afraid we won't be able to open the school
the 1st of Sept. I will give you the dimensions of the
building and of each room in it.

Whole building	50 x 90	two storeys
Lower Storey		
School room	42 x 24 x 12	six windows, a door
Kitchen	29 x 22 1/2 x 12	
Room	13 x 22 1/2 x 12	
Recreation hall	50 x 50 x 12	
Upper Storey		
Class room	42 x 24 x 12	seven
hall	40 x 40 x 50	
Room	22 1/2 x 11	
"	29 x 22 1/2	
Library	10 1/2 x 15	

The two classrooms are on the sun side. The whole
building is well lighted

There is a good solid stone foundation, a good cellar

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430 214 - 5,

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont.

August, 28, 1913,

Sir :-

Referring to Official Letter No. 430 214 - 5, dated the 7th, Inst, in regard to repairs on the building which is to be used for the Day School, at Wikwemikong, I have the honor to enclose herewith a letter from Rev Desautels, giving a full description of the building, the size of the rooms and ect., and offering to sell or rent the building to the Department.

There is very little repairs needed on the roof and think the cost would not be more than \$ 15.00 or \$ 20.00.

Your obedient servant,

Wm H. Wood

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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430214/5

Ottawa, September 2, 1913.

Sir,-

154 - 5/7

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 28th ultimo with enclosure from the Rev. Father Desautels in reference to the school building at Wikwemikong.

In reply I beg to say that the Department only wishes the use of one room in this building and it is not disposed to pay a rental of \$20.00 a month, as, outside of the use of the room, the rest of the building would be of no advantage. An officer of the Department expects to visit Spanish in the near future and if so Father Desautels will be requested to meet him there in order that there may be an interview and some satisfactory arrangement made. In the meantime it is presumed that the mission will allow the school to be conducted in one of the rooms pending some final arrangement.

Your obedient servant,

W. McLEOD

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Wm. McLeod, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Indian Office 432593

At Emmilsburg

September 2nd 1913



MEMO.

Sir

Replying to Off. letter No 430214⁵ dated Aug 7/13.

I have the honor to report having visited Wabunungah to day. And interviewed Sister Brant's in reference to the opening of the day school. They are anxious to have the school opened. But they insist that an Agreement should be made between them and the Department before the Department takes possession of the building which is known as the Boys Industrial School. They are willing to either Rent or Sell.

With regards to repairs the lower school room requires a new floor 24x42. also a board partition dividing another room to make a suitable Bed room and living room for the Teacher also a high board wall outside dividing the Closets between the boys & girls probable Cost about \$60⁰⁰

Yours
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

For a Pleasure Remant
W. McLeod
Indian Agent

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Indian Office

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At Manitowishong

Sept 2nd 1913

MEMO.

Am

I have the honor to report that there is required for the Manitowishong Day School as follows

1 Teacher desk

20 School desks

also a supply of school books, slate maps etc to re-open the Day School.

Miss Duchamel. who is to have charge of the Day School. is having a few old broken desks and a table placed in the school room. Temporarily - for use until better can be supplied

The Teacher. is preparing a requisition form of supplies and as soon as completed will forward to the Dept

The Secy
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Yours Obedient Servant
H. M. Wood
Indian Agent

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Ottawa, September 10, 1913.

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MEMORANDUM.

Mr. Pedley,--

The industrial school at Wikwemikong has been closed and moved to Spanish River. As there are a large number of children living in the village of Wikwemikong for whom a school should be provided, the Department intends to continue the day school there, which was formerly held in the industrial school building. The Department has been in communication with Mr. Agent McLeod who states that the Rev. Father Desautels, who is acting for the church, demands a rent of \$20.00 a month for the use of the building and that the church authorities insist that an agreement should be made between them and the Department before the Department takes possession of the building. They are either willing to rent or sell. The building needs repairs and refurnishing, as they were allowed to remove the desks to Spanish River.

After careful examination of the old records I do not see that the church has any title to the property under which they could claim rent. They have been using a certain

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certain portion of the land in the village for mission and school purposes, but, as they have given up the school, I consider that the building used for that purpose reverts to the band. Father Desautels claims that the school and dependants are built on land ceded by the Indians for the use of the Missionaries. I think that any concession made years ago to the missionaries was on condition that they should maintain a mission and school. As the school has been abandoned they lose any claim they ever had to the property.

The school is now closed awaiting settlement. The teacher is under salary and school material and supplies will have to be furnished before it can be opened. I think it well, as I am going to Spanish River and Sault Ste. Marie, to interview Father Desautels and find out on what he bases his claim for compensation for the use of the building. It would not be well for the Department to enter into an agreement recognizing their title to the property, as it has never been surrendered and they have simply been granted use for certain purposes. There is no doubt that the Department has a perfect right to take possession of the building, as it has contributed \$8,000.00, as shown by the papers on file, towards

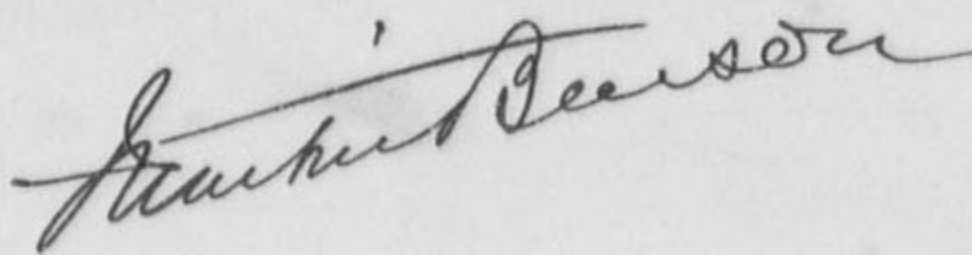
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towards its erection and it is built on unsurrendered land. I consider that Father Desautels is endeavouring to obtain recognition of their claim to the land, which does not exist. The opening of the school in this building would not interfere with any valid claim the church might have for compensation, but until they can show that they have such claim there is no reason why they should be allowed to virtually close the school.



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REPORT NO. 137 Manitowaning Agency.
Wikwemikong day school.
MINUTE NO. No. of Account 15

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Messrs. J. C. Irving & Co.

DATE	AMOUNT
1919	
December II	
Authorized by Dept. letter No. 430214/4 dated December 5, 1919.	
To 24 Window Glass 8x10 @ .10	2.40
2 # Putty .10	.20
1 Pkg Matches	.45
2 1/4 # Rope .40	1.10
Delivery charges to Wikwemikong	.25
	\$4.40

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent.

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154-5-21,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

December 11, 1919.

Sir,-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 430214/4 of the 5th Instant, I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in favour of Messrs J. C. Irving & Co. amounting to \$4.40 for window glass, putty, rope and matches furnished to the Wikwemikong day school.

With regard to the number of window glass required, I have the honor to report that there are about sixty windows in the school building and each window takes twenty four panes of glass, and there are storm windows for the out side of these windows which take the same number of glass; all these windows have to be kept in repair.

I might further inform the Department that the heavy windstorms this fall broke a number of glass in the windows in the west side of the school building.

Your obedient servant,

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs, Indian Agent.
Ottawa, Ont.



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Manitowaning Agency.
Wikwemikong day school

No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To R. J. Lewis,

DATE		AMOUNT
1919		
Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....		
December 12	To paid Joseph Atchitawins, or Roy, for 16½ hrs labour repairing and putting on storm-windows at the Wikwemikong school at 30 ¢ per hour	\$4.95

sent 22/12/19
6217

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
December 12, 1919.



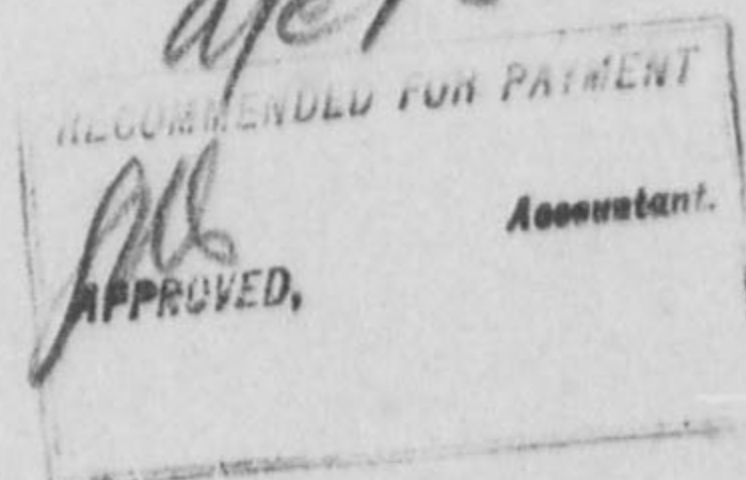
Sir,-

I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in my favour amounting to \$4.95 for payment made to Mr. Joseph Atchitawins, or Roy, for 16½ hours labour repairing and putting on storm windows at Wikwemikong day school.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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Manitowaning Agency
No. of Account 15

INDIAN TRUST FUND

Wikwemikong Day School.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J. C. Irving & Co.

DATE	AMOUNT
1919 December 19	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 430214-4 dated April 11th, August 11th, and September 22nd, 1919.

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MANITOULIN ISLAND

M Dept of Indian Affairs Wikwemikong
BOUGHT OF J. C. IRVING & CO. School

DEALERS IN

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Gents' Furnishings
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE, ETC., ETC.

1919

May 10	To	2 Brooms 1.25	2.50	
		6 pk Seed Beans 20	1.20	3.70
Sep 20	"	2 mirrors 50	1.00	
		2 Bz plates C.B. 2.40	4.80	
		12 Bars soap 10	1.20	
		2 pk needles 10	.50	
		2 scrub brushes 40	.80	
		2 Hooks & forks 65	1.10	
		2 Gran Wash Basins 65	1.30	
		4 yd Toweling 45	1.80	
		2 Gran cups 20	.40	
		Stage charges	25	12.85
Nov 11		2 Window Brushes 90	1.80	1.80
				18.35

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Sent 31/12/19

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154-5-21,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

December 19th, 1919.

Sir;-

Authorized by Official Letters No.'s 430214/4
dated April 11th, August 11th and September 22nd. 1919,
I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in favor
of Messrs J. C. Irving & Co. amounting to \$ 18.35 for
supplies furnished the Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa, Ont..

RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT
JLB
APPROVED.
Accountant.



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NOTE NO. Manitowaning Agency 16
No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND

Wikwemikong Day School

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Miss Zoe St. James

DATE		AMOUNT	
1920			
January	2	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 430214-5 dated January 14th, 1918.	
		To 2 Boy's Toques at 45¢ each -----	.90
		2 Yards Ribbon at 35¢ per yd. -----	.70
		1½ Dozen Hdkfs at 3½¢ each -----	.60
		24 Children's Books at 10¢ each -----	2.40
		1 Pair Leggings 1.00 1 Toque .39 -----	1.39
		Merchandise -----	2.00
		Total -----	\$ 7.99

6694
sent 9/11/20

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

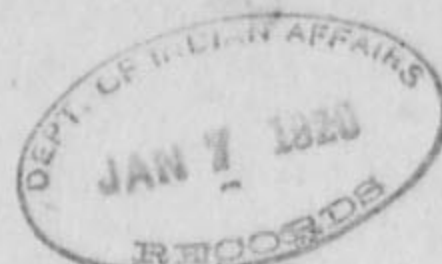
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154-5-21,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

January 2nd, 1920.

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Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 430214/5 of January 14th, 1918, I have the honor to enclose herewith a voucher in favour of Miss Zoe St. James, accompanied by receipts, amounting to \$ 7.99 for prizes awarded to pupils of the Wikwemikong Day School for September and December quarters 1919.

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Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
APPROVED,
Accountant.

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..



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Manitowaning Agency.
Wikwemikong Day School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To... R. J. Lewis.

DATE		AMOUNT
1920		
January	24	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....
September	4/19	To paid charges of stationery .90
January	22/20	" paid charges on stationery .75
		\$1.65

72 ✓
Sent 20/1/20 ✓
[Signature]

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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154-5-21,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

January 24, 1920

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose
herewith an account in my favour
amounting to \$1.65 for express charges
paid on two boxes of stationery for
the teacher at the Wikwemikong day
school.

Your obedient servant,

R. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

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APPROVED.	Accountant.
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The Department of Indian Affairs,

To..... R. J. Lewis.

DATE			AMOUNT
1920			
April	9	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
Feb'y	24	To paid express charges of Parcel of Stationery to Wikwemikong day school	.75



650
 Sent 16/4/20

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Canada.
P. J. Lewis
Agent

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,

April 9th, 1920.

Sir,-

I have the honor to enclose
herewith an account in my favour amounting to
75 cents for express charges paid on a parcel
of Stationery from Little Current express office
to the Wikwemikong day school.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.



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Manitowaning Agency.
REPORT NO. *205* *Wapikong day school.*

MINUTE NO.

No. of Account *15*

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To *J. C. Irving & Co.*

DATE	AMOUNT
1920.	
April 23	Authorized by Dept. letter No. <i>430214/4</i> dated <i>March 3, 1920.</i>

ACCOUNT NUMBER

MANITOWANING, ONT., *Apr 17 1920*
MANITOULIN ISLAND

M. *Mrs St James*
BOUGHT OF **J. C. IRVING & CO.**
DEALERS IN
Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps,
Gents' Furnishings
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE, ETC., ETC.

To	6 Soap 10	60
	2 Brooms 115	230
	4 brass Hooks 10	40
	10 brass buttons 15	150
	7 dk yarn 60	420
	45 y Lingham 40	1800
	5 y do 45	225
		<i>2925</i>

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sent 27-4-20

29.25

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Memo-covering Purchase of Supplies, the Cost of which exceeds \$10.00.

Supplies for the Wikwemikong day school, and sewing classes.

Supplies for which prices obtained including quantities.

2½ # knitting yarn, 6 skeins of Saxony yarn, 6 skeins of
Woollen Floss, 50 yards of gingham, 12 balls of Crochet
cotton, 6 thimbles, 4 ounces of Monarch down, 2 crochet
hooks, 2 brooms,

Name of Firms or Persons asked to quote.

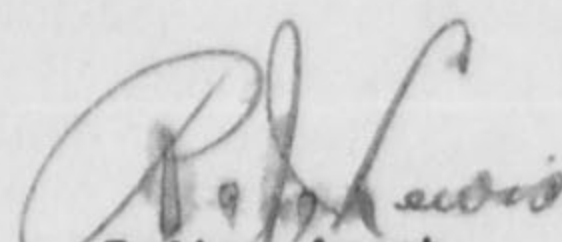
Messrs. J. C. Irving & Co, Mr.H.W.McLaughlin, and Mr.John Reynolds,
General Merchants of Manitowaning.

Name of Firm or Person quoting lowest price, giving price quoted.

Not any of the Merchants quoted prices.

Name of firm or Person who quoted.

NIL, no quotations received.


Indian Agent.

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154-5-21,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

April 23, 1920.

Sir,-

Authorized by Official Letter No.

430214/4 of March 3rd last, I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in favour of Messrs. J.C. Irving & Co. amounting to \$29.25 for a portion of the articles furnished the teacher at the Wikwemikong day school which were asked for on requisition of the 20th of last February.

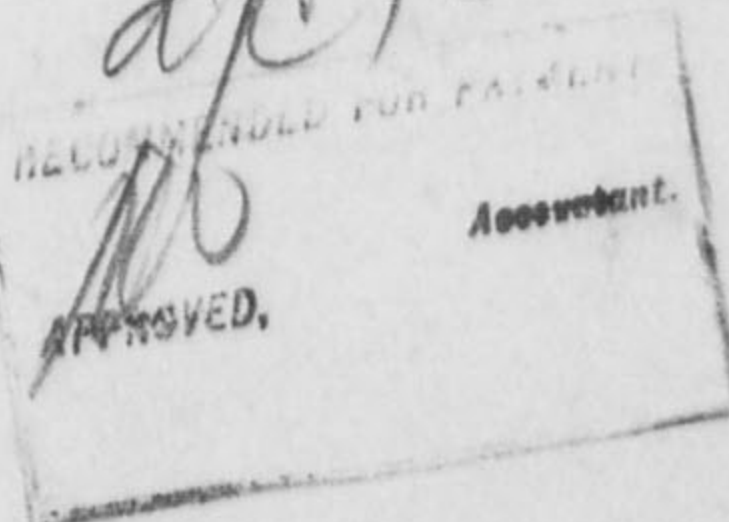
I also enclose herewith the information required by the War Purchasing Commission, as stated in circular letter of February 25th last.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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154-5-21

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

May 22, 1920.

MAY 25 1920

Sir,-

540840

I have the honor to report that I visited Wikwemikong school recently and found that there are a number of repairs to be made in connection with the building. It is such an extensive old building that it is very hard to keep in repair, but the following repairs will have to be made at once:-

Repairing stone foundation	cost	100.00.
" Toilets	"	25.00. ✓
" Doors and Windows	"	25.00.
" Well and covering	"	10.00.
" Floors	"	10.00.
" Drain under kitchen	"	10.00.
" Fence around garden plot	"	10.00.
" Cleaning school yard ...	"	5.00.
" School desks	"	10.00.
		\$205.00.

A new floor is required in the upper class-room but as it is not dangerous yet it may do for another term. ✓

The Junior class-room requires ten new desks in order to accommodate the number of pupils, and I would ask the Department to order this number and have them sent to Manitowaning, individual desks.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

Ottawa, Ont., May 27th, 1930.

Memorandum:

Mr. Scott.

[Handwritten initials: J.S.]

Indian Agent R.J. Lewis, reports under date of the 22nd instant, that the Wikwemikong School is badly in need of certain repairs, and recommends that they be done at once. A detailed estimate is shown on the letter hereunder, the total amount of which is \$205.00. I would recommend that the Agent be instructed to obtain competitive prices for this work, and in the event of these being reasonable, the repairs be carried out.

OKed

W. H. Murray

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May 29, 1930.

Sir,-

I have your letter of the 23rd instant in reference to repairs required at the Wikwemikong School, and in reply to say that you should obtain competitive prices from local contractors in your vicinity for the repairs outlined in your communication, the prices to be submitted to the Department when further consideration will be given this matter.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R.J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Extract from Inspector's report on the Wikwemikong School
May 26, 1920. Original on 430214-6

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Girls' toilet in bad condition.

Boys' toilet needs attention. New ones should be erected
for this crowd of children.

A new floor is needed in the primary class room and the
walls need whitewashing or kalsomining.

See under

J. M. Bennett,

Insp.



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I54-5-21,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

July 5, 1920.

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Architect

Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. I9-6-5 of May 29th, last, I have the honor to report that there are not any contractors in this vicinity to obtain competitive prices from. The work can be done much cheaper by hiring Indian labour.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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REPORT NO. 244 Manitowaning Agency.
Wikwemikong day School.

MINUTE NO.

No. of Account. 715

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Miss Zoe St. James.

DATE		AMOUNT	
1920.		430214/5	January 14, 1918.
July	5	Authorized by Dept. letter No. dated	
March	13	To paid The H.H. Wiltzius Art Company 100 Statuettes	1.02.
"	13	" " D & J. Sadlier & Co., articles	1.73.
June	11	" " La cie E. Alfred Guay Ltee	3.25
"	21	" " L. Desjardins, beads	2.00
		TOTAL:--	\$8.00.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
July 5, 1920.

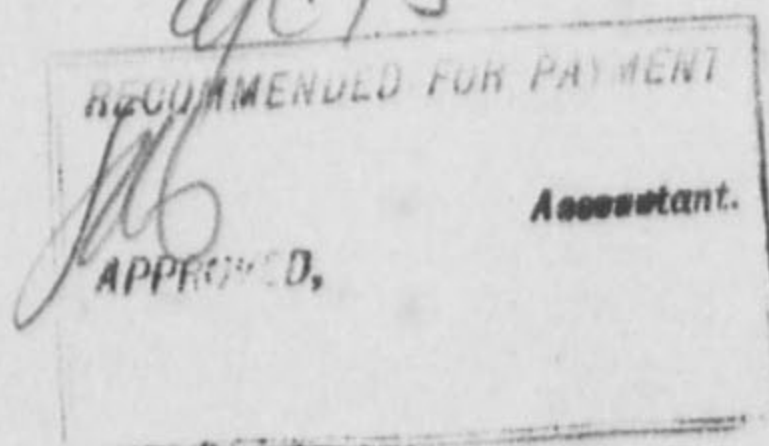
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Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 430214/5
of January 14th, 1918, I have the honor to enclose herewith
an account in favour of Miss St. James amounting to \$8.00,
accompanied by receipts, for prizes awarded to pupils of the
Wikwemikong day school for March and June quarters 1920.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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Manitowaning Agency.
Wikwemikong Day School.

REPORT NO. *244*

No. of Account *15*

MINUTE INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Miss Zoe St. James.

DATE			AMOUNT
1920			
July	6	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
May	29	To 12 # Nails09	1.08.
		4 # Putty15	.60
		7 Panes of Glass12	.84
			\$2.52.

J. C. IRVING & CO.

DEALERS IN
Dry Goods, Ready-made Clothing, Boots
Shoes, Hardware, Etc.

Manitowaning, *May 29 1920*

Sold to *Miss Zoe St. James*

Sold by _____ Got by _____

COPELAND-CHATTERSON SYSTEMS BRAMPTON ONT. 48630-17

To 12# Nails 3	1.08.
4# Putty 15	.60.
7 Glass 12	.84.
	2.52.

Paid

The material has been supplied, the work performed
has been incurred legitimately and that each item
is of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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I54-5-21,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

July 6, 1920.

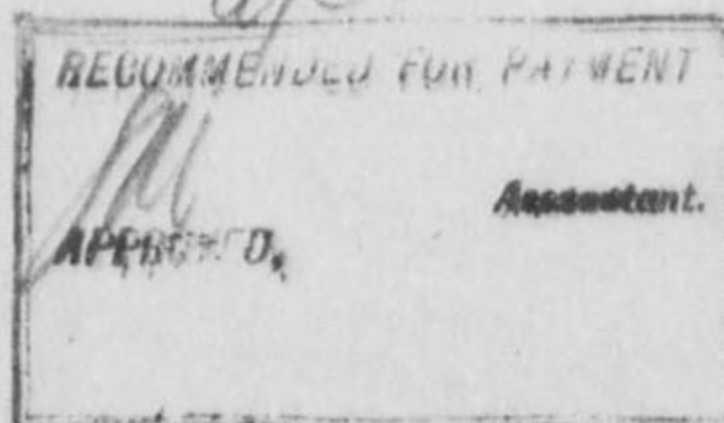
Sir:-

I have the honor to enclose
herewith an account in favour of Miss Zoe St. James
amounting to \$2.52 for payment made for nails, putty
and glass for repairs to the Wikwemikong Day School.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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Manitowaning Agency.
REPORT NO. 444 Wikwemikong day school.

MINUTE NO. No. of Account 15

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Zoe St. James.

DATE		AMOUNT	
1920.			
July 5	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 430214/4 dated March 3rd, 1920.		
April 17	To paid H.W. McLaughlin for Floss		.96.
	" " T. Eaton & Co., " 4 oz Rhoss		2.32.
TOTAL:-			3.18.

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16/7/20

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

P. J. Lewis
Agent.

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154-5-21,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

July 5, 1920.

Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 430214/4 of March 3rd last, I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in favour of Miss Zoe St. James, principal teacher at Wikwemikong, amounting to \$3.18, for floss purchased from Mr. H.W. McLaughlin and T. Eaton & Co., for the use of the sewing class at her school.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. L.
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

3 a/c
3.18
2.52
8.00
13.70 - 3021
sent 16/7/20.

RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT
APPROVED
Accountant.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

Ottawa, July 10, 1920.

Memorandum:

Mr. Scott.

With further reference to my memorandum of May 27th, relating to repairs required at the Wikwemikong School, Indian Agent Lewis was communicated with and asked to obtain competitive prices and submit same to the Department. He has replied that there are no contractors in that vicinity to obtain competitive prices from, but recommends that the work be done by employing Indian labour. He has estimated the cost of the work at \$205.00.

Will you please advise if the Indian Agent should be instructed to have these repairs carried out by the Indians.

OK JES *W. H. Thompson*

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note
[Handwritten signature]



July 15, 1920.

Sir,-

[Handwritten initials]

I have your letter of the 5th instant, with reference to repairs required at the Wikwemikong School, and in reply to inform you that you may have these repairs, as outlined in your letter of May 22nd, carried out by employing Indian labour. The cost must not exceed your estimate of \$205.00.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]
J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R.J. Lewis, Esq.,

Indian Agent,

Manitowaning, Ont.

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REPORT NO. 250
MINUTE NO.
Manitowaning Agency
No. of Account 15

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

Wikwemikong Day School

To The Globe Furniture Co. Ltd., Waterloo, Ont

DATE	AMOUNT
1920 July 26	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 430214/4 dated June 25th, 1920.

Established 1889

Formerly of Walkerville

MANUFACTURERS OF
ARTISTIC CHURCH FURNITURE, PEWS,
PULPIT FURNITURE, ALTARS, VESTMENT
CASES, ALTAR RAILS, LECTURNS, CHOIR
FURNITURE, ALSO SCHOOL FURNITURE,
OPERA AND ASSEMBLY CHAIRS



Binder Folio.....

Ledger Folio.....

Our Order No. 5677

Your Order No.

WATERLOO, ONT., June 28, 19120

SOLD TO Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Form 151

SHIPPED BY C.P.R. Prepaid TERMS Cash

Wikwemikong Indian Day School, Manitowaning, Ontario.

To	6	#5	Globe Steel Auto. Single Desks	8.95	-	53.70	✓
	6	6	" " " " " "	8.95		53.70	✓
						\$107.40	✓
			Less 10%	-	-	10.74	✓
						\$ 96.66	✓
			Government Tax 2%	-	-	1.93	✓
						\$ 98.59	✓

E. & O. E.

3417 sent Aug 5/20
MRT

\$ 98.59

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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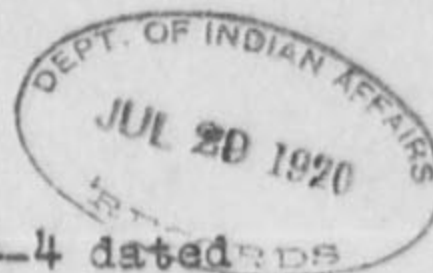
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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
July 26th, 1920.

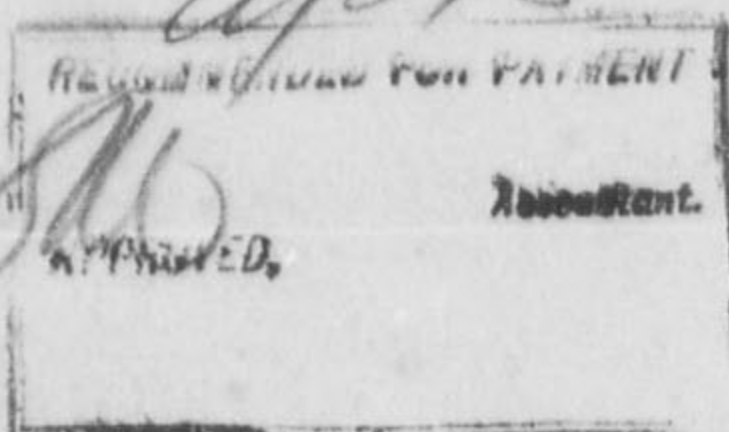


Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 430214-4 dated June 25th, last, I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in favour of The Globe Furniture Co., Limited, Waterloo, Ont., amounting to \$ 98.59 for Desks furnished for the junior class-room of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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[Handwritten signature]
Extract from Inspector's Report on the Wikwemikong School
September 15, 1920. Original on 430214-6

I suggest that the walls of the junior class-room be
renovated in some way in the springtime. It is necessary.
I cannot overlook the floor in the junior room. It needs
replacing as soon as the Department can do so.

J. M. Bennett,

Insp.

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19-6-5

Ottawa, September 24, 1920.

Sir,-

Mr. Inspector Bennett, who recently visited the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, states that the walls of the junior class-room should be renovated in some way next spring and the floor in the junior room be replaced as soon as the Department can do so.

You will be good enough to secure an estimate of the cost of renovating the walls of the junior class-room and also the cost of replacing the floor and furnish the quotations received for the Department's consideration.

Your obedient servant



for Assistant Deputy and Secretary

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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Wikwemikong day school.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To E. J. Lewis.

DATE		AMOUNT
1920.	430214/4 June 25th, 1920.	
October 9	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
July 14	To paid J.T. Burns, dockage	.25 ✓
August 18	" " Joe Jacko frieghting desks to Wikwemikong	1.00 ✓
September 8	" " Chas. Young one day's labour putting desks together at Wikwemikong	3.50 ✓
	TOTAL:-	\$4.75 ✓

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

E. J. Lewis
Agent.

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I54-5-22,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

October 9, 1920.

Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 430214/4 of the 25th of last June, in regard to a supply of school desks being shipped from the The Globe Furniture Co. Limited, Waterloo, Ont., to the Wikwemikong day school, I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in my favour amounting to \$4.75 for payments made in connection with those desks, such as dockage at Manitowaning, freighting to Wikwemikong and putting the desks together at the school.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

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The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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OCT 14 1920
RECORDS

I54-5-22,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

October 12, 1920.

Sir:-

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In reply to Official Letter

No. 19-6-5 of September 24th, last, with regard to the report of Mr. Inspector Bennett stating that the walls in the junior class-room should be renovated and the floor replaced, I have the honor to report that I asked Messrs. McMartin & Gould, the only contractors of this place, for quotations on the cost of making these repairs, which were \$55.00 for renovating the walls, and \$424.50 for removing the old floor and replacing it with a maple floor, grade XXX, 13/16 Maple 2 1/2" wide, with two coats of oil.

*Acct
Can the Band
fund to provide
\$477.50 to pay costs
of making these
repairs?
J.D.B.*

*See p. 8 K.
JMB*

Your obedient servant,

SCHOOLS BRANCH
OCT 19 1920

R. J. Keewee
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa, October 19, 1920.

Sir,-

154-5-22

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 12th instant furnishing an estimate of the cost of having the walls in the junior class-room of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School renovated and a new floor put in.

In reply I beg to say that you may arrange to have this work done and, as you state that Messrs. McMartin and Gould are the only contractors in the place, you may arrange with them to do the work. The price for the labour and material should not exceed the estimate submitted by you, namely,- \$53.00 for renovating the walls and \$424.50 for removing the old floor and replacing it with a maple floor of the grade of flooring mentioned by you and giving it two coats of oil. I may say that funds for the purpose can be provided from the interest at the credit of the band. You should give this matter your early attention and it is hoped that while the work is being done it will not seriously interfere with the carrying on of the class work.

As soon as the work is completed you should forward properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, covering the expenditure, which should not exceed the above amount.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie
For Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Wikwemikong day school.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To R. J. Lewis.

DATE		AMOUNT	
1920.			
October	13	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-6-5 dated July 15/20.	
June	I	To paid Messrs. J. C. Irving & Co. for	
		2 # of 5" spikes at .10	.20
		4 # 3" nails " .10	.40
			.60 -
"	4	" " Jos. Blackbird or Assiginack, 100 ft of plank at \$50.00 per M5.00 1 days' labour 3.50	8.50 -
"	25	" " John Anosse for repairing fence, 11 hrs labour at .35 per hr.	3.85 -
"	25	" " Jos. Blackbird or Assiginack, for repairing school fence and cleaning school yard, 20 hrs. labour at .35 per hr.	7.00 -
July	15	" " Joseph Blackbird or Assiginack, for repairing closets, 36 pieces of timber for covering at .50 per stick 18.00 2 days' labour at 3.50 per day 7.00	25.00 -
		TOTAL:-	\$44.95

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R. J. Lewis
Ag

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OCT 15 1920
RECORDS

I54-5-22,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
October 13, 1920.

Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No.
I9-6-5 of July 15th, last, I have the honor to
enclose herewith an account in my favour amounting
to \$44.90 for payments made by me in connection with
having the well, fence and closets repaired and the
yard cleaned at the Wikwemikong day school.

With regard to payment made for
timber to repair the closets, there ~~were~~ some plank
required for covering which I could not procure,
so I had to get the Indian to take out timber and
~~flatten it for the purpose.~~

I thought that I could have all
the repairs required to the building completed
before sending in the account for payment, but it
is almost impossible to secure labour.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

ACCOUNTANTS
OCT 22 1920
RECEIVED FOR PAYMENT
APPROVED
Accountant.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

REPORT NO.....

The Department of Indian Affairs,

MINUTE NO.....

To Messrs J.C. Irving & Co.

DATE	AMOUNT
1920.	
November 15	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 430214/4 dated June 12, 1920.

ACCOUNT NUMBER	
MANITOWANING, ONT. Oct 15, 1920, for	
MANITOULIN ISLAND	
M Dept. of Indian Affairs,	
BOUGHT OF J. C. IRVING & CO.	
DEALERS IN	
Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps,	
Gents' Furnishings	
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE, ETC., ETC.	
1920.	
Sept. 20	To 2 dz. C.B. Slates @ 3.60 7.20.
" 23	" 10 yds Towelling .35 3.50
	\$10.70

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19/11/20

\$ 10.70

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. Lewis
Agent.

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MEMO, Covering Purchase of Supplies, the cost of which
exceeds \$10.00.

2 dozen slates and 10 yards of towelling for
the teacher at the Wikwemikong Day School.

SUPPLIES for which prices obtained including quantities.

2 dozen slates cloth bound, and 10 yards of Towelling.

Name of Firms or person asked to quote.

Messrs J. C. Irving & Co. General Merchants.
Mr. H. W. McLaughlin. " "
Mr. John Reynolds. " "

Name of Firm or Person quoting lowest price, giving prices quoted

No Person quoted as there were not any slates in the
place.
I had to have Messrs. J. C. Irving & Co., send to Toronto
for slates.

Names of Firms or Persons who quoted.

No Firms or Persons quoted.

Your obedient servant,

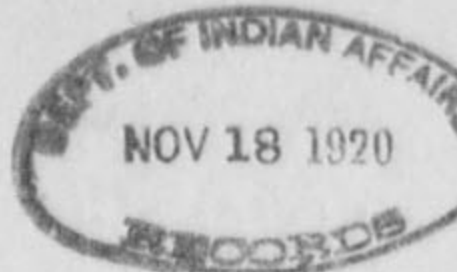
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154-5-22,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
November 15, 1920.

Sir:-

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Authorized by Official Letter No. 430214/4 of June 12th, last, I have the honour to enclose herewith an account in favour of Messrs. J. C. Irving & Co. amounting to \$10.70 for slates and towelling furnished to the Wikwemikong day school.

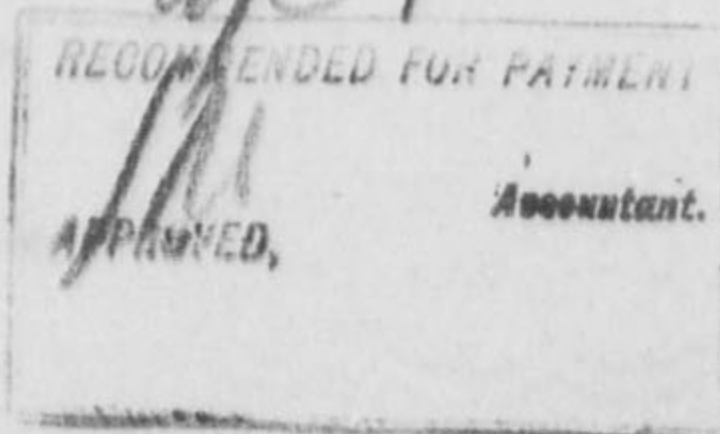
I enclose herewith information asked for by Department in connection with making purchases over \$10.00.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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Wikwemikong day school.

REPORT NO. 256

No. of Account 15

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Messrs. J. C. Irving & Co.

DATE	AMOUNT																
1920. November 15	430214/4 July 10, 1920. Authorized by Dept. letter No. dated																
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sent 19/11/20

R. J. Lewis
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I54-5-22, Indian Office, Manitowaning,
November 15, 1920.

Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter
No. 430214/4 of July 10, last, I have the
honour to enclose herewith an account in favour
of Messrs. J. C. Irving & Co. amounting to \$10.00
for brooms, pails, scrub brushes, soap, combs
and silkoline furnished to the Wikwemikong day
school.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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APPROVED,
Accountant.

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Wikwemikong School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To R. J. Lewis.

DATE		AMOUNT
1920.	19-6-5 July 15, 1920.	
December 3	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
November 27	To paid John Anosse fro drawing 2 loads of sand at \$1.00 each	2.00 ✓
	" paid John Anosse for 4 days labour at \$5.00 per day	20.00 ✓
December 2	" Paid J.B.Jacko for 2 barrels of lime at \$4.75 per barrel	9.50 ✓
	TOTAL:-	\$31.50

Sent Dec. 9/20.
6138

[Signature]

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

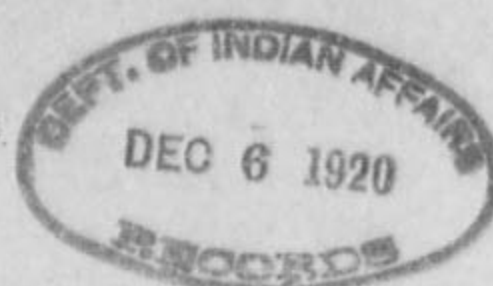
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I54-5-22,

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
December 3, 1920.

Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No.
19-6-5 of July 15th, last, I have the honour to
enclose herewith an account in my favour amounting
\$31.50 for payments made by me to Messrs. John Anosse
and Joseph B. Jacko in connection with having the
stone foundation at the Wikwemikong School repaired.

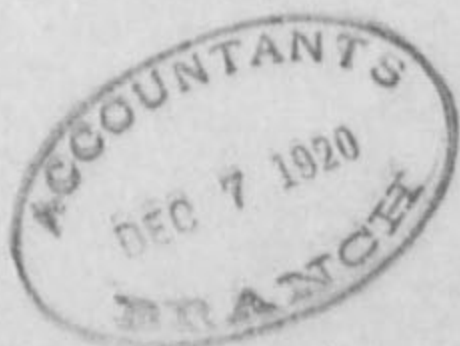
I might say for the information
of the Department that I inspected the work performed
by John Anosse on the foundation of the school and
found it very satisfactory at a reasonable cost.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature: R. Leiverson]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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APPROVED
Accountant.

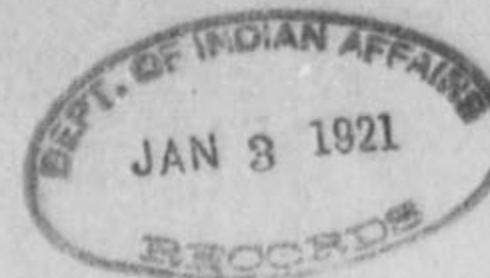


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264-5-22,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

December 31, 1920.

Sir:-

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I have the honour to apply
for twelve, large size, single desks for the
class-rooms in the Wikwemikong Day School.

As the attendance of the
pupils at this school has increased to such
an extent that there is not enough desks to
accommodate them.

There are ninety eight pupils
registered and the average attendance is good.

If the Department approves of
supplying the desks they should be shipped by
C.N.R. to Sudbury, and from Sudbury to Little
Current by A. E. Railway.

Your obedient servant,



R. J. Lawrence
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

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19-6-5

Ottawa, January 4, 1921.

Sir,-

154-5-22

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 31st ultimo, in which you request that twelve single desks, large size, be supplied for the class-rooms in the Wikwemikong Day School.

In this connection I have to request that you will be good enough to state the make and the manufacturer of the desks at present in use in the school, in order that, if new desks are supplied, they may be of the same style as the present ones. You should state, if possible, the ages of the pupils for whom they are required and also whether it would be necessary to supply any fronts or rears for the twelve desks. As the desks asked for are large size they will, no doubt, be placed at the rear of the class-rooms, and, in that case, it is considered that, besides the desks, a certain number of rears would be required. You should also state whether the desks should be shipped addressed to you at Wikwemikong, or to whom they should be sent. As soon as this information is received the Department will be in a position to consider ordering the desks.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

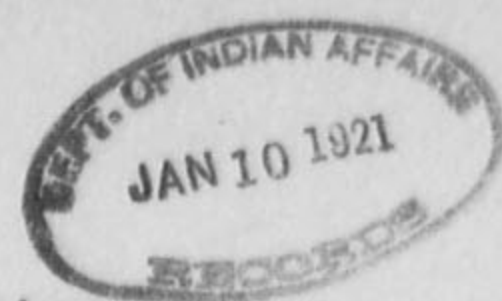
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Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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154-5-22,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

January 7th, 1921.

549355

Sir:-

In reply to Official Letter No. 19-6-5 of the 4th instant, in regard to the make and size of desks for the class-rooms at the Wikwemikong Day School, I have the honour to report that the desks in the school at the present time were made by the Globe Furniture Company, Waterloo, Ont, the New Globe Automatic Desk, and the ages of the pupils are from 10 to 15 years for whom they are required, and also there should be two rear seats to match these desks. The desks should be shipped by C.N.R. to Sudbury and from there to my address at Little Current by A.E. Railway, then they will have to be staged to Wikwemikong.

*no. 4
\$11.20 each
less 10%
near 9.70 each
10%*

If possible I would like to have the steel automatic desk furnished as it appears to be the only durable desk, and also I would prefer to have them set up and crated before being shipped.

Your obedient servant,



Handwritten signature: R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

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19-6-5

Ottawa, January 12, 1920.

Gentlemen,-

I have to request that you will be good enough to ship for the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, addressed to R. J. Lewis, Indian Agent, Little Current, Ont., by C.N.R. to Sudbury and A.E. Railway to Little Current, twelve No. 4 Globe Steel Automatic Single Desks and also two rears No. 4 for the same. These desks should be supplied at the price quoted by you to this Department, namely,- \$11.20 each for the No. 4 desks and \$9.70 each for the rears, less a discount of 10%.

You will be good enough to forward your account, in duplicate, to Mr. Lewis, whose post office address is Manitowaning, Ont., and he will be instructed upon the arrival of the desks, if in good condition, to certify the account and forward it to the Department when payment will be made.

I shall be pleased to be advised as to the date when shipment of the above order will be made.

Your obedient servant,

F. H. Paget
Chief Accountant and Purchasing
Agent.

The Globe Furniture Co., Limited,
Waterloo,
Ont.

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*2 letters
Acct
see under*

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 7th instant regarding the desks required to complete the seating accommodation at the Wikwemikong Day School.

In reply I beg to inform you that an order is being placed with The Globe Furniture Co., Waterloo, Ont., to ship to your address, Little Current, by C. N. R. to Sudbury, and from there to destination by A. E. Railway, twelve Globe Steel Automatic Single Desks No. 4, which is the size suitable for children from ten to fifteen years of age. They are also being asked to forward two rear seats for the above size of desks. As soon as these desks arrive at Little Current you should arrange to have them delivered and placed in the school-room.

The Globe Furniture Co. have been requested to forward their account, in duplicate, covering the cost of the desks and rear seats to you, which, upon the arrival of the desks, if in good condition, you will be good enough to certify and forward to the Department, in order that payment can be made.

It is hoped that these desks will arrive at an early date and will be sufficient to provide ample seating equipment for this school.

[Signature]
[Signature]

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Wikwemikong School.

No. of Account.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To Messrs. McMartin & Gould.

DATE		AMOUNT
1921		
January	6	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-6-5 dated October 19, 1920.
		To re-flooring Junior class-room in the
		Wikwemikong School with XXX 13/16
		Maple Flooring 3/4 inch face, blind nailed,
		with two coats of raw linseed oil \$424.50.

Sent 14/1/21
7031

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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154-5-23,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
January 6, 1921.

Sir:-

Ans

Referring to Official Letter

No. 19-6-5 of October 19th, last, I have the honour to enclose herewith an account in favour of Messrs. McMartin & Gould amounting to \$424.50 for re-flooring the junior class-room in the Wikwemikong School with XXX maple flooring finished with two coats of oil.

With regard to renovating the walls I have the honour to report that this has not been completed in a satisfactory manner to recommend payment. When it is finished as it should be a voucher will go forth to the Department in favour of these contractors.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Hewitt
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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APPROVED,
Assistant.

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REPORT NO. 307
MINUTE NO.
Manitowaning Agency.
Wikwemikong School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J. C. Irving & Co.

DATE	AMOUNT
1921	
January 8	Authorized by Dept. letter No. dated

MANITOWANING, ONT.

MANITOULIN ISLAND

Jan 8 1921

M. Dept. of Indian Affairs Wikwemikong School

BOUGHT OF J. C. IRVING & CO.

DEALERS IN

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Gents' Furnishings
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE, ETC., ETC.

1920

Nov 13 To 5 Slates 309

150

Dec 14/1/21
7030

RG

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis

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154-5-22,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
January 8th, 1921.

Ad. J. P. H. H. H.

Sir:-

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I have the honour to enclose herewith
an account in favour of Messrs. J. C. Irving
& Co., amounting to \$1.50 for slates furnished
to the Wikwemikong School.

On account of the large increase of
pupils attending this school I was forced to
purchase these slates.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. H. H. H.
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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OPERA & ASSEMBLY CHAIRS.

Waterloo, Ontario.
January 17, 1921.

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F. H. Paget,
Chief Accountant & Purchasing Agent,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir:-

We thank you for your letter of January the 12th., No
19-6-5 covering order for;

12 only #4 Globe Steel Automatic Single Desks and
2 Rear Seats #4 " " " "

X to be shipped for the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, addressed to
R. J. Lewis, Indian Agent, Little Current, Ontario. to be routed
by C. N. R. Sudbury and A. E. Railway to Little Current. The
desks to be billed at \$11.20 each, and the rear seats at \$9.70 each
less 10%.

The above desks will be shipped in two weeks and will be
forwarded freight prepaid. Invoices in duplicate sent to Mr. Lewis
at Manitowaning, Ontario.

Trusting that the goods will reach you without delay
and thanking you for remembering us. We are

Yours very truly,
THE GLOBE FURNITURE CO. LTD.
W. E. Turner
SALES DEPT.

DET/F

PLEASE ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS
TO THE COMPANY AND NOT TO INDIVIDUALS.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

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To Joseph Atchitawins.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Canada.

R. J. Leavitt

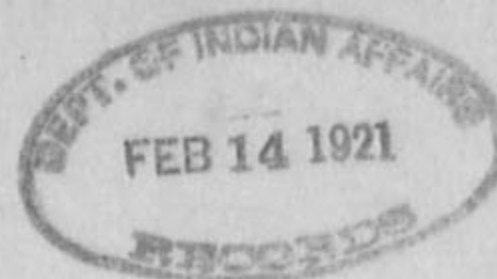
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I54-5-23,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
February 10, 1921.

Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 19-8-5 of
July 15th, last, I have the honour to enclose herewith
an account in favour of Mr. Joseph Atchitawins amount-
ing to \$10.50 for three days labour cleaning out and
repairing the drain under the kitchen and class-room
at Wikwemikong day school.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To R. J. Lewis.

DATE			AMOUNT
1921.			
February	16	Authorized by Dept. letter No dated	
1920.			
August	2	To express charges paid, on carton, to J.T. Burns,	.80 ✓
"	10	" Wharfage " " parcel, " " " "	.15 ✓
November	3	" express & wharfage " " " " " "	.55 ✓
"	19	" " " " " " " " " "	.35 ✓
1921			
February	2	" " stage charges " J.J. Morrow and William Kinoshameg	.75 ✓
"	15	" framing certificate by Mark McMartin & Gould, (won by a pupil at the school fair)	.70 ✓
TOTAL:-			\$3.30 ✓

7791
Jmt 22/2/21
R.H.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

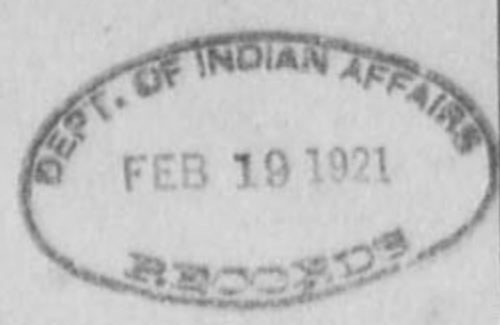
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I54-5-23,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
February 16, 1921.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a
voucher, accompanied by receipt, showing an amount of
\$3.30 in my favour for express charges, wharfage, etc.,
paid by me on parcels of stationery for the Wikwemikong
Day School, and a certificate framed by Messrs McMartin
and Gould.

Your obedient servant,

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P. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Wikwemikong Day School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To Messrs. McMartin & Gould.

DATE		AMOUNT
1921.		
February	14	
Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-6-5 dated October 19, 1920.		
To labour and material renovating walls and ceiling in class-room occupied by the junior pupils at Wikwemikong Day School		\$53.00.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

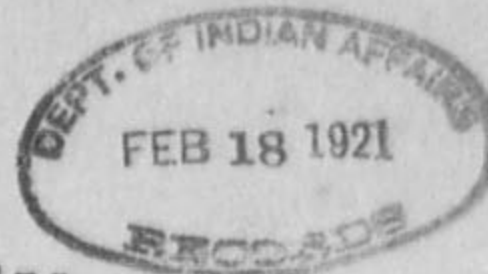
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Indian Office, Manitowaning,

February 14, 1921.

Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 19-6-5 of
October 19th, last, I have the honour to enclose
herewith an account in favour of Messrs. McMartin
& Gould amounting to \$53.00 for labour and material
renovating the walls and ceiling in the junior class-
room at the Wikwemikong Day School.

Your obedient servant,

R. Hewitt
Indian Agent.

*a/c 10
pay pmt*

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.



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Memo-Covering Purchase of Supplies, the cost of which exceeds \$10.00

Supplies for which prices obtained including quantities.

18 slates, 6 enamel drinking cups, 1 box of matches and 1 wall clock.

Name of Firms or Person asked to quote.

Messrs. J.C.Irving & Co.
Mr. H.W.McLaughlin.
Mr. John Reynolds.

Name of Firm or Person quoting lowest price, giving prices quoted.

Messrs. J.C.Irving & Co.: slates at .30 each, matches .45, and out of enamel cups and clocks.

Mr. H.W.McLaughlin:- slates at .35 each, matches .45, and out of enamel cups and wall clocks.

Mr. John Reynolds did not quote.

Name of firms of persons who quoted.

Messrs. J.C.Irving & Co., on part of the supplies.
Mr. H.W.McLaughlin on part of the supplies.


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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To.....John Reynolds.

DATE		AMOUNT	
1921	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 450314/4 dated January 12, 1921.		
"	19 To 6 Enamel drinking cups @ .30	1.80	
	" Box of matches	.45	
		\$2.25	

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent.

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154-5-23,

Carroll

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
March 23, 1921.

Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 430214/4 of 
January 12th, last, I have the honour to enclose herewith
an account in favour of Mr. John Reynolds amounting to
\$2.25 for enamel cups and matches furnished to the
Wikwemikong day school.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Keenan
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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APPROVED, Accountant.

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The Department of Indian Affairs.

To J. C. Irving & Co.

DATE		AMOUNT
1931	430214/1 January 12, 1931.	
March 22	Authorized by Dept. letter No dated	

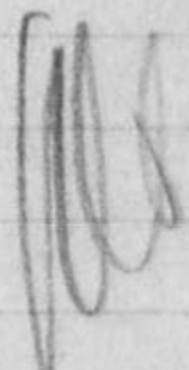
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MANITOULIN ISLAND

M. J. W. M. Mikong School

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Jan 25	To 18 to B Station	30			540
	Sent 114/21 180 				

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P. Lawrence
Agent.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,

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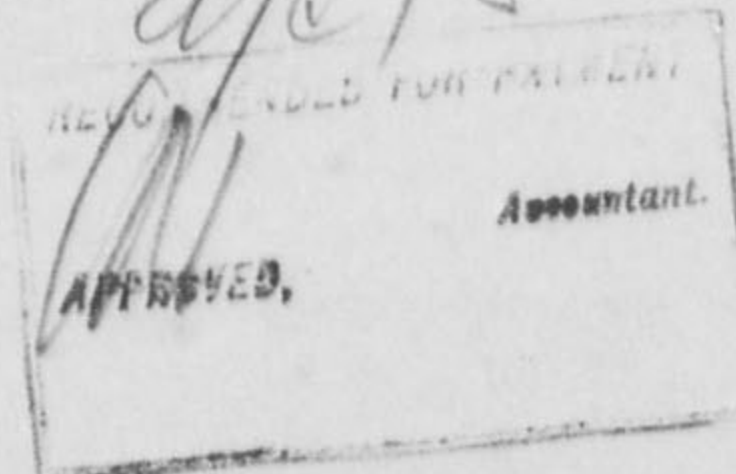
Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 430214/4
of January 12th, last, I have the honour to enclose
herewith an account in favour of Messrs. J.C. Irving
& Co. amounting to \$5.40 for eighteen slates furnish-
to the Wikwemikong day school.

Your obedient servant,

A. H. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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Ottawa March 23, 1921

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for Wikwemikong Indian Day School

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Football received, price fair and just,

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For Clerk in charge of Schools Branch.

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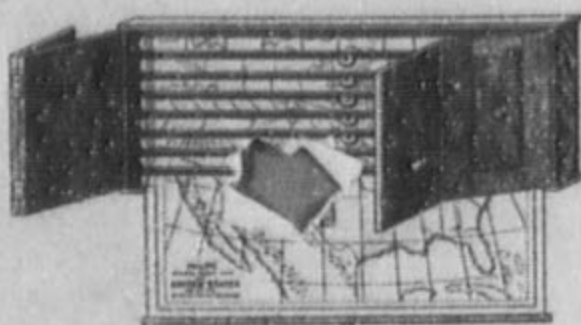
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March 30/21

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[Signature]
Mr. J. D. McLean,
Department of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa,
Ont.

Dear Sir:

We beg to acknowledge receipt of your esteemed order of March 29, for which we thank you. Same will go forward at the earliest possible date, to Mr. R. J. Lewis, Indian Agent, Manitowaning, Ont. when we will advise him of shipment.

Trusting to be favored with your continued patronage, we are

Yours very truly,

E. N. MOYER COMPANY LIMITED.
PER SBC.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Wikwemikong & Bugwah Schools.
REPORT NO.
MINUTE NO.
No. of Account 18

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To E. N. Moyer Company, Limited.

DATE		AMOUNT	
1921			
April	9	Authorized by Dept. letter No 430214/4 dated March 29, 1921.	
March	31/21	To 2 Drpp Octagon Clocks \$10.50	21.00
		" Express prepaid to Little Current	1.35
		TOTAL:-	\$22.35

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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19-6-5-
Indian Office, Manitowaning,
April 9th, 1921.



Sir:-

Ant
Referring to Official Letter No. 430214/4
of March 29th, last, I have the honour to enclose
herewith an account in favour of E.N. Moyer Company,
Limited, of Toronto, amounting to \$22.55 for two
clocks prepaid to Little Current for the Wikwemikong,
and Buswah Schools.

Your obedient servant,

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R. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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Wikwemikong & Bugwah Schools.

No. of Account 15

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To R. J. Lewis.

DATE		AMOUNT	
1921			
April	9	Authorized by Dept. letter No <u>430214/4</u> dated <u>March 29th, 1921.</u>	
"	8	To paid J.J.Morrow stage charge of clocks from Little Carrant to Manitowaning	.50
"	9	" paid Wm. Kinoshameg stage charges on clocks from Manitowaning to Wikwemikong	.50
			<u>\$1.00</u>

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Sent 18/4/21
R.J.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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154-5-23,
157-17,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
April 9th, 1921.



Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith
a voucher in my favour amounting to \$1.00 for transportat-
ion charges on two clocks from Little Current to Wikwemikong.

Authority Official Letter No. 430214/4
of March 29th, last.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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[Signature]

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Manitowaning Agency.
Wikwemikong Day School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To J. J. Morrow.

DATE		AMOUNT
1921.		
April	26	Authorized by Dept. letter No 19-6-5 dated January 12, 1921.
"	18	To Paid Algoma Eastern Railway freight of 7 Crts of Deaks from Sudbury to Little Current 3.15 ✓
		" Freight charges from Little Current to Manitowaning..... 8.25 ✓
		TOTAL:4 95.40 ✓

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R. J. Morrow
Agent.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
April 26, 1921.

Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 19-6-5 of January 12th, last, I have the honour to enclose herewith an account in favour of Mr. J.J. Morrow amounting to \$5.40 for freight charges on desks, from Sudbury to Manitowaning, for the junior class-room in the Wik-wemikong Day School.

It appears that the Globe Furniture Company, Limited, of Waterloo, only prepaid the freight charges to Sudbury.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Leves
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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Wikwemikong Day School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To The Globe Furniture Company, Limited.

DATE		AMOUNT	
1921.		19-6-5-	January 12, 1921.
April	26th	Authorized by Dept. letter No. dated	
February	17	To I2 #4 Globe Steel Auto. Single Desks	11.20 134.40 ✓
		" 2 4 " " " " Rears	9.70 19.40 ✓
			\$153.80 ✓
		Less 10%	15.38 ✓
			\$138.42 ✓
		Less freight Sudbory to Little Current	3.15
			\$ 135.27 ✓

REPORT NO. 441
MINUTE NO. 15-14-45

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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✓
154-5-23, *Just*

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
April 26, 1921.



Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 19-6-5 of January 13th, last, I have the honour to enclose herewith an account in favour of The Globe Furniture Company, Limited, of Waterloo, amounting to \$138.42 for 12 Globe Steel Auto. Desks and 2 Benches to match, for the junior class-room at the Wikwemikong day school.

These desks have just arrived and appear to be in good order.

Your obedient servant,

P. J. Levesque
Indian Agent.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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REPORT NO. 9 F 1.
DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS.

File No. 19-6-5.....

Date ... May 2/21.....

Requirements -- School desks.
Month February.

Globe Furniture Co., Ltd.,

Waterloo, Ont. \$135.27

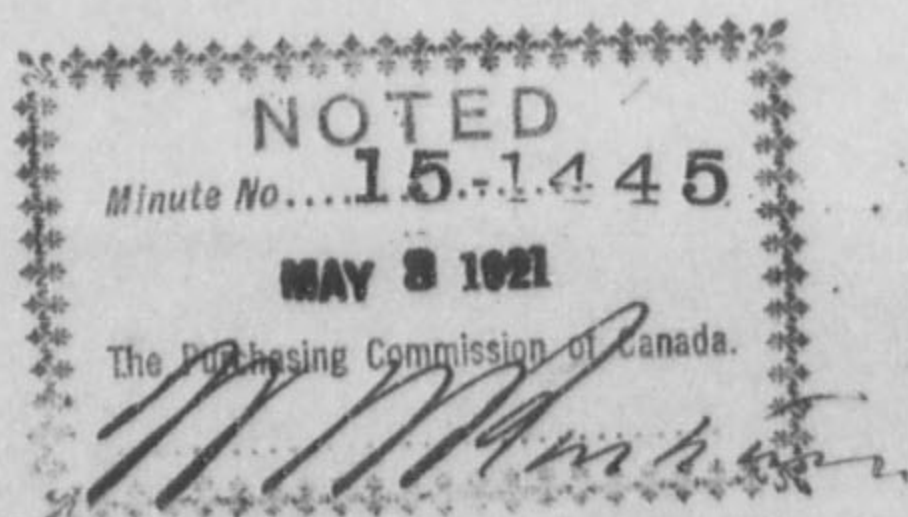
Quotations:-

Firms asked to quote

Quoted.

Globe Furniture Co., Limited.

Remarks:- These desks were purchased to complete equipment of Wikwemikong School. The desks previously installed were of similar design and it was necessary to secure the same make to correspond. The account is chargeable to Band Funds of the Manitoulin Island Unceded Band.



[Signature]
Chief Accountant.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

Manitowaning Agency

No. of Account

Wikwemikong Day School

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To Messrs J. C. Irving & Co.,

Manitowaning, Ont.

DATE

AMOUNT

1921

April 28

Authorized by Dept. letter No. 430214 dated April 11th, 1921.

ACCOUNT NUMBER

MANITOWANING, ONT. Apr. 26/21
MANITOULIN ISLAND

M Dept of Indian Affairs, Ottawa, Ont..

BOUGHT OF

J. C. IRVING & CO.

DEALERS IN

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps,
Gents' Furnishings

CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE, ETC., ETC.

1921					
Apr. 26	To	1 Dozen Slates @ 35¢ each		4.20	✓
"	"	2 pks Turnip Seed @ 15¢ pk		.30	✓
"	"	3 pks Corn @ 20¢ pk		.60	✓
"	"	4 Dozen Scribblers @ 5¢ each		2.40	✓
Total				\$ 7.50	

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R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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154-5-23.

Just

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
April 25th, 1921.

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Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 430214/4 dated the 11th. instant, I have the honour to enclose herewith an account in favour of Messrs J.C. Irving & Co., amounting to \$ 7.50 for slates, seed and scribblers furnished for the junior class-room at the Wikwemikong day school.

I did not have any authority to purchase the scribblers but as the attendance at this school has been increased lately and the teacher needed more scribblers in order to carry on the work satisfactorily, therefore, it was necessary for me to make the purchase.

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per

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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Manitowaning Agency.
Wikwemikong Day School.

No. of Account.....15

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To R. J. Lewis.

DATE		AMOUNT	
1921.			
May	23	Authorized by Dept. letter No dated	
"	14	To Paid Joseph Atchitawins for 33 hours labour repairing fence, polishing stove and pipes, cleaning chimneys and putting school desks together at the Wikwemikong day school at .35 per hour	\$11.55 ✓
"	14	" paid Perry Enose for 3 hours labour assisting cleaning chimneys at .35	1.05 ✓
"	14	" paid J.B.Jacko for 5 # nails at .10	.50 ✓
		TOTAL:-	\$13.10 ✓

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R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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54-5-23,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
May 23rd, 1921.



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Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith
an account in my favour amounting to \$13.10 for payments
made to Joseph Atchitawins, Jerry Enose and J.B. Jacko
for labour and nails in connection with cleaning stoves,
pipes and chimney, repairing fence and putting desks
together, at the Wikwamikong Day School.

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Your obedient servant,

P. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

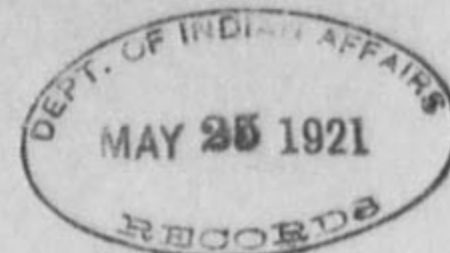
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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Extract from Inspector's Report on the Wikwemikong School.

May 10. 1921. 430214-6

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Schools

Outbuildings need urgent attention. Proper building should be built and whitewashed so that these teachers can take care of them. They are in such dirty condition now that no one feels like going near them. Somebody did come but all they did was fix the doors last june.

The yard needs some attention for in spring and fall it is so muddy that the 100 children must stay in. All that is necessary is to use a plow and make a ditch or two.



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OTTAWA, May 28th, 1921.

Sir, -

Mr. Bennett, Separate School Inspector, in a report on his recent inspection of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, states that the out buildings need urgent attention. He recommends that new closets be built, and white washed, so that the teachers can take care of them. He states that the ones in use at present are in a very dirty condition.

The Inspector also states that the school yard needs some attention, as in the Spring and Fall it is so muddy that the children must say in the school. He states that all that is necessary is to use a plough and make a ditch or two, which would be sufficient to drain the yard.

I have to request that you will take immediate steps to have the out buildings cleaned and put in good condition. You should arrange, if possible, with a competent Indian to do this work. I should also be pleased if you will furnish an estimate of the cost of having two closets erected, with screens and fences separating each.

You should also furnish an estimate of the cost of having the yard put in good condition, and properly drained. It is considered that if the Inspector's suggestion is carried out that this should not cost very much.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
June 10th, 1921.



Sir:-

I have the honour to report that I have received a communication from E.M. Moyer Company, of Toronto, stating that they are confronted with some heavy payments which they have to meet during the year and would request payment of \$22.47 for two clocks, and express prepaid, one for Wikwemikong school and one for Buzwah school.

The books of this office show that on the 9th of April, last, certified vouchers were forwarded to the Department, amounting to \$22.35, for to cover the amount due this company for the two clocks, but since then they have added .12 to the account.

Would the Department kindly look into this matter?

Your obedient servant,

R. Lewis
Indian Agent.



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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OTTAWA, June 17th, 1921.

Sir, -

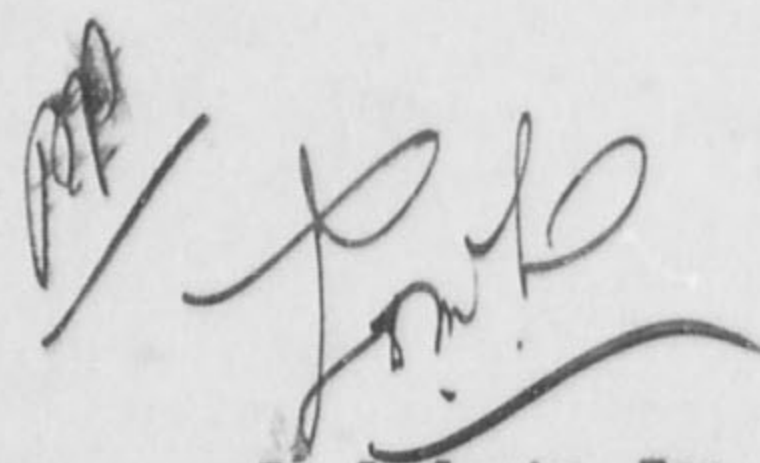
I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 10th instant with reference to the account of the E. N. Moyer Company, Toronto, for two clocks for the Wikwemikong and Buzwah Indian Day Schools.

In reply, I beg to say that a cheque in payment of their account was sent them on April 19th, last, and this cheque was cashed by them a few days later. Apparently they are in error when they again request payment, and you should advise them accordingly.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.


R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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The Department of Indian Affairs.

To.....Miss Zoe St James

2705
Sent 15/7/21.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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154-5-23.

Indian Office, Manitowaning

July 7th, 1921.



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Sir;-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 430214-4 dated March the 7th, last, I have the honour to enclose herewith an account in favour of Miss Zoe St. James amounting to \$ 3.00 for ~~floss~~ purchased from the T. Eaton Co. Ltd, Toronto, for use by the pupils in the sewing-class at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

*9/15/21
JRS*

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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154-5-23,

Indian Office, Manitowaning.

July 16th, 1921.

Sir:-

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Referring to the third paragraph of Official Letter No. 19-6-5 of the 28th of May, last, in regard to an estimate cost of erecting two closets at the Wikwemikong school, I have the honour to report that there are two very good closets at the Wikwemikong school which are not in use and could be moved to the Wikwemikong school, repaired and put in good condition much cheaper than erecting new ones. They have not been in use for the past seven years and are now depreciating in value. I consider that these closets could be moved to Wikwemikong and repaired for about \$50.00 where it would cost \$150.00 to erect two new ones suitable for the Wikwemikong school.

Your obedient servant,

ACCOUNTANTS
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R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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JUL 30 1921

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OTTAWA, July 22nd, 1921.

Sir, -

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 16th instant, in which you recommend that the closets at the Wikwemikongsing Indian Day School be removed to the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, as it would be much cheaper if this were done instead of having new closets erected.

In reply, I beg to say that, as the former school is not likely to be reopened, the Department will approve of having the closets removed and placed on a suitable site near the Wikwemikong Day School. You may, therefore, arrange to have the work of the removal of the closets carried out, and the cost should not exceed approximately the estimate given by you for their removal and any necessary repairs, viz: \$50.00.

When these closets have been removed and put in good condition at the Wikwemikong School, you will be good enough to forward properly receipted vouchers, in duplicate, covering the expenditure incurred.

You should arrange to have this work done before the school reopens after the present holidays.

All expenditure for the purpose should be kept down to the lowest possible point.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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I64-5-53,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
July 19th, 1921.

Sir:-

I have the honour to report that the walls and ceiling in the senior class-room and lower hall at the Wikwemikong school require renovating with whitewash before the school re-opens after the holiday season as they are in a gloomy condition, and in several places the whitewash is all worn off the plaster.

I estimate that it will cost \$60.00 to renovate the walls and ceilings.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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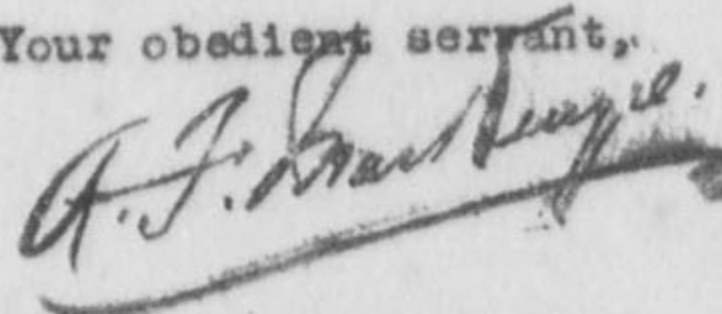
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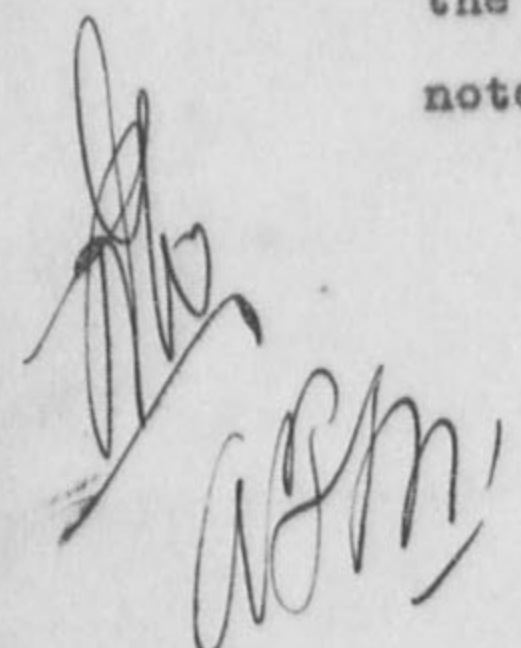
Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 19th instant with reference to tinting of the walls and ceiling in the senior class-room and lower hall at the Wikwemikong School, and in reply to say that the Department approves of this work being done. It is noted that your estimate of the cost is \$60.00.

Your obedient servant,



A. F. MacKenzie,
for Asst. Deputy & Secretary.



R. J. Lewis, Esq.,

Indian Agent,

Manitowaning, Ont.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To Miss Zoe St. James.

DATE	AMOUNT
1921 August 26	430214/5 January 14th, 1918. Authorized by Dept. letter No. dated To payments made for prizes awarded to Pupils.
" 2 Holy Water Fronts	.35 .70
" 2 " "	.25 .50
" 1 Doz. Prayer Books	.06 each .78
" 1 Doz. Pictures 6"x8"	.35 .35
" 1 Chain and Medal	.50 .50
" 1 Doz. Brooches	1.60 .80
" 3 Doz. Pictures	.45 1.35
" Postage	.27 .27
" 1 Book Pretty Pussies	.05 .05
" 1 " "	.05 .05
" 1 " "	.05 .05
" 1 " "	.05 .05
" 1 " "	.15 .15
" 1 " "	.25 .25
" 1 " "	.30 .30
" 3 " "	.10 .30
" 2 " "	.15 .50
" 1 Knife	.50 .50
" 1 Set of Handkerchiefs	.23 .23
" 1 " "	.29 .29
" 3 " "	.25 2.00
" 6 Pictures	.15 .90
" 1 Yds of Ribbon	.60 .75
" 2 " "	.40 1.00
" 1 Pocket Knife	.75 .75
" 1 Box of Paints	.35 .35
" 1 Mouth Organ	.50 .50
" Candy	1.82 1.82
TOTAL:-	\$16.03

3623
Sent Sept. 2/2

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

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19-6-5
C.S.K.
I54-5-24,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

August 26th, 1921.



Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter No.430214/5 of January 14th, 1918, I have the honour to enclose herewith an account in favour of Miss Zoe St. James, principal at the Wikwemikong day school, amounting to \$16.03 for payments made to the different firms for prizes awarded to pupils attending the Wikwemikong school during the last teaching year.

Your obedient servant,

P. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.



9/21/5
1924
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Extract from Inspector's Report on the Wikwemikong
School, dated Sept. 14, 1921. - 430214-6 -

Desks are needed for both classes.

There is no stove in the junior room. It belonged
to the Jesuit Fathers and they needed it.

J. M. Bennett, Insp.



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Manitowaning Agency.
Wikwemikong School.

No. of Account.....15

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To R. J. Lewis,

DATE		AMOUNT	
1921			
September	16	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-6-5 dated July 25th, 1921.	
"	6	To paid Joseph Atchitawins for 3½ days labour tinting at \$3.50 per day	12.75 ✓
"	6	" paid Joseph Enosse for 3½ days labour tinting at \$3.50 per day	12.75 ✓
"	16	" paid J.C. Irving & Co. for 2 bushes and 1 pkg of Coralite	2.25 3.00 ✓
"	16	" paid John Reynolds for 14 pkgs of Muresco at .60 each	8.40 ✓
		TOTAL:-	\$36.90 ✓

4026
sent Sept. 23/21.
R.J.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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SEP 19 1921
RECORDS

154-5-23,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
September 16th, 1921.

R

Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 19-6-5
of July 25th, last, I have the honour to enclose
herewith an account in my favour amounting to
\$36.90 for payments made by me in connection with
having the walls and ceiling in the lower class-
room and hall tinted at the Wikwemikong School.

The work has been done in a satisfactory
condition and at a very reasonable cost.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Hewitt
Indian Agent.

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RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT
Accountant.
APPROVED.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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*Acet
see under*

OTTAWA, Sept. 20th, 1921.

Sir, -

Mr. Bennett, Separate School Inspector, in a report on his recent inspection of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School states that there is no stove in the junior room, as the stove formerly in use belonged to the Jesuit Fathers and they required it. The Inspector also states that more desks are required for both classes.

Regarding the stove, I have to request that you will be good enough to arrange for the purchase and delivery of a suitable stove and the necessary stove pipe for the junior room. Before making this purchase, competitive prices should be obtained from a number of dealers and the purchase of the stove and pipe made from the firm quoting you the lowest price. You should give this matter your early attention in order that the stove can be delivered and set up in the school room before the weather gets too cold. When the purchase has been made, you should furnish properly receipted vouchers, in duplicate, covering the expenditure incurred, to which you should attach a memorandum giving the names of the firms asked to quote a price and the prices quoted.

I have also to request that you will furnish a report as to the desks that you consider are required to provide seating accommodation in both class rooms. You should state the name of the manufacturer of the present desks and whether they are single or double desks. In forwarding the number of new desks required you should give the sizes, but, if unable to do so, the ages of the children for which they are required should be given. When this information has been received, the Department will then consider the providing of a further number of desks.

These matters should receive your early attention.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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REPORT No. 54
MINUTE No. _____
Manitowaning Agency.
Wikwemikong School.

No. of Account 15

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To H.W. McLaughlin.

DATE		AMOUNT	
1921		430 214-4	July 26th, 1921.
September	16	Authorized by Dept. letter No. _____ dated _____	
"	10	To 2 brooms @ 125	2.50 ✓
		2 pails .75	1.50 ✓
		2 scrubs .25	.50 ✓
		1 scrub	.20 ✓
			\$4.20 ✓
		less 10 % discount	47 ✓
			\$4.23 ✓
		Delivery charges to school	.50 ✓
		TOTAL:-	\$4.73 ✓

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. Lewis
Agent.

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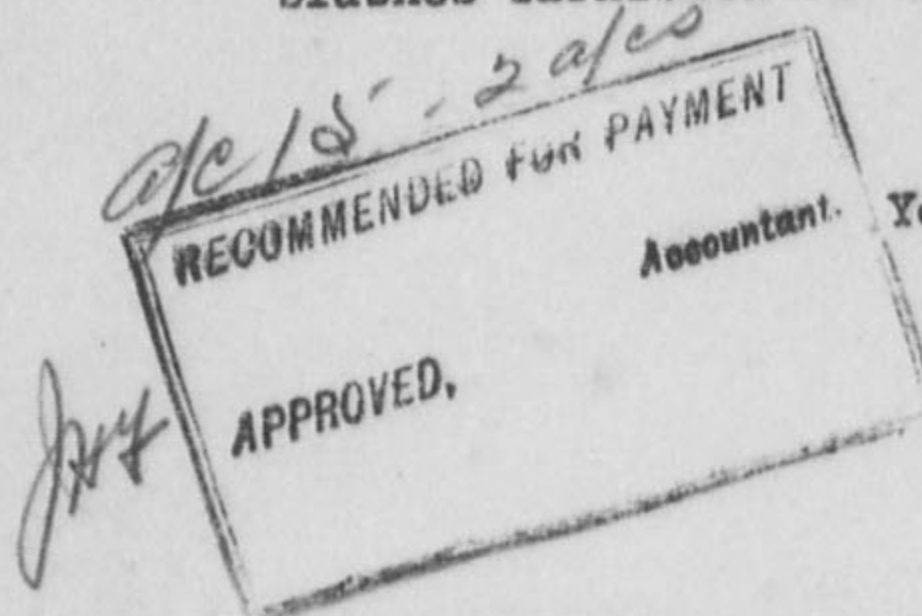


154-5-23, *afk*

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
September 16th, 1921.

Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 430 214-4
of July 26th, last, I have the honour to enclose here-
with an account in favour of Mr. H.W. McLaughlin
amounting to \$4.73 for brooms, pails and scrubbing
brushes furnished to the Wikwemikong School.



Your obedient servant,

R. Hewitt
Indian Agent.

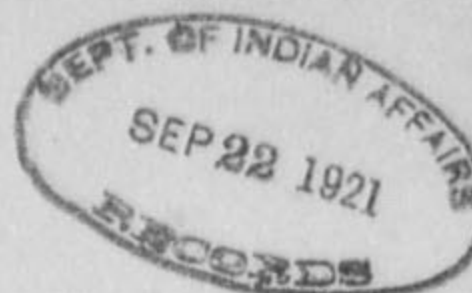
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I54-5-34,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
September 19th, 1921.

560531

Sir:-

architect

I have the honour to report that the lower floor in the North East side of the Wikwemikong School has dropped down and is in very bad condition. On examining underneath the floor I found that it is nailed to plank 2x8 inches which are placed on sills around the wall, and all these have decayed and let the floor down. New timber will have to be put in and part of the floor replaced with new lumber. The roof has been leaking and requires fixing, also the windows are in bad condition as the old frames are so old and decayed that they will not hold the putty.

With regard to the above I estimate that it will cost approximately \$150.00 to have the repairs made in order that the building may be made comfortable for the winter.

I have started two men to repair the floor as it is necessary that it should be repaired at once in order that no accident may happen to any of the school children.

I might say for the information of the Department that this building is so old, extensive and poorly constructed that it will always be very expensive to keep it in repair.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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154-5-23,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
September 19th, 1921.



560533

2 letter
Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 9-6-5 of July 22nd, last, with regard to removing the closets from the Wikwemikong School, which is closed, to the Wikwemikong School, I have the honour to report that I find that the closets are so heavy and the roads so rough between the two school that it is impossible to move them on a waggon without doing much damage to them, or it might be the case that they would be spoiled intirely.

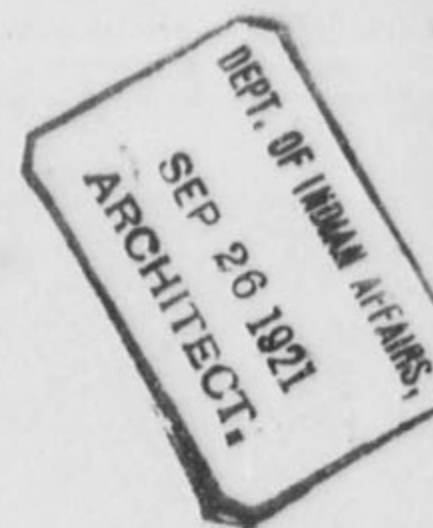
After the first fall of snow they could be moved quite easily on a sleigh without any injury, but not at the present time.

I would most respectfully recommend that I be given authority to make a few minor repairs to the old closets in order that they may do until these closets can be removed, or be given authority to build new buildings.

Your obedient servant,

R. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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19-6-5

560630



I54-5-24, Indian Office, Manitowaning,
September 23rd, 1921.

Sir:-

I have the honour to report that there is a heating stove required for the Junior Classroom as the one that has been in use is the property of the Roman Catholic Mission and the Rev. Father Artus, Missionary in Charge at Wikwemikong, is taking the stove away.

Mr. C.W. Hinds, dealer in this village, has a suitable stove in stock at the present time which costs \$28.00. It takes a 38 inch block of wood and weighs 270 pounds.

It is the Junior class-room in the Wikwemikong School where the stove is required.

Your obedient servant,

R. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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19-6-5.

OTTAWA, Sept. 27th, 1921.

Sir, -

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 19th instant, reporting on the condition of the lower floor on the north east side of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, and stating the repairs required to place it in a serviceable condition.

In reply, I beg to say that you may make the necessary arrangements to have the repairs absolutely necessary made to the floor. The roof should also be repaired, and repairs should also be made to the windows. Only repairs absolutely necessary in each case should be carried out, and the expenditure for the purpose should be kept down to the lowest possible point, and in any event should not exceed your estimate of approximately \$150. In the purchase of any material required you should obtain competitive prices and purchase from the firm quoting the lowest price. You can arrange with the Indians or other competent persons to perform the labour required in the carrying out of the repairs. When the repairs have been completed you should furnish properly receipted vouchers, in duplicate, covering the expenditure incurred in the purchase of the material and in the labour required. These repairs should be completed as soon as possible and the work should be carried on without unduly interfering the the class room work.

Regarding the moving of the closets from the Wikwemikong school, I beg to say that this work may be held over until there is sufficient snow to have them moved on sleighs. You should arrange to have this work done as soon as conditions permit. In the meantime, you may have a few minor repairs made to the old closets in order that they will be serviceable until the other closets are moved and put in condition.

The Department will leave the above matters in your hands to arrange and have completed at the lowest possible cost and at the earliest possible date.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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I54-5-34,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
September 24th, 1921.

Sir:-

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I have the honour to report that the authorities of the Roman Catholic Mission supplied the Wikwemikong School with water during the summer months from a tank from which the water was forced up by a gasoline engine and pump, and during the winter months there was enough water in the well at the school for the use of the teachers and pupils, but the water pipes between the Wikwemikong Bay and the tank have burst and the supply of water is cut off from the school, and the well has gone dry, so that the only supply of water at the school is what the teachers and pupils carry from the Bay, which is a long distance from the school. The Rev. Father Artus who is superior at the Mission informed me that he does not intend to repair the water system as it has not been satisfactory.

As it is impossible for the teachers and pupils to get along without water at the school, I would recommend that I be authorized to have a new well drilled and a pump put in.

Your obedient servant,

J. J. Hewson
Indian Agent.

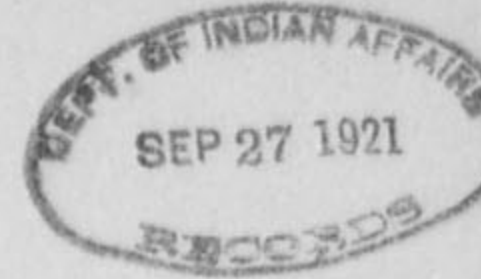
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I54-5-24,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
September 24, 1921.

560710

Sir:-

I have the honour to report that the ladder
in use at the Wikwemikong School has all decayed
and fell down in a heap when the Indians were re-
pairing the windows in the school building.

I would most respectfully recommend that
I be authorized to purchase a new one which will
cost \$15.00.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Know
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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19-6-5

Ottawa. September 29, 1921.

Section 18
154-5-24

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 24th instant, requesting that authority be granted you to purchase a ladder for the use of the Wik-wemikong Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say that the Department will approve of the purchase of a ladder for this school. As the price will likely exceed \$10.00, it will be necessary to obtain competitive prices before making the purchase. You should, therefore, obtain prices and have the ladder supplied by the firm quoting the lowest price and properly receipted vouchers, in duplicate, should be forwarded covering the expenditure incurred.

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With reference to your letter of the same date regarding the water supply at the school and recommending that a well be drilled and a pump put in, I have to request that you will be good enough to state the probable depth that will have to be drilled in order to obtain a good supply of water. This can be judged by the depth of the wells in the neighbourhood. You should also state the approximate cost involved in drilling the well and installing the pump. As soon as this information is received, the Department will be in a position to consider the question of having a well drilled for this school. Kindly obtain full information, in order that if it is decided to authorize the work being done, it can be carried out before the winter sets in.

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You will be informed later regarding the desks required to complete the seating accommodation.

Your obedient servant

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie.
Acting Assistant Deputy and Secretary

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
ONT.

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154-5-24,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
September 24th, 1921.

Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 19-6-5 of the 20th instant, requesting a report as to the number of desks required for the class-rooms in the Wikwemikong School, I have the honour to report that there should be 24 single desks placed in the class-rooms in this school in order to accommodate all the pupils that the teachers expect to attend during the coming winter.

The majority of the desks in the class-rooms are individual Globe Steel Automatic Desks with cherry finish made by the Globe Furniture Company of Waterloo, Ont. The sizes should be 12 No. 1 and 12 No. 2, as the desks in the senior class-room are too small a size for the pupils and they could be removed to the junior room, and replaced with the larger ones. The desks in the senior room at the present time are size 3.

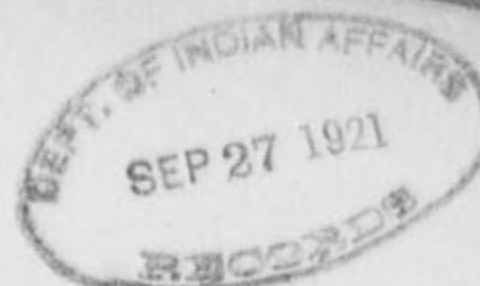
I would prefer if the desks would be set up and crated before shipping from the factory as it is very difficult to secure the services of a man that will put them together properly.

I might say that they should be shipped via Owen Sound to Wikwemikong, as there is a boat from that place which calls at Wikwemikong once every month.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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19-6-5.

OTTAWA, Sept. 30th, 1921.

Gentlemen, -

I have to request that you will be good enough to ship, addressed to R. J. Lewis, Esq., Indian Agent, Wikwemikong, Ont., the following number of Globe Steel Automatic Single Desks, viz: -

12 - #2 for pupils 16 to 20 years,
12 - #3 " " 12 to 18 " .

These desks are required to complete the seating accommodation at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School. The price should be that charged in your latest price list, which should include transportation charges.

These desks should be shipped in a knocked down condition, all parts complete, via Owen Sound to Wikwemikong, as there is a boat from that place which calls at Wikwemikong once a month.

When the desks have been shipped, you should forward your accounts in duplicate, together with Bill of Lading, to Mr. Agent Lewis, whose post office address is Manitowaning, Ontario, and he will be instructed, upon arrival of the desks, if in good condition, to certify the accounts and forward them to the Department in order that payment can be made.

I will be pleased if you will arrange for the shipment of these desks by an early boat from Owen Sound and to be informed of the date of shipment.

Your obedient servant,

Sgt. F. H. Paget
F. H. Paget,

Accountant and Purchasing Agent.

[Signature]
Globe Furniture Co. Ltd.,
Waterloo,
Ont.

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154-5-24.

19-6-5.

OTTAWA, Sept. 30th, 1921.

Sir, -

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 24th instant, informing the Department of the number and sizes of desks required to complete the seating accommodation at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

In reply, I beg to say that an order is today being placed with the Globe Furniture Company Limited, Waterloo, Ontario, to ship addressed to you, Wikwemikong, the following number of Globe Steel Automatic Single Desks, which are the same as those at present in use in the school: -

12 - #2 for pupils 16 to 20 years,
12 - #3 for " 12 to 18 " .

This firm is being requested to ship the desks via Owen Sound to Wikwemikong, and they have also been requested to forward their account, in duplicate, and Bill of Lading to you at Manitowaning. When the desks arrive, if in good condition, you will be good enough to certify the account and forward to the Department in order that payment can be made.

As these desks, if shipped in a set up condition, would occupy too much space, thereby greatly increasing the freight charges, it will not be possible to comply with your request to have them shipped set up for use. You should arrange to have them set up in the senior class room, and a re-arrangement made of the desks at present in the school, in order that there will be sufficient accommodation in both class rooms for all the Indian children who will attend.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

[Signature]
Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Waterloo, Ontario,
October 3rd, 1921.

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Mr. F. H. Paget,
Accountant and Purchasing Agent,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir:-

We thank you for your order September
30th, #19-6-5, calling for,

12 #2 Globe Steel Automatic Single Desks
12 3 " " " " " "

to be shipped to Wikwemikong Indian Day School, c/o
R. J. Lewis, Indian Agent, Wikwemikong Via. Owen Sound.

Shipment of these desks will go forward
just as soon as we can get same crated.

Invoice in duplicate, Bill of Lading,
etc., will be forwarded to Mr. R. J. Lewis, Manitowaning.

Yours very truly,

THE GLOBE FURNITURE CO. LIMITED

J. J. Dahmen
General Manager

S.

PLEASE ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS
TO THE COMPANY AND NOT TO INDIVIDUALS.

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I54-5-24,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
October 10th, 1921.

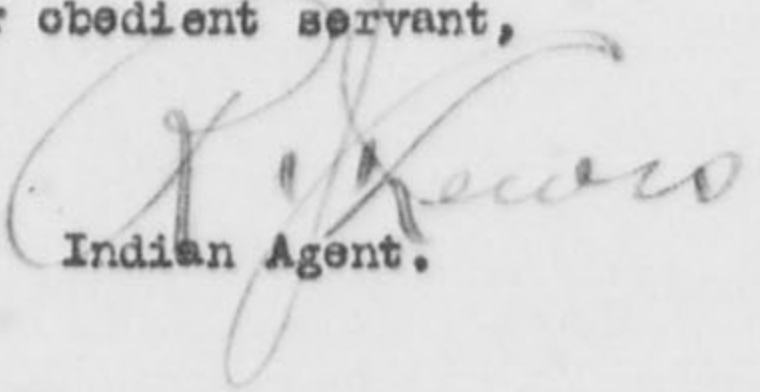
Sir:-

Referring to the third paragraph of Official Letter No. 19-6-5 of the 29th ultimo in regard to the question to having a well drilled at the Wikwemikong School in order to obtain a supply of water for the school, I have the honour to report that I have made an effort to ~~is~~ procure the approximate cost of having this well drilled and a pump installed, but find that there are three drilling machines owned in this village and at the present time all are busy working on other parts of this district, one is working at Gore Bay, one at Little Current and the other is at Providence Bay.

It might be possible that water could be obtained by digging as in the vicinity of the school there are several running springs. There is a shallow well at the school now which is dry and if it is dug somewhat deeper a sufficient supply of water might be obtained.

I would recommend that I be authorized to deepen the old well at the school as the work can be performed by Indian labour and if water can be obtained by digging the cost will be much less than by drilling.

Your obedient servant,


Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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19-6-5.

OTTAWA, October 17th, 1921.

Sir, -

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th instant, regarding a water supply for the Wik-wemikong Indian Day School, and recommending that the shallow well, which is now dry, be deepened.

In reply I beg to say that the Department will approve of this being carried out. The work of deepening this well should be performed by Indian labour, and the expenditure for the purpose should be kept down to the lowest possible cost. It is hoped that it will not be necessary to dig to a great depth, and that an ample supply of water will be obtained at a moderate cost.

When the well is deepened, it will be necessary to have it boxed in and a pump installed. In the purchase of any material for this purpose it will be necessary to obtain competitive prices before the purchase is made.

The Department will leave this matter in your hands to make the best arrangements possible for obtaining an adequate supply of water, and it is expected that you will see that no unnecessary expense is incurred. Properly receipted vouchers, in duplicate, should be forwarded covering the expenditure.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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MANITOWANING, *Sept 1* 1921
Ontario
M *R. J. Lewis*

In Account With **BURNS' WHARF**
Feed & mill

<i>1 1/2 Bus Lime</i>	<i>1 50</i>	
<i>1/4 M Shingles</i>	<i>1 25</i>	<i>2 75</i>
<i>Paid</i>		
<i>PP. 10</i>		

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Manitowaning, October 8th 1921

M R. Lewis,

Indian Agent,
Manitowaning

In Acct:
with

Moses Inossee

Terms

Wikwemikong.

1921

To 1 day with team drawing

lumber

4.00

" drawing 1 load of

Timber

..75

" 1 Trip after Jack Screws

.50

\$5.25

Received payment,

Moses Inossee

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MANITOWANING, ONT.

MANITOULIN ISLAND

Oct 11th

1921

M. R. J. Lewis

BOUGHT
OF

J. C. IRVING & CO.

DEALERS IN

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Gents' Furnishings
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE, ETC., ETC.

Sept 24 to 10th Nails

75

RECEIVED PAYMENT
With Thanks
OCT 11 1921

J. C. Irving & Co.
A. Irving

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Folio.....

Statement

Sept 23 1921

Mr R. J. Lewis

In Acc't with J. B. Jacko

Terms.....

Sept	1	Joe Alchitawers To Manitoway	1.00
"	2	400 ft of lumber @ 50.00 M ¹⁰	20.00
"	"	14 1/2 lb. nails ¹⁰	1.45
"	7	29 panes of glass 8x10 ¹⁰	2.90
"	"	11 lb. putty ¹⁵	1.65
"	12	8 lb. nails ¹⁰	.80
"	"	1 qt of paint oil	.75
			28.55

J. B. Jacko

Card

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Manitowaning, September 9th 1921

R. E. Lewis

Manitowaning

John Enosse

Зеркало

To 7 days labour repairing
floor, roof and windows
at Wikwemikong School a
\$3.50 per day

Received payment
in full,

Jahre 1890

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Manitowaning, Sept. 1st, 1907

M

B. J. Lewis

Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,

In Acct:
with

Joseph Anose

Terms

Wikwemikong

1907

To 310 ft of 2" plank
at \$40.00 per M

12.40

" 1 Timber

1.00

" 1 Small Timber

.40

" 4 Pieces of Timber.50

2.00

"

\$15.80

Received payment,

Joseph Anose

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McMARTIN & GOULD

CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS
BUILDERS' HARDWARE, ETC.

Manitowaning, Ont. *May 29* 1921

M

THE E. J. LOVELL CO., LIMITED, TORONTO

To 1 Sk Cement	110
1# Gas Iron 18	108
Freight charges	25
	243

Paid

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Manitowaning Agency,
Wikwemikong School.

No. of Account 15

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To R. J. Lewis.

DATE		AMOUNT	
1921		September 27th, 1921.	
October	II	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-6-5 dated	
August	29	To paid N. Gould for 1 sk. of Cement 1.10, 6 # Galv. iron .18- 1.08 freight charge to Wikwemikong .25	2.43 ✓
September	I	Joseph Anose for 310 ft. of plank 4", 12.40 1 timber \$1.00, 1 timber .40	1.40 2.00-15.80 ✓
"	9	John Enosse for 7 1/2 days labour at \$3.50 per day	26.25 ✓
"	I	Joseph B. Jacko for 1 fare to Manitowaning to see about material	1.00 ✓
"	2	400 ft of lumber at .05 per ft.	20.00 ✓
"	7	14 # nails at .10	1.45 ✓
"	12	29 panes of glass 8 x 10 @ .10	2.90 ✓
"	24	11 # putty @ .15	1.65 ✓
"	8	8 # nails @ .10	.80 ✓
"	8	1 quart of paint oil 3.00	.75-28.55 ✓
"	8	J.C. Irving & Co. for 10 # nails .75	.75 ✓
"	8	Joseph Atchitawins for 16 days labour at \$3.50 per day	56.00-56.00 ✓
"	8	Moses Enosse 1 days labour with team hauling lumber & timber	5.25 ✓
		TOTAL:-	\$135.03
September	I	J.R. Burns for 1 1/2 bus. lime 1.50 4 # shingles 1.25	2.75 ✓
			\$137.78

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent.

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I54-5-24,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
October 11th, 1921.

Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 19-6-5 of September 27th, last, I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher, in duplicate, accompanied by receipts showing payments made by me amounting \$137.78 for material and labour in connection with repairing the floor, windows and roof of the Wikwemikong Day School.

The work has been completed by Indian labour in a satisfactory manner, and the building is in very good condition for the incoming winter.

With regard to the purchase of material, I have to report that I could not purchase all the material from dealers. I had to procure it from the different persons mentioned in the account. There are not any lumber or shingle dealers in this district, therefore, I had to purchase material that the different parties had for their own private use.

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1921
Your obedient servant,

R. H. K...
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency
Wikwemikong School.

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To The Globe Furniture Co. Limited.
Waterloo, Ontario.

DATE 1921
November 2 Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-6-5 dated September 30th, 1921.

Established 1889

MANUFACTURERS OF
ARTISTIC CHURCH FURNITURE, PEWS,
PULPIT FURNITURE, ALTARS, VESTMENT
CASES, ALTAR RAILS, LECTURNS, CHOIR
FURNITURE, ALSO SCHOOL FURNITURE,
OPERA AND ASSEMBLY CHAIRS



Binder Folio.....

Ledger Folio.....

Our Order No. 6878

Your Order No. 19-6-5

WATERLOO, ONT., October 5/21

192

Sold to Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Shipped by C.P.R. Via. Owen Sound, boat to Wikwemikong Prepaid.

Terms

Shipped to Wikwemikong Indian Day School, c/o R.J. Lewis, Wikwemikong.

To	12	#2	Globe Steel Automatic Single Desks	11.70	-	140.40 ✓
	12	3	" " " " " "	11.20	-	134.40 ✓
						<u>\$274.80</u> ✓

Less 10% - - - - - 27.48 ✓
\$247.32 ✓

Government Tax 3% - - 7.42 ✓
\$254.74 ✓

E. & O. E.

\$254.74

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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Report No. 65-F-1

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

File No. 19-6-5

Date Nov. 9th., 1921.

Requirements : Desks for school
Month. October 1921.

The Globe Furniture Co. Ltd.,
Waterloo, Ontario.

Quotations:

Firms asked to quote

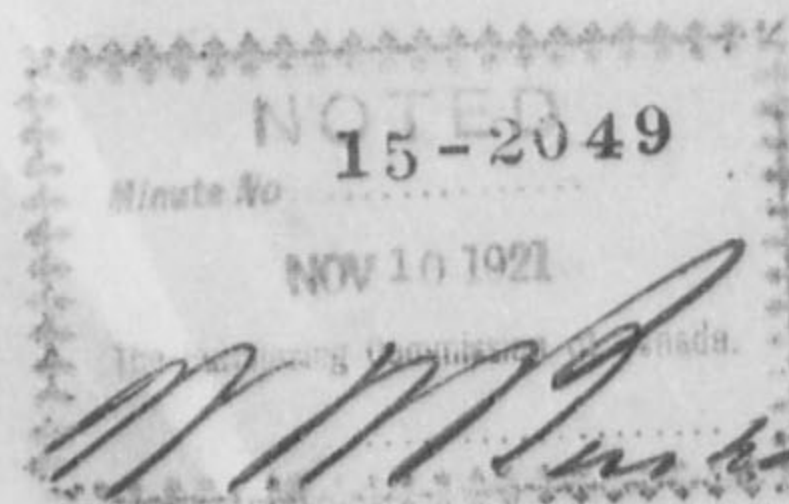
Globe Furniture Co.

\$254.74

Remarks:-

These desks were purchased to complete equipment and had to be purchased from the manufacturer of the make of desk at present in use in the School.

J. P. R. G. C.
Accountant & Purchasing Agent.



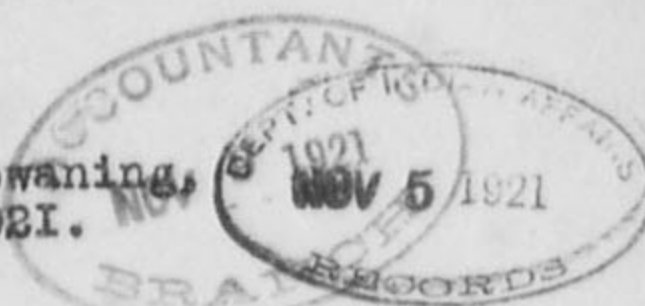
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154-5-24,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
November 2nd, 1921.



Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 19-6-5 of the 30th of September last, I have the honour to enclose herewith an account in favour of The Globe Furniture Co. Limited, Waterloo, Ont. amounting to \$254.74 for twenty four Globe Steel Automatic Single Desks furnished to the Wikwemikong School.

The desks have come in good order and are now in use at the school,

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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sent 15/11/21

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Manitowaning Agency.
Wikwemikong School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To *C. W. Hinds.*

DATE	AMOUNT
1921 November 15	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-6-5 dated September 20th, 1921.
October 22	

... STATEMENT ...

MANITOWANING, *November 15* 1921
CANADA

*Dept of Indian Affairs
for Wikwemikong School*
C. W. HINDS.

IN ACCOUNT WITH **O. HINDS**

HARDWARE, STOVES, TINWARE, PAINTS, OILS, GLASS
SASH, DOORS, FURNITURE, HARNESS
BUGGIES, CUTTERS, MASSEY-HARRIS FARM IMPLEMENTS,
EDISON AMBEROLAS, AND RECORDS.
10 PER CENT. INTEREST ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS.

<i>1921</i>		
<i>Oct 22</i>	<i>To 1 Box Stove</i>	<i>\$28.00</i>
	<i>" 1 pipe with Dampers</i>	<i>.60</i>
	<i>" 1 Sheet Galv. Iron</i>	<i>1.35</i>
	<i>Total</i>	<i>\$29.95</i>

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Sub Nov. 29/21*

\$29.95

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Hewes
Agent.

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DEPARTMENT.....Indian Affairs.

LOCAL PURCHASE—ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Tenders closed.....**Sept. 24th**.....192**1**..... by ~~letter~~
phone Due **Oct. 10th**.....192**1**..... Opened **Oct. 10th**..... 192**1**..... by **R. J. Lewis**.....

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The ~~Canadian~~ ~~Association~~ of Canada

I recommend that lowest tenders, as underlined, which have been accepted, be approved—
tenders marked with circle not satisfactory, for reasons given in remarks column.

Signed W. News Indian Agent.

Dept. of ~~Indian Affairs~~-----

DATE Nov. - 15th, 1921.

City or town Manitowaning Province Ontario

19-6-5



4-5-24,

[Handwritten signature]

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
November 25th, 1921.

Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 19-6-5 of September 20th, last, I have the honour to enclose herewith an account in favour of Mr. G.W. Hinds amounting to \$29.95 for box stove, stove pipe and galvanized sheeting for under the stove, furnished to the Wikwemikong School.

I enclose Abstract of Tenders as requested by Official Circular of August the 29th last.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Wikwemikong School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To R. J. Lewis.

DATE		AMOUNT	
1921		19-6-5 September 30th, 1921.	
November	21	Authorized by Dept. letter No dated	
October	11	To paid J. T. Burns wharfage of desks	.40 ✓
November	5	" " Jos. Atchitawins for 20 hours labour assembling desks .35¢ per hr.	7.00 ✓
"	5	" " Jos. Atchitawins freighting desks from Manitowaning to Wikwemikong	2.00 ✓
		TOTAL:-	\$9.40

5760
Sent Nov. 29/21.

[Signature]

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent.

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I54-5-24,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
November 21st, 1921.

Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 19-6-5 of September 30th last, I have the honour to enclose herewith an account in favour of myself amounting to \$9.40 for payments made for dockage, freighting from Manitowaning to Wikwemikong and assembling desks at the Wikwemikong School.

The desks were put off the boat at Manitowaning as it would not call at Wikwemikong.

Your obedient servant,

R. Kerwin
Indian Agent.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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MINUTE No.

Manitowaning Agency.
Wikwemikong School

No. of Account 151

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To J. C. Irving & Co.

DATE	AMOUNT
1921 November 21	19-6-4 September 19th, 1921 Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-6-4 dated October 18th, 1921.

MANITOWANING, ONT., November 21st, 1921
MANITOULIN ISLAND

M Dept. of Indian Affairs.

BOUGHT OF J. C. IRVING & CO.

DEALERS IN

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Gents' Furnishings
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE, ETC., ETC.

1921					
October 7	To 12 Bars of Soap .10			1.20	/
29	" 6 Castile Soap .05			.30	/
November 21	" 4 Brooms .85			3.40	/

				\$4.90	

5759
Sent Mar. 29/21

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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Wikwemikong School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To R. J. Lewis.

DATE			AMOUNT	
1921				
November	28	Authorized by Dept. letter No 124x dated		
"	4	To paid Moses Enose for 10 hours labour repairing and putting on storm windows at .35 per hour	3.50	/
"	12	" paid Joseph B. Jacko for 8 # putty .15-1.20 6 panes of glass .25-1.50, 14 panes of glass .15-2.10	4.80	/
"	12	" paid Joseph Atchitawins for 30 hours labour assisting repairing and putting on storm windows and cleaning stove pipes and chimneys at Wikwemikong school at .35 per hour	7.00	/
			\$15.30	
October	22	" paid Joseph Atchitawins freight on box stove from C.W.Hinds at Manitowaning to Wikwemikong school.....	1.00	/
			\$16.30	/

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent.

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I54-5-24,

19-6-5
Indian Office, Manitowaning,
November 28th, 1921.



Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith voucher in my favour amounting to \$16.30 for payments made by me to the several Indians in connection with repairing and putting on the storm windows, cleaning stove pipes and chimneys, and freighting box stove, in connection with the Wikwemikong School.

Your obedient servant,

R. Keewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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MINUTE No. 15-2214

Manitowaning Agency.
Wikwemikong School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To Richard McMullen Jr.

DATE		AMOUNT
1921 November 28	19-6-5 October 17th, 1921. Authorized by Dept. letter No. dated	
26	To 1 pump installed in the well at Wikwemikong School	\$30.50

6063
Sent Dec. 15/21.
JH

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. Hewitt
Agent.

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LOCAL PURCHASE—ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Tenders called November 3rd..... 1921..... by ^{letter}~~phone~~ Due November 5th..... 1921..... Opened November 5th..... 1921... by A. J. Lewis.....

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The Public Service Commission of Canada.

I recommend that lowest tenders, as underlined, which have been accepted, be approved—
tenders marked with circle not satisfactory, for reasons given in remarks column.

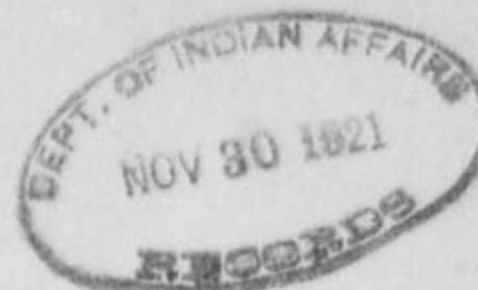
Signed A. Lewis Indian Agent.

Dept. of Indian Affairs ----- Ontario

City or town Manitowaning Province Manitoba

DATE November 28/21

19-6-5



I54-5-24,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
November 28th, 1921.

Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 19-6-5 of the 17th of October last, I have the honour to enclose herewith an voucher in favour of Mr. Richard McMullen Jr. amounting to \$30.50 for an Iron Pump complete installed in a Well at the Wikwemikong School.

The pump is installed in the well and is in good working order. It consists of an iron pump head, brass cylinder, 20 ft. of 1½ inch galvanized piping, iron sucker and rod.

I enclose abstract of tenders, in duplicate, as requested by the Department.

Your obedient servant,

R. Keen
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Wikwemikong School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To R. J. Lewis.

DATE		AMOUNT	
1921		October 18th, 1921.	
November	28	Authorized by Dept. letter No. <u>19-6-5</u> dated <u>October 18th, 1921.</u>	
		<u>Well at Wikwemikong School.</u>	
"	11	To paid John Encse 20 hrs. labour at .35 per hr.	7.00 ✓
"	12	" " Joe Jacko 50 ft lumber 2.50, 5# nails .15-75	3.25 ✓
"	14	" " Joseph Agowse 10 hrs. labour at .35 per hr	3.50 ✓
"	26	" " Joseph Atchitawine 30 hrs labour .35 " "	28.00 ✓
			<u>\$41.75 ✓</u>

5844-5805
sent Dec 3/21

[Signature]

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent.

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154-5-24,

after Indian Office, Manitowaning,
November 28th, 1921.

Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 19-6-5 of the 18th of October, last, I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher, accompanied by receipts, in favour of myself amounting to \$41.75 for payments made in connection with having the well at the school in Wikwemikong deepened.

The well has been completed with a pump installed and there is now an ample supply of good water for the use of the school.

Your obedient servant,

R. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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REPORT NO. 71-5-6
15-2201
MINUTE NO.

Manitowaning Agency.
Wikwemikong School.

No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To Watson & McKim

DATE		AMOUNT
1921	19-6-5	September 29th, 1921.
November	30	Authorized by Dept. letter No. dated
"	26	To I Extension Ladder, 28 ft. in length, furnished to the school at Wikwemikong Delivery charges to Wikwemikong, 11 miles
		15.00 ✓ .50 ✓ ----- \$15.50

2639
Sent Dec. 8/21.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

P. H. Lewis
Agent.

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Trans called October 5th 1927 by letter Due October 8th 1927 Opened October 8th 1927 by R.J. Lewis.

ARTICLES	FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE				REMARKS
	G.W.Hinds	N.Gould	R.McHullen Jr.	Watson & McKim	
Extension Ladder 28' long	None	None	None	15.00	
			Messrs. Watson & McKim	15.00	
			Delivery charges	.50	
				\$15.50	

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The Purchasing Commission of Canada

UNDERLINE TENDER ACCEPTED AND SHOW TOTAL VALUE OF ORDER GIVEN EACH FIRM

I recommend that lowest tenders, as underlined, which have been accepted, be approved—
tenders marked with circle not satisfactory, for reasons given in remarks column.

Signed James H. Lewis Indian Agent.

Dept. of ~~Indian Affairs~~

DATE November 30th, 1925 City Manitowaning Province Ont

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154-5-24,

DEC Indian Office, Manitowaning,
November 30th, 1921.

Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 19-6-5
of September 29th last, I have the honour to
enclose herewith an account in favour of Messrs.
Watson & McKim of this Village amounting to \$15.50
for a 28 foot extension ladder furnished to the
School at Wikwemikong.

I also enclose abstract of tenders, in dup-
licate, as requested by the Department.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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Wikwemikong School Junior Room.

No. of Account.....15

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To Isabelle Peltier

DATE		AMOUNT	
1921			
December	29	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 430214/5 dated January 14th, 1919.	
		<u>Prizes awarded to pupils in Junior Class-room.</u>	
"	17	To paid H.W. McLaughlin for:-	
		3 # candy at .30	2.10
		" " T. Eaton & Co., Limited, for:-	
		10 handkerchiefs	.50
		2 tops	.50
		3 dolls	.45
		5 books	.50
			1.95
		TOTAL:-	\$4.05

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

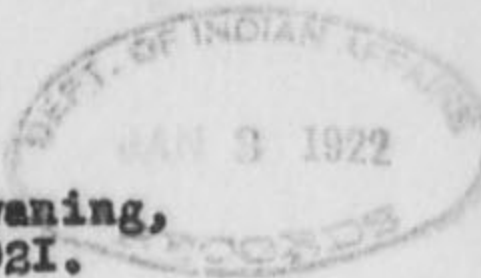
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I54-5-24,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
December 29th, 1921.

Sir:-

after

Authorized by Official Letter No. 430214/5
of January 14th, 1918, I have the honour to enclose
herewith a voucher, in duplicate, accompanied by receipts,
in favour of Miss Isabelle Peltier, Assistant teacher,
amounting to \$4.05 for payments made to Mr. H.W. McLaughlin
and The T. Eaton Co., Limited, for prizes awarded to pupils
in the junior class-room at the Wikwemikong School.

Your obedient servant,

J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Wikwemikong School, Senior Room.

No. of Account.....18

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To Zee St. James.

DATE		AMOUNT	
1921		430214/5 January 14th, 1918.	
December	29	Authorized by Dept. letter No. dated	
		<u>Prizes awarded to pupils in Senior class-room.</u>	
November	25	To paid M. Hickey for,-	
		2 doz. balls .60	1.20
		3 brooches .15	.65
		5 necklaces .15	.75
		1 box stationery	.15
			2.55
		" " T. Eaton Co., Limited.	
		3 hair sets	.30
		3 circus	.30
		7 pencil boxes	.70
		3 " " "	.15
			1.45

		TOTAL:-	\$4.00

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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54-5-24,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
December 29th, 1921.

Sir:-

after

Authorized by Official Letter No.430214/5 of January 14th, last, I have the honour to enclose herewith an account in favour of Miss Zoe St. James, principal teacher at the Wikwemikong School, amounting to \$4.00 for payments made to Miss M. Hickey and The T. Eaton Co., Limited, for prizes for the pupils in the senior classroom at the Wikwemikong School.

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Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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EXTRACT FROM MONTHLY REPORT OF MR. AGENT
LEWIS ON THE WIKWEMIKONG INDIAN DAY SCHOOL.

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A cheap clock should be furnished to the junior
classroom as the teacher has not one.



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OTTAWA, January 9th, 1922.

Sir, -

With reference to that portion of your report for the month of December, last, regarding the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, in which you state that a cheap clock should be furnished for the use of the junior classroom, I beg to say that you may arrange for the purchase and delivery of a cheap, serviceable clock.

No undue expenditure should be incurred in the purchase of this clock, it being considered that a suitable clock can be obtained from \$6.00 to \$10.00.

When the clock has been delivered you should forward properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, covering the expenditure incurred.

You should give this matter your early attention.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier
Russell T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Indian Education.

J. Lewis
J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency

No. of Account 15

INDIAN TRUST FUND

Wikwemikong Day School

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Messrs J. C. Irving & Co.

DATE	AMOUNT								
1922 Jan. 27	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-6-5 dated January 9th and Letter No. 19-6-4 dated January 19th, 1922.								
ACCOUNT NUMBER 22 MANITOWANING, ONT. Jany 27th 1922 MANITOULIN ISLAND M Dept. of Indian Affairs, Ottawa, Ont. BOUGHT OF J. C. IRVING & CO. DEALERS IN Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Gents' Furnishings CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE, ETC., ETC. For Wikwemikong School <table border="1"><thead><tr><th colspan="2">1922</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>Jan. 13</td><td>To 1 Clock ----- \$ 5.50 ✓</td></tr><tr><td>" 27</td><td>To 16 Slates @.35¢ each - 5.60 ✓</td></tr><tr><td colspan="2">Total ----- \$ 11.10 ✓</td></tr></tbody></table>		1922		Jan. 13	To 1 Clock ----- \$ 5.50 ✓	" 27	To 16 Slates @.35¢ each - 5.60 ✓	Total ----- \$ 11.10 ✓	
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Jan. 13	To 1 Clock ----- \$ 5.50 ✓								
" 27	To 16 Slates @.35¢ each - 5.60 ✓								
Total ----- \$ 11.10 ✓									

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R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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19-6-5
Indian Office, Manitowaning,
January 27th, 1922.



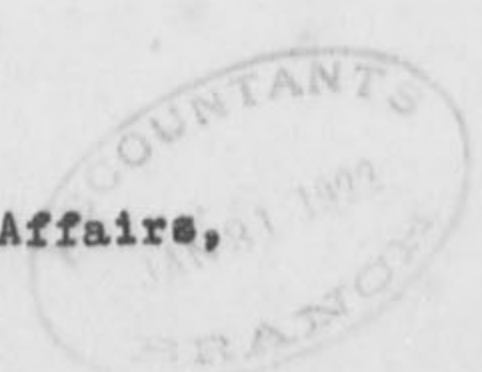
ac R
Sir;-

With reference to Official Letters No's 19-6-5 and 19-6-4 dated the 9th and 19th, instant, I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in favour of Messrs J.C. Irving & Co. amounting to \$11.10 for slates and a clock furnished the Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

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Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..



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Wikwemikong School.

No. of Account 18

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To R. J. Lewis

DATE		AMOUNT
1922		
March	13	Authorized by Dept. letter No. <u>19-6-5</u> dated <u>July 22nd, 1921.</u> <u>Removing closets and repairing same at Wikwemikong School.</u>
February	11	To paid John King for one day with team 5.00 /
"	11	" " Gabriel Shawana " " " " 5.00 /
"	14	" " John Flamand for one day assisting 2.00 /
"	14	" " J.C. Irving for 8 # nails .08-.64 5 dz screws .10-50, 3 pr butts .10-.30 1 lock .25, 1 knob .25 2.14 /
"	27	" " Jos. Atchitawins for 22 hours labour at .35 mper hour 7.70 /
"	27	" " Moses Enosse for 200 ft. of lumber at 20.00 per M 4.00 /
TOTAL:-		<u>\$25.84</u>

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Sent 17/3/22

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed
the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item
same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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I54-5-25,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
March 13th, 1922.

Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 19-6-5 of July the 22nd, last, I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in my favour amounting to \$25.84 for payments made by me to the different persons in connection with removing the two closets from Wikwemikong School to the Wikwemikong School, and having them put in a condition for use.

During next summer these building will have to be reshingled, then they will be in good condition.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Hewson
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Extract from Agent's Report on the Wikwemikong School
for the month of March, 1922.

The old wooden fence around the garden will
have to be repaired again this spring as the
heavy storms have broken part of it down. It
will probably cost \$10.00 to have it re-
paired.

R. J. Lewis,

Agent.



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19-6-5.

OTTAWA, April 6th, 1922.

Sir, -

Referring to that portion of your report on the Wikwemikong Indian Day School for the month of March, last, regarding the fence around the garden, I beg to say that you may arrange to have this fence repaired as early as weather conditions will permit, and the cost of the work should not exceed your estimate, viz: \$10.00.

The repairs to the fence should be attended to before the gardening begins.

You should forward properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, covering the expenditure incurred in having the repairs made to the fence.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Indian Education.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J. C. Irving & Co.,

DATE		AMOUNT
1922		
April	6	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....

MANITOWANING, ONT., *1110*
MANITOULIN ISLAND

M Dept of Indian Affairs
Wickwemikong School
BOUGHT OF J. C. IRVING & CO.

DEALERS IN

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Gents' Furnishings
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE, ETC., ETC.

Mix 4	20	45	Lead pencils	17	45
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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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154-5-25,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
April 7th, 1922.



Sir:-

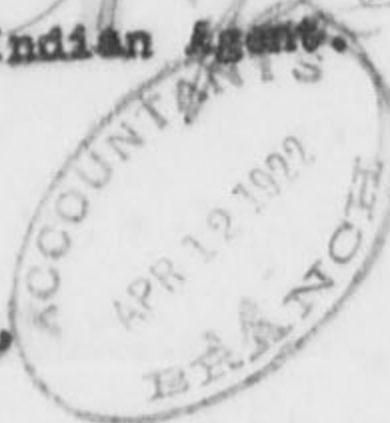
I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in favour of Messrs. J. C. Irving & Co. amounting to 45 cents for lead pencils furnished to the teacher at the Wikwemikong School.

As the teacher was short of pencils, I authorized Mr. Irving to furnish these.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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Manitowaning Agency

No. of Account

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

Wikwemikong Day School

To J. C. Irving & Co.

DATE		AMOUNT	
1922		430214-4	
April	28	Authorized by Dept. letter No. dated April 19th, 1922.	
April	28	To 2 Combs @ 25¢ each	.50 ✓
"	"	" 3 Pkgs Carrots .30	.30 ✓
		" 3 Pkgs Onions .30	.30 ✓
		" 3 Pkgs Turnips .90	.90 ✓
		TOTAL;-	\$1.40 ✓

1096
sent 5/5/29

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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154-5-25.

Indian Office, Manitowaning.

April 28th, 1922.

Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 430214-4 dated the 19th, instant, I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in favour of Messrs J. C. Irving & Co., amounting to \$1.40 for combs and seed furnished for the Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..



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Wikwemikong School.

No. of Account 15

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To R. J. Lewis.

DATE		AMOUNT	
1932		April 6th, 1922.	
May	15	Authorized by Dept. letter No. <u>19-6-5</u> dated	
April	26	To Paid N. Gould for framing certificate of Mary Atchitawins	.60
May	6	" paid Josep Enose for 9 hours labour at 35¢ per hour repairing fence	3.15
"	8	" paid Joseph Atchitawins for 60½ hours labour at 35¢ per hour repairing fence, taking out stoves and pipes, cleaning chimneys, taking off storm windows and repiling wood	21.15 ✓
"	11	" paid Jos. B. Jacko for 15 pounds of nails to repair fence at 10¢ per pound	1.50 ✓
"	12	" paid Chas. Baibomcowai for ploughing, harrowing and fertilising the garden at the school	5.00 ✓
"	13	" paid William Kinoshameg charges on a box of stationery from Manitowaning to Wikwemikong school	.50 ✓
			<u>\$31.90</u> ✓

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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154-5-25,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
May 13th, 1922.

Sir:-

after

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in my favour amounting to \$31.90 for payments made by me to the different persons for expense in connection with the Wikwemikong school.

Your obedient servant,

R. Hewitt
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

Wikwemikong Day School

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To.....Miss Zoe St. James

DATE		AMOUNT	
1922			
July	4	430214/5 Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....January 14th, 1918. <u>To payments made for prizes awarded to Pupils</u>	
June	13	" 12 Handkerchiefs .50 6 Handkerchiefs .25	\$.75
"	"	" 12 Books "The Devout Child" @ .05¢	.60
"	"	" 2 Books "New Key of Heaven" @ .20¢	.40
"	"	" 4 Pocket Manuals @ .25¢	1.00
"	"	" 1 Dozen Chapelets	.75
"	"	" Postage	.25
		Total;-	\$ 3.75

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sent 17/7/22
JH

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

Wikwemikong Day School

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To Miss Isabelle Peltier

DATE		AMOUNT	
1922		430214/5	
July	4	Authorized by Dept. letter No. dated January 14th, 1918.	
		<u>To payments made for prizes awarded to pupils</u>	
June	14	" 50 Images	\$ 1.00
"	"	" 1 Dozen Chapelets Blancs @ .70¢	.70
"	"	" 1 " " " " .90¢	.90
"	"	" 1 Chapelet Blanc " .25¢	.25
"	"	" 1 Book "The Catholic Child" .15¢	.15
"	23	" Paid J.B. Jacko for Popcorn	.95
		Total;-	\$ 3.95

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Sent 17/7/52
JH

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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19-6-5
Indian Office, Manitowaning.

July 4th, 1922.

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Sir;-

ACCOUNTANTS
JUL 10 1922
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Authorized by Official Letter No. 430214/5 of
January 14th, 1918, I have the honor to enclose herewith
accounts in favour of Miss Zow St. James amounting to
\$3.75, and Miss Isabelle Peltier amounting to \$3.95,
respectively, for payments made to different firms for
prizes awarded to pupils attending the Wikwemikong Day
School during the last teaching year.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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Manitowaning Agency.
Wikwemikong School.

No. of Account.....15

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To R. J. Lewis.

DATE		AMOUNT	
1932			
September	19	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
August	15	To paid John B. Enose for 5 days labour repairing and erecting foundations under closets at \$3.00 per day	15.00
"	29	" " Joseph B. Jacko for 1 barrel and 70 pounds of lime for the repairs being made to the closets	4.45
"	24	" " Joseph Atchitawins for 8 hours labour cleaning and pumping water out of the well at the school at 35 cents per hour	2.80
"	24	" " Jos. Enose for 3 hours labour assisting Joseph Atchitawins to clean well at the school at 35 cents per hour	1.05
		TOTAL:-	\$23 .30

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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I54-5-25.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
September 19th, 1922.



Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in my favour amounting to \$23.30 for payments made by me to the different Indians in connection with certain urgent repairs being made at the Wikwemikong School before the re-opening after the mid-summer holidays.

With regard to the repairs being made to the closets, I have the honour to report that during the holidays one evening after a rain storm and hurricane passed through the lower portion of Wikwemikong Village where the school is situated, upset two closets which did them much damage, and also some of the Indian homes were badly shaken, but nobody was hurt. I had an Indian build a solid foundation for each closet and place them thereon, and made the necessary repairs that were required.

On account of the school being closed during July and August there was not any water taken out of the well which caused it to be unfit for use, therefore, I had to authorize Mr. Atchitawins to clean the well out and pump the water all out several times before the teachers and pupils were allowed to use it.

Your obedient servant,

P. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

9/21/22
per
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF INSPECTOR J. M. BENNETT,
DATED SEPTEMBER 19th, 1922, ON THE WIKWEMIKONG INDIAN
DAY SCHOOL.

Schools

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Original on File No. 430214-6

Toilets still need attention.

Doors need to be set up.

Two toilets were brought from Wikwemikongsing.
Two will not be sufficient when all pupils return.

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No. of Account *18*

INDIAN TRUST FUND

Wikwemikong Day School

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To *H. W. McLaughlin, Manitowaning, Ont.*

DATE		AMOUNT
1922		
November 15	Authorized by Dept. letter No. <i>19-6-4</i> dated <i>October 16th, 1922.</i>	
November 10	To 4 Brooms <i>2.30</i> 4 Scrub Brushes <i>1.20</i>	3.50 ✓
	" 17 Yds Floor Oil-Cloth @ <i>1.25</i> per yd. (<i>2 yds wide</i>)	21.25 ✓
	" Stove Polish <i>.35</i> 2 Locks <i>.40</i>	.75 ✓
	" 7 Window Shades @ <i>.75</i>	5.25 ✓
	" Cartage to Wikwemikong	.50 ✓
	TOTAL;-	\$ 31.25 ✓

*5567
sent 2/11/22*

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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DEPARTMENT Indian Affairs

LOCAL PURCHASE—ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Tenders called October 23rd, 1922 by letter ~~XXXXXX~~ Due October 30th, 1922. Opened October 30th, 1922 by R. J. Lewis

ARTICLES	FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE			REMARKS
	<u>I. C. Irving & Co.</u>	<u>H. W. McLaughlin</u>	<u>John Reynolds</u>	
Brooms	<u>.75 — .85 — 1.00</u>	<u>.58</u>	<u>did not quote</u>	
Scrubbing Brushes	<u>.20 — .25 — .35 — 1.00</u>	<u>.30</u>		
Soap (12 bars)	<u>1.00</u>	<u>1.00</u>		
Stove Polish	<u>.10</u>	<u>.10 — .20</u>		
Door Locks	<u>.40</u>	<u>.20</u>		
Window Shades	<u>.75</u>	<u>.75</u>		
Floor Oil-Cloth (2 yds wide)	<u>1.00</u>	<u>1.25</u>		
		<u>H. W. McLaughlin \$31.25</u>		



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Minute No. 15-3605

NOV 20 1922

The Purchasing Commission of Canada.

UNDERLINE TENDER ACCEPTED AND SHOW TOTAL VALUE OF ORDER GIVEN EACH FIRM

I recommend that lowest tenders, as underlined, which have been accepted, be approved—tenders marked with circle not satisfactory, for reasons given in remarks column.

Signed

Dept. of

DATE

Nov. 15th, 1922

City or town

Manitowish, Province Ont.

154-5-25,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
November 15th, 1922.



Sir:-

With reference to Official Letter No. 19-6-4 dated October 16th, last, I have the honor to enclose herewith an account in favour of Mr. H. W. McLaughlin, General Merchant, Manitowaning, amounting to \$31.25, for supplies furnished for the class-room and teacher's residence at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

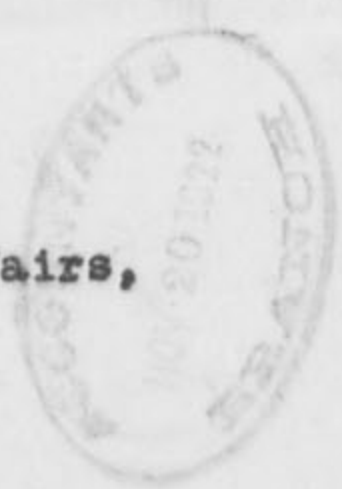
I also enclose abstract of tenders asked for from the local merchants of this village.

Your obedient servant,

R. F. Lewis
Indian Agent.

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[Signature]

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..



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I54-5-26,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
January 8th, 1923.

Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. I9-6-4 of
October 16th last, I have the honour to enclose
herewith an account in favour of Messrs. J.C. Irving & Co.
amounting to \$1.50 for Soap, and Chlorinated Lime,
furnished to Wikwemikong School.

With regard to the chlorinated lime, I beg to
report that the Doctor recommended two packages to be put
in the well at the school as the water was not in very good
condition.

Your obedient servant,

R. Hewitt
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

*a/c 15
J.H.G.*

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Manitowaning Agency.
Wikwemikong School.

No. of Account.....18

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To...Zoe St. James.

DATE		AMOUNT	
1923	430214-5 January 14th, 1918.		
January	25	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
		To paid Miss M. Hickey for prizes:-	
December	20/22	" 3 boxes of paints	.35✓
		" 6 books	.60✓
		" 1 doz. pencil boxes	1.25✓
		" 1 songster	.25✓
		" 4 necklaces	.40✓
		" 4 mouth organs	.40✓
		" 1/2 doz. rubber balls	.60✓
		1 tea set	.15✓
			\$4.00✓

7294
sent 1/2/23

JK

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent.

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I54-5-26, *CR*

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
January 25th, 1923.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a
voucher in favour of Miss Zoe St. James amounting
to \$4.00 for payment made for prizes awarded to the
pupils in the senior class-room at the Wikwemikong
school at Christmas 1922.

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Your obedient servant,

R. Lewis
Indian Agent.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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No. of Account.....15'

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J. C. Irving & Co.

DATE		AMOUNT
1923		
February	6	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 450214 dated January 11th, 1923.

MANITOWANING, ONT. February 5th 1929
MANITOULIN ISLAND

M Dept of Indian Affairs

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BOUGHT OF J. C. IRVING & CO.

DEALERS IN

**Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Gents' Furnishings
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE, ETC., ETC.**

1923 Wikwemikong School.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent.

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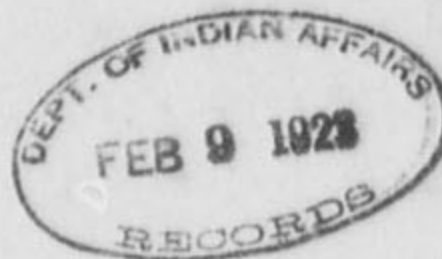
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I54-5-26,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
February 6th, 1923.



Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 430214-4 of January 11th, last, I have the honour to enclose herewith an account in favour of Messrs, J. C. Irving & Co. amounting to \$6.30 for 18 cloth bound slates furnished to the Wikwemikong School.

At Mr. Irving's store is the only place in this village where I could procure these slates.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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[Signature]

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MINUTE No.

Manitowaning Agency
No. of Account 15

INDIAN TRUST FUND

Wikwemikong Day School

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To H. W. McLaughlin, Manitowaning.

DATE		AMOUNT
1923		
February 14	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 430214-44 dated January 11th, 1923.	
February 10	To 12 Silkin Spools @ .10 each	\$ 1.20

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sent 2/2/23.
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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

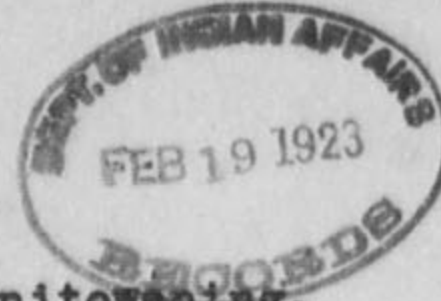
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154-5-26,

19-6-5



Indian Office, Manitowaning,

February 14th, 1923.

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Sir;-

With reference to Official Letter No. 430214-4 dated the 11th, ultimo, I have the honour to enclose herewith an account in favour of Mr. H. W. McLaughlin of Manitowaning, amounting to \$1.20 for one dozen Silkin Spools furnished Miss Isabelle Peltier for use in the junior class-room at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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SPORTING GOODS DEPT.
PHONE QUEEN 499

REPORT No. 159

19-6-5

BOAT HOUSE
RIDEAU 1414

Ketchum & Company, Limited

SPORTING AND ATHLETIC GOODS

BICYCLE SUNDRIES AND REPAIR SHOP, CLEVELAND AND BRANTFORD BICYCLES, MOTOR CYCLES,
GUNS, EVENRUDE MOTORS, AUTOMOBILES, GASOLINE LAUNCHES AND CANOES

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Ottawa

March 13, 1923

ONT.

Sold to

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Booth Bldg., Sparks St

581775

Terms Cash. Interest at 8 per cent. per annum charged on all overdue accounts.

Order # 19-6-4

To

1 Football

4.00

(For Wilkewikong Indian Day School)



*Goods received. Please find
and send me
19/3/23*

*2250
at 2/3/23*

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DEPARTMENT of Indian Affairs

LOCAL PURCHASE—ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Tenders called March 16th 1923 by letter phone Due March 19th 1923 Opened March 19th 1923 by R. J. Lewis

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I recommend that lowest tenders, as which we been accepted, be approved—
tenders marked with circle not, for reasons given in remarks column.

Sir *Robert*
D. Affairs

DATE April 16th 1933 Manitowaning Province Ontario

DEPARTMENT of Home Affairs

Tenders called March 16th 1923 by letter
phone Due March 19th 1923 Opened March 19th 1923 by B. J. Lewis

ARTICLES	FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE		REMARKS
	J.C.Irving & Co.	H.W.McLaughlin, J.Reynolds.	
12 bars comfort soap	1.00	1.00	Reynolds did not quote.
24 yards of print	7.00	6.00	
12 balls crochet cotton	1.00	1.10	
12 balls monarch down	4.00	3.20	
1 pkg turnip seed	.10	.05	
4 pkgs carrot seed	.40	.28	
2 " squash seed	.20	.16	
2 " flower seed	.20	16	
H.W.McLaughlin \$12.20			

UNDERLINE TENDER ACCEPTED AND SHOW TOTAL VALUE OF ORDER GIVEN EACH FIRM

DO NOT USE THIS SPACE

I recommend that lowest tenders, as underlined which have been accepted, be approved—
tenders marked with circle not suitable for reasons given in remarks column.

Signed _____
Dept of Indian Affairs

DATE April 16th 1923 City of Hamilton Province Ontario

Manitowaning Agency
Wikwemikong School.

REPORT No. 165

MINUTE No. _____

No. of Account. 15

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To H. W. McLaughlin.

DATE		AMOUNT	
<u>1923</u>			
<u>April</u>	<u>I6</u>	Authorized by Dept. letter No. <u>19-6-4</u> dated <u>March 12th, 1923.</u>	
	<u>I4</u>	To 24 yards of print @ 25¢	6.00 ✓
		12 Balls crochet cotton No.50 @ 11¢	1.10 ✓
		12 monarch down, asst'd colors	3.20 ✓
		12 bars comfort soap	1.00 ✓
		1/4 # turnip seed 5¢, 4 pkgs carrot seed 28¢	.33 ✓
		2 pkgs squash 16¢, 2 flower seed 16¢	.32 ✓
		Cartage paid to Wikwemikong	.25 ✓
		TOTAL:-	\$12.20 ✓

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Agent.

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Letter No. 154-5-26,

Office of the Manitowaning Indian Agency,

April 16th 1923

Sir,

I have the honour to enclose herewith Vouchers
Nos., amounting to \$ 12.20
in favour of Mr. H. W. McLaughlin
for supplies to Wikwemikong School

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
Letter No. 12-6-4 dated March 12th, 1923.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



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EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF R. J. LEWIS, DATED
APRIL 16th, 1923, ON THE WIKWEMIKONG DAY SCHOOL.

Original on File 19-6-7.

The building requires some repairs such
as having the floor in the hall at the entrance
to the classrooms repaired, and two doors adjusted
as they will not close properly.



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19-6-5.

Ottawa, April 23rd, 1923.

Sir:

Referring to that portion of your report dated the 16th instant on the Wikwemikong Indian Day School regarding repairs required to the building, I beg to say that you may arrange to have the floor in the hall at the entrance to the classrooms repaired and the two doors adjusted in order that they will close properly. No undue expenditure should be incurred in having this work done.

Properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, should be forwarded covering the expenditure incurred.

These repairs should receive your early attention.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R.J.L.
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

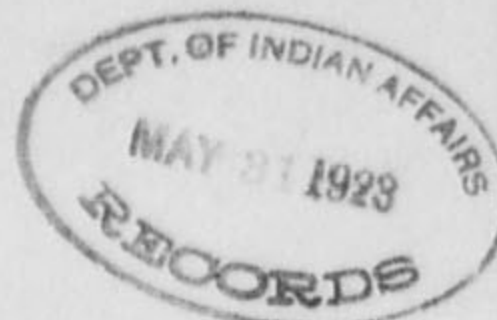
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Extract from Inspector's Report on the WIKWEMIKONG
School. May 23, 1923.

Classroom interiors are satisfactory. The woodwork
of the upstairs room might be painted however.

Interior of the building needs attention of some kind.
The building is so large that to paint it would cost
much, yet something should be done for appearance sake

Outside toilets. The old ones should be removed. They
are an eyesore and give a bad example to the children.
The boys have only two useful ones and these certainly
are not sufficient. This matter is important.

Usual supply of wood was not sent to this school during
the winter for next winter's use. I hope that this
does not mean that this school will have to use green
wood next winter.

Re. Flag pole and flag? ? ?



J. M. Bennet,

Insp.

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19-6-5.

Ottawa, June 2nd, 1923.

Sir:

The Public School Inspector, in a report on his recent inspection of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, draws attention to the condition of the outside toilets. He states that the old ones should be removed, as they are an eyesore, and give a bad example to the children. He also states that more toilet accommodation is required. Kindly furnish a report regarding this matter, together with your views as to what you would suggest be done to make proper arrangements for the purpose.

The Inspector makes the following reference in his report to the fuel supplied:

"Usual supply of wood was not sent to this school during the winter for next winter's use. I hope that this does not mean that this school will have to use green wood next winter".

As you have already been requested in another communication, you will be good enough to see that arrangements are made to obtain the supply of wood required for next winter's use at all the day schools in your Agency.

Kindly state whether there is a flag pole at this school, as the Inspector recommends that a flag be supplied.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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54-5-26,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
June 18th, 1923.

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Sir:-

In regard to Official Letter No. 19-6-5 of the 2nd, instant, in connection with the report of the Separate School Inspector in regard to the toilet accomodation, supply of fuel and a flag pole at the Wikwemikong School, I have the honour to report that at the present time there are fourteen closets in use at this school, without the old buildings that the Inspector recommends should be removed, and I always considered that this school was very well supplied with toilet accomodation. I might say that there are only two large closets in use for the accomodation of the boys, as the others are in use by the girls and the school staff, and it may be that it is more toilet accomodation for the boys that the Inspector has reference to.

With regard to a supply of fuel, I have the honour to report that a portion of the usual supply has been put in the wood shed and the balance will be delivered in the near future.

There has never been a flag pole at this school since the building was turned into a day school.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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54-5-26.

Ottawa, June 23, 1923.

Sir:

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 18th instant, regarding the toilet accommodation at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say it is considered that it would be advisable to have the old toilet buildings, referred to by the Inspector, removed and the ground on which they stand filled in and properly levelled. If you consider that this would improve the conditions complained of by the Inspector, you may arrange to have the work done. Regarding additional toilet accommodation for the boys, it might be possible to arrange for more space by an addition to the present building. The material in the old building could be utilized for the purpose. We shall be pleased to hear from you, further, as to what you would recommend having done in this matter also the probable cost of providing more accommodation for the boys.

Regarding the erection of a flag pole, it is considered that the Indians should provide a suitable pole and have it erected. The Department would supply the necessary guy wires, rope and pulley. If the Indians will undertake the work, you may purchase the wire, rope and pulley. The Department will furnish a flag when the pole has been put up. If the Indians will not undertake the work of furnishing and putting up the pole, without cost to the Department, the supplying of a flag pole will have to remain in abeyance for the present.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

Wikwemikong Day School

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To C. W. Hinds, Manitowaning.....

DATE		AMOUNT	
1923		Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-6-4 dated March 12th, 1923.	
June	30		
"	18	To 1 Wall Brush	\$ 2.25 ✓
"	"	" 1-10 Ft Step Ladder	6.75 ✓
"	"	" Cartage to Wikwemikong	.25 ✓
		Total;-	\$ 9.25 ✓

2534
sent 6/7/23
JHY

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent.

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44-5-26.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
June 30th, 1923.

Sir:-

With reference to Official Letter No. 19-6-4 dated March 12th, last, I have the honour to enclose herewith an account in favour of Mr. C. W. Hinds, Hardware Merchant of this village, amounting to \$9.25 for a Step Ladder and Wall Brush furnished for use at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

There was no authority given to purchase the Wall Brush as stated but as the teacher Miss St. James informed me that it was impossible to have the walls cleaned without a brush of this kind, therefore, I purchased the same from Mr. Hinds at a reasonable price.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..



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Wikwemikong School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To.....Isabella Peltier.....

DATE		AMOUNT	
1923			
July	3	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 430214 dated January 14th, 1918.	
		<u>To prizes awarded to pupils in Junior Class-room.</u>	
June	1	To paid Rev. F. A. Dogaulets for,-	
		35 small pictures	35
		5 large "	50
		2 books	50
		1 badge	30
		7 pairs of beads	70
			2.35 ✓
"	16	" " J. C. Irving & Co. for,-	
		Ribbon	45
		1 comb	35
		crayons	10
		2 balls	20
		4 lbs of candy	1.00
			2.00 ✓
		TOTAL:-	\$4.35 ✓

2628
sent 10/7/23
PR

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

P. J. [Signature]
Agent.

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54-5-26,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
July 3rd, 1923.



Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose
herewith a voucher in favour of Miss
Isabelle Peltier amounting to \$4.35 for
payments made for prizes awarded to
pupils in the junior classroom at the
Wikwemikong School for the half year
ending June the 30th 1923.

Authorized by Official Letter
No. 430214-5 of January the 14th 1918.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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154-5-26,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
July 16th, 1923.



Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 19-6-5 of the 23rd of June, last, with further reference to toilet accommodation at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, I have the honour to report that the old toilet building referred to is being removed and the ground levelled. An addition to the present building to provide more toilet accommodation for the boys will cost approximately \$60.00. The material in the old building is of very little value and only a small amount can be utilized for the purpose of erecting another building.

With regard to the question of the Indians furnishing a flag pole for the school, I have the honour to report that they will furnish the pole without cost to the Department.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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154-5-26.

Ottawa, July 20th, 1923.

Sir:

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 16th inst., with reference to the providing of more toilet accommodation for the boys' at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say that you may arrange to have an addition erected to the present building. You should purchase and have delivered the material required, and the work should be done by day labour. You should see that the additional accommodation is of a type that will be satisfactory for the purpose. The Department will leave the erection of this addition in your hands, to make the best arrangements possible for the increased space required. No unnecessary expenditure should be incurred, and properly certified vouchers covering the cost of the material supplied, and for the labour, should be forwarded. This work should be proceeded with and completed before the school re-opens after the present summer holidays. We note that you estimate the cost to be approximately \$60, and it should be kept within that figure, if possible.

We also note that the old toilet building is being removed, and the ground levelled, also that none of the material can be utilized for the purpose of erecting the new addition.

We further notice that the Indians will furnish a flag pole, without cost to the Department. It is presumed that this is for the pole and the work of putting up the same. If the Indians do not supply the wire, rope and pulley, you may purchase the same, as instructed in official letter of June 23rd, last. When the pole has been put up, you should requisition for a flag of the size required - either a 6' or a 9' being the standard size.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
Ont.

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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Wikwemikong School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To.....R. J. Lewis.....

DATE		AMOUNT	
1923			
July	19	19-6-5	April 23, 1923.
Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....			
Repairs and expense at Wikwemikong School for June 4, 1923.			
		To paid J.J.Morrow & W.Kinoshamag, Express	1.25 /
April	2	" " I. Desmoulens 1/2 day labour repairs to	1.50 /
May	7	" " the kitchen in teachers' residence	
"	7	" " Joseph Atchitawins for 15 hours labour	
		taking down storm windows, repairing	
		windows, cleaning chimneys and taking	5.25 /
		down stoves and pipe at 35¢ per hr.	
"	17	" " Jack Vanzant for 150 feet of Maple	8.00 /
		Flooring to repair school	2.65 /
"	17	" " J.C.Irving for latch, nails and lock	.60 /
"	24	" " J.B.Jacko for 6 # nails	
"	29	" " Joseph Atchitawins for 28 hours labour	9.80 /
		repairing floor and doors at 35¢ per hr.	
"	29	" " Chas. Baibomcowai for ploughing and	5.00 /
		fertilizing garden at school	
"	28	" " Catherine Algo for 2 # putty and 7	1.00 /
		window glass furnished to the school	
		on May the 5th	
June	5	" " Joseph Atchitawins for cleaning	3.00 /
		closets	
		TOTAL:-	\$38.05

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent.

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154-5-26,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
July 29th, 1923.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in my favour amounting to \$38.05 for expense paid by me in connection with repairs, express charges, ploughing garden, cleaning closets, etc., at the Wikwemikong school during June quarter 1923.

A portion of this expenditure was authorized by Official Letter No. 19 - 6 - 5 of April the 23rd last.

Your obedient servant,

G. H. Davis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

Wikwemikong School

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Miss Zoa St. James, Wikwemikong.....

DATE		AMOUNT	
1923		To Prizes awarded to Pupils in Senior Class-room.	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No. 430214-5 dated January 14th, 1918.	
August	2	To Paid Miss M. Hickey for:-	
June	12	To 6 Books	\$ 2.00
"	"	" 1 Necklace	.35
"	"	" 4 Rubber Balls	1.00
"	"	" 4 Picture Books	.49
"	"	" 1 Yd Ribbon	.25
		Total:-	\$ 4.00

Sent Aug 13/23.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis.
Agent.

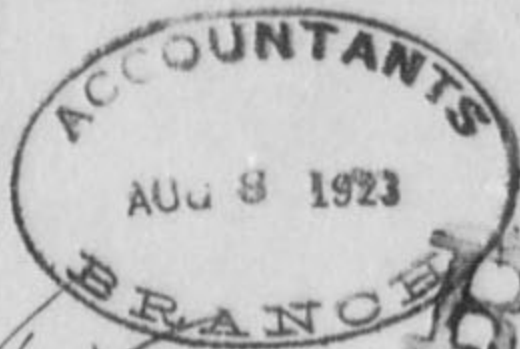
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154-5-26,



Indian Office, Manitowaning,
August 2nd, 1923.



Sir:-

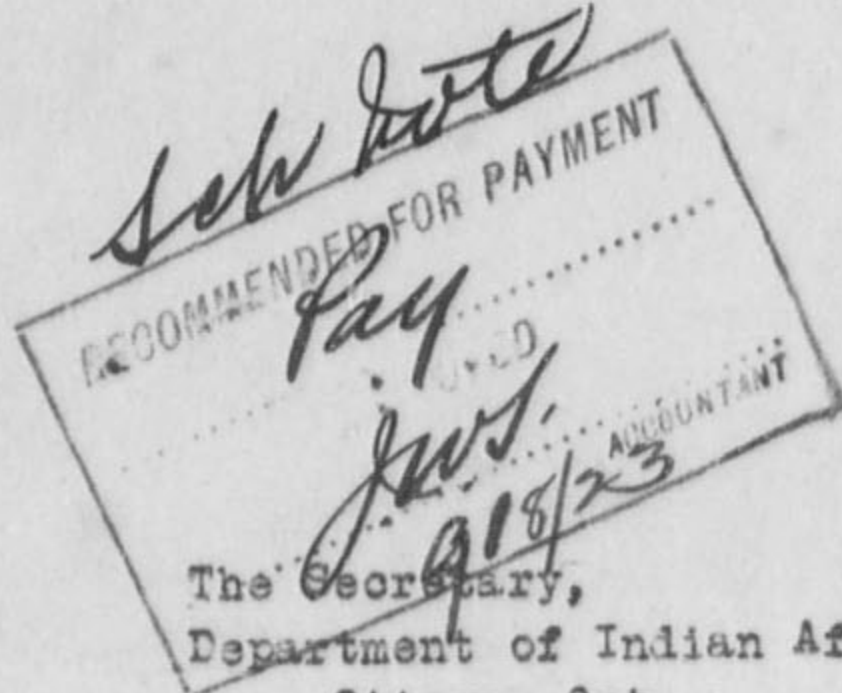
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I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in favour of Miss Zoe St. James amounting to \$4.00, accompanied by receipt, for payment made for prizes awarded to pupils in the Senior class-room at the Wikwemikong School for the half year ending June 30th 1923.

Authorized by Official Letter No. 430214-5 of January the 14th, 1918.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.



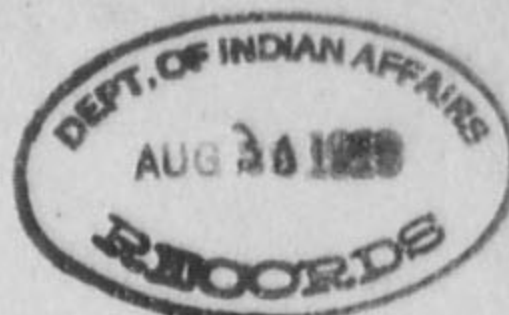
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I54-5-26, *[Signature]* Indian Office, Manitowaning,
August 28th, 1923.

Sir:-

I have the honour to report that the floors in the residential portion of the Wikwemikong School building are in a poor condition. They are worn rough and should be replaced with new material, but by giving them two coats of paint they will have to do for sometime yet. The cost of the paint and the work will be approximately \$12.00.

I would recommend that I be authorized to have these floors painted.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa, August 31, 1923.

154-5-26

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 28th instant, I beg to say that you may have the floors in the residential portion of the Wikwemikong Indian day school painted at a cost not exceeding your estimate of \$12.00;

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
for Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

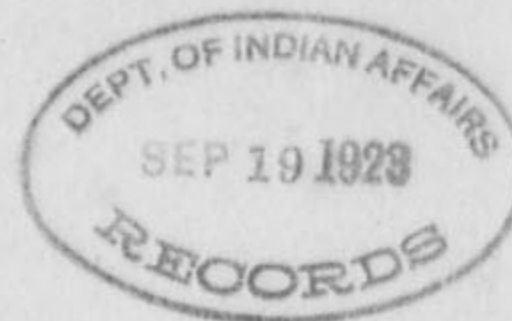
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R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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Extract from Inspector's Report on the WIKWEMIKONG
School. September 13, 1923.

The roof needs fixing and next summer the ceilings
and walls might be murescoed and the woodwork painted
in the junior room upstairs.

J. M. Bennett,

Insp.



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19-6-5.

Ottawa, September 21st, 1923.

Sir:

The Separate School Inspector, in a report on his recent inspection of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, states that the roof needs repairing, and that next summer the ceilings and walls in the junior room upstairs should be murescoed, and the woodwork painted.

I have to request that you will arrange to have any repairs required to the roof carried out this fall in order to prevent leakage. Next spring you might draw the Department's attention to the tinting and painting of the junior room, and, at the same time, state approximately the cost of having the work done. No unnecessary expenditure should be incurred in the repairs to the roof.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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Manitowaning Agency,
Wikwemikong Day School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To R. J. Lewis.

DATE 1923		AMOUNT	
September	25	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-6-5 dated July 20th, 1923.	
August	8	To paid J.B.Jacko for 7 1/2 # 4" Nails @ 10¢--	.75 /
"	9	" " " " " 5 # 2 1/2" Nails @ 10¢--	.50 /
"	10	" " " " " 5 # Shingle " @ 10¢--	.50 /
"	10	" " " " " 2 Bunch Shingles	3.00 /
"	13	" " " " " 3 # 2 1/2" Nails @ 10¢--	.50 /
"	15	" " " " " Set Hinges	.25 /
		Latch .35, Screws 15--	.50 /
		292' lumber @ \$40.00	11.68 /
		100 # Lime @ .02 1/2	2.50 /
			19.98 /
"	18	" " Joseph Agose for 7 days labour erecting closet and repairing two old closets at \$3.00 per day	21.00 ✓
"	18	" " Joseph Enose for 2 days labour drawing stone and building foundation under closet	5.00 ✓
"	22	" " C.W.Hinds for 5 gals. of paint at \$2.95 per gal.	14.75 ✓
September	4	" " Dominic Odjig for 2 days labour painting at \$2.50 per day	5.00 ✓
		TOTAL:-	\$65.73 ✓

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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I54-5-27,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
September 25th, 1923.

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Sir:-

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Authorized by Official Letter No. I9-6-5 of July the 20th, last, I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in my favour amounting to \$65.73 for payments made for material and labour in connection with having an additional closet erected at the Wikwemikong Day School for the accommodation of the boys.

There are now three large closets for the use of the boys which should be ample accommodation for them. All these buildings are built on solid stone and mortar foundations and have been newly painted.

The cost of this work would have been kept within my estimate of approximately \$60.00, if I had not authorized the old buildings to be repainted. After the new building had been erected and painted the old buildings seemed to appear so much in need of repainting that I authorized the work to be done.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Hewitt
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Wikwemikong Day School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To.....R. J. Lewis.

DATE		AMOUNT
1923		
September 25	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-6-5.....dated.....July 20th, 1923.	
August 25	To paid Joseph Enose for 2 days labour taking down old closets and filling hole at Wikwemikong Day School	4.50 /
" 25	To paid Joseph Enose for 1½ days labour cutting and burning weeds in the yard at Wikwemikong Day School.....	2.50 /
" 25	To paid Cleophus Osawisens for 6½ cords of dry cedar wood delivered to Wikwemikong School at 2.00 per single cord	13.00 /
TOTAL:-		\$20.00 /

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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154-5-27,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
September 25th, 1923.

Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 19-6-5 of July the 20th last, I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in my favour amounting to \$20.00 for payments made by me for taking down old closet, filling in hole, cutting weed in the yard and the delivery of 6 single cords of dry cedar to the Wikwemikong Day School.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa, Ont.

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To J. C. Irving & Co.

and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

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Agent.

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Letter No. 154-5-37.



Office of the Manitowaning Indian Agency,

October 15th, 1923. 192

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Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.
amounting to \$ 7.50 in favour
of Messrs. J. C. Riving & Co, Manitowaning,
for 24 slates furnished to Wikwemikong School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental
Letter No 19-6-4 dated July 6th, 1923.

Your obedient servant,

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JH

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Wikwemikong Day School, Manitoulin Unceded Reserve

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To...H. W. McLaughlin.

DATE		AMOUNT	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-6-4 dated July 6th, 1923.	
October	15		
September	8	To 12 slates @ .35	4.20 ✓
October	5	" 10 yards towelling .25	2.50 ✓
"	5	6 drinking cips .20	1.20 ✓
"	II	" 1 Water pail	1.15 ✓
		" Delivery Charges	.25 ✓
		TOTAL:-	\$9.30 ✓

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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Letter No. ~~1254~~ 154/5/27.



Office of the Manitowaning Indian Agency,

October 15th 1923

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.

amounting to \$ 9.30 in favour

of H. W. McLaughlin, Manitowaning,

for slates, towelling, cups and pail to Wikwemikong
School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 12-6-4 dated July 6th and Sept. 27th, 1923.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

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sent 19/10/23
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
November 21st, 1921.



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Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letters No. 19-6-4 of September the 19th and October 18th, last, I have the honour to enclose herewith an account in favour of Messrs. J. C. Irving & Co. amounting to \$4.90 for soap and brooms furnished to the Wikwemikong Day School. **R**

With regard to the brooms which I did not have authority to purchase, I have to report that the teacher was in need of them, therefore, I authorized the purchase of them.

Your obedient servant,

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Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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Wikwemikong Day School

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To.....Messrs J. C. Irving & Co. Manitowaning.

DATE	AMOUNT
1923 November 13	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....

MANITOWANING, ONT. October 31st 191 23.
MANITOULIN ISLAND
Wikwemikong School

M Dept of Indian Affairs, Ottawa.

BOUGHT OF J. C. IRVING & CO.

DEALERS IN

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Gents' Furnishings
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE, ETC., ETC.

1923					
October 23	To	4 Brooms	\$	4.00	
"	"	4 Scrub Brushes		1.40	
"	"	12 Bars Soap		1.00	
					\$ 6.40

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sent 20/11/23

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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4-5-27,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
November 13th, 1923.

Sir;-

I have the honour to enclose herewith an account in favour of Messrs J. C. Irving & Co, General Merchants, Manitowaning, amounting to \$6.40, for supplies furnished for use at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

There was no authority given to the Department to purchase these articles but as Miss St James, Principal, of this school was greatly in need of same, therefore, I instructed Mr. Irving to furnish her with these few supplies for use at the school.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..



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Wikwemikong Day School.

No. of Account.....15

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To...R...J...Lewis.....

DATE		AMOUNT	
1923		Authorized by Dept. letter No. 12-6-5 dated August 31, 1923.	
November	24		
August	25	To paid C.W.Hinds for,-	
		2 - 2 gals floor paint	5.80 /
"	29	1 - 1 " " "	2.90 /
		2 - 1 quarts " "	2.90 /
		cartage to Wikwemikong	.60 /
November	19	" paid Chas. S. King for 16 1/2 hours labour painting at 30¢ per hr.	4.95 /
		TOTAL:-	\$17.45 /

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sent 20/11/23.
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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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154-5-27,

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
November 24th, 1923.

Sir,-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in my favour amounting to \$17.15 for payment made for paint and labour performed painting the floors in the residential portion of the Wikwemikong School building.

This expenditure was authorized by Official Letter No. 19-6-5 of August the 31st 1923.

On account of the old floors being so soft the amount of paint used and the labour required far exceeded my estimate of the cost of having this work performed. It took twice the amount of paint to do the work as I thought it would have taken.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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[Signature]



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Manitowaning Agency
Wikwemikong School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Suzanne A. Fox

DATE		AMOUNT
1924		
January 2	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 430214, dated January 14th, 1918. To prizes awarded to pupils in Junior Class-room	
December 7/23	To paid Spanish Industrial School for:-	
	Marbles .10 Toy Butterfly .15	\$.25 /
	Toy Dishes .15 Toy Drum .15	.30 /
	Toy Tub & Washboard .15 Toy Horse .15	.30 /
	1/2 Dz Balloons .15 Calendars .70	.85 /
	5 Chubby Cubby .50 2 Dandy Doggie .20	.70 /
	4 Pretty Kittie .40 3 Picture Books .45	.85 /
	1 Ball .05 1/2 Dz Toy Frogs .15	.20 /
	1 Toy Dog .05 2 Pictures .50	.55 /
		\$ 4.00 ✓

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sent 9/1/24.

[Signature]

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent.

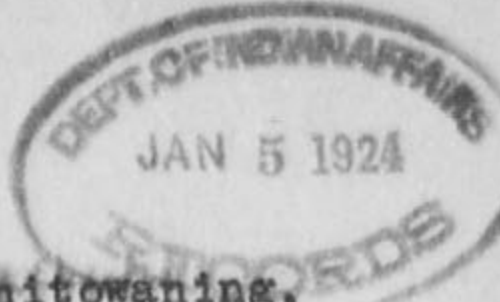
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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
January 2nd, 1924.

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Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in favour of Miss Suzanne A. Fox amounting to \$4.00 for payments made for prizes awarded to pupils in the junior class-room at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School for the half year ending December 31st, 1923.

Authorized by Official Letter No. 430214-5 dated January the 14th, 1918.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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Wikwemikong School

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To....Zoe St. James.....

DATE		AMOUNT
1924	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
January 29	To Prizes awarded to pupils in senior class-room	
	To Paid Miss M. Hickey for payments made for:-	
	4 Papillan .60 I Flute .10	.70 ✓
	2 Mandelins .30 I Balloon .15	.45 ✓
	I Musia .15 I chevaup .10	.25 ✓
	6 Strings Beads .15	.90 ✓
	I Cannon .15 I R. Elephant .15	.30 ✓
	I R. Doll .15 I Tin Toy Set .15	.30 ✓
	6 R. Balls .30 I India Game .15	.45 ✓
	I Ten pin Bowling Set .15	.15 ✓
	I Game Ring my Nose .15	.15 ✓
	I Racing Game .15 I Music Box .15	.30 ✓
		2.55 ✓
	" Paid Miss M. Hickey for payments made for:-	
	I Dozen Beads	.65 ✓
		.65 ✓
	Total:-	\$ 4.60 ✓

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

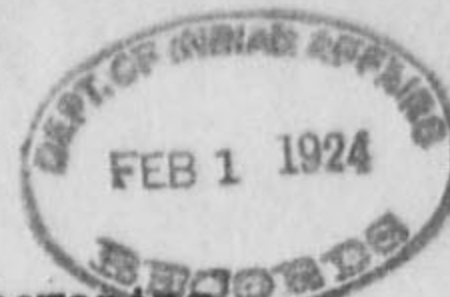
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54-5-27.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
January 29th, 1924.

Sir;-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher, in duplicate, accompanied by receipts, in favour of Miss Zoe St. James amounting to \$4.60, for payments made for prizes awarded to pupils in the senior class-room at the Wikwemikong Day School for the half year ending December 31st, 1923.

Authorized by Official Letter No. 430214-5 dated January 14th, 1918.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF R. J. LEWIS, INDIAN AGENT,
FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY, 1924, ON THE WIKWEMIKONG
INDIAN DAY SCHOOL.



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Original on File 19-6-7.

Miss St. James, teacher in the senior room,
has asked for a small cupboard to store books, as the
one in use at the present time is too small to hold
all the books and stationery. Suitable one will cost
\$10.00.

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19-6-5.

Ottawa, February 7th, 1924.

Sir:

Regarding that portion of your report for the month of January, last, on the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, in which you state that a small cupboard is required for the purpose of storing books, I beg to say that you may arrange for the purchase and delivery of a cupboard of the size considered satisfactory. We note that you estimate a suitable cupboard will cost about \$10. After the cupboard has been obtained, you should forward properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, covering the expenditure incurred in the purchase of the same.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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Wikwemikong Day School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To R. J. Lewis.....

DATE		AMOUNT	
1924		Authorized by Dept. letter No. 12-2-5 dated.....September 21st, 1923.	
February	4	<u>Repair to Wikwemikong Day School</u>	
December	18	To paid Joseph Erse for 3/4 of a day, labour repairing roof of school building	2.00 ✓
January	19	* Paid John King 32 1/2 hours labour, repairing and putting up storm windows, cleaning chimneys and putting up stoves and pipes, repairing chimneys and drain, at 40 cents per hour	13.00 ✓
February	8	* paid C.W. Hinds for repairs to sink and drain,- 1 washer for sink 1 piece lead pipe	1.75 1.40 2.15 ✓
		TOTAL:-	\$17.15 ✓

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Sub 11/2/24
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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

Manitowaning, Ont.

February 4th, 1924. 19

154-5-27.

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ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Sir,—

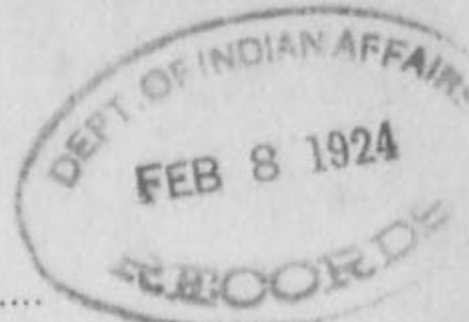
I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in my favour amounting to \$17.15 for payments made by me in connection with having the roof repaired, storm windows repaired and put on, chimneys repaired and cleaned, stoves and pipes put up, sink and drain repaired, at the Wikwemikong Day School.

When I was having the stoves and pipes put up in the class-rooms for the winter it was found that the chimneys were in bad condition and very much in need of repairs, also the sink and drain in the kitchen of the residence were out of repair, so I authorized Mr. King to make these repairs when putting on the storm windows and putting up the stoves.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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PHONE QUEEN 499

19-6-5

BOAT HOUSE
RIDEAU 1414

Ketchum & Company, Limited

SPORTING AND ATHLETIC GOODS

BICYCLE SUNDRIES AND REPAIR SHOP, CLEVELAND AND BRANTFORD BICYCLES, MOTOR CYCLES,
GUNS, EVENRUDE MOTORS, AUTOMOBILES, GASOLINE LAUNCHES AND CANOES

APR 22 1924

Ottawa

Apr 16, 1924

ONT.

Sold to *Dep. of Indian Affairs,*

Booth Bldg.

Order # 19-6-4

Terms Cash. Interest at 8 per cent. per annum charged on all overdue accounts.

To 3 Football Bladders \$1.80

For Wikwenkong Indian School

*Goods received. Prices charged
fair of val. J. W. Lathrop
23/4/24*

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Wikwemikong School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To ~~XXXX~~ H. W. McLaughlin.

DATE		AMOUNT	
1924			
April	25	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-6-4 dated April 12, 1924.	
"	23	To 2 Combs .60	1.20
		6 Bars Soap .10	.50
		1 Box Matches	.45
		1 Tin Stove Polish	.15
		1 Package Needles	.10
		2 Spools Thread \$10	.20
		20 Yards of Gingham .39	7.80
		Cartage to Wikwemikong	.25
			\$10.65

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sent 30/4/24.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent.

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Office of the Manitowaning Indian Agency,

April 25th, 1924. 192

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....,

amounting to \$ 10.65 in favour

of H. W. McLaughlin, Manitowaning,

for articles furnished to teacher at Wikwemikong
School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 19-6-4 dated April 12th, 1924.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

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ACCOUNTANTS
APR 18 1924
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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EXTRACT FROM INSPECTOR'S REPORT ON THE JUNIOR ROOM
OF THE WIKWEMIKONG INDIAN DAY SCHOOL, MAY 13, 1924.

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Inside of this room needs renovating.
But "muresco" should not be put on the
wooden ceiling. It was done and every
time ceiling is dusted it comes off.



J. M. Bennett,
Insp.

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19-6-5.

Ottawa, May 20th, 1924.

Sir:

The Separate School Inspector, in a report on his recent inspection of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, states that the interior of the junior classroom needs renovating. He states that the walls should be murescoed, but that the ceiling should not be murescoed, as this material falls off every time the ceiling is cleaned.

Kindly furnish a report as to the cost of having this room thoroughly cleaned and the walls murescoed and the window frames and ceiling painted. When this information is received, the Department will be in a position to determine whether the work can be authorized or not. If it is decided to authorize the work, it can be carried out during the coming summer holidays.

Your early attention will oblige.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

[Handwritten signature]
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

Manitowaning, Ont.

June 2nd, 1924. 19

154-5-27.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No.

ALSO

TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Sir—

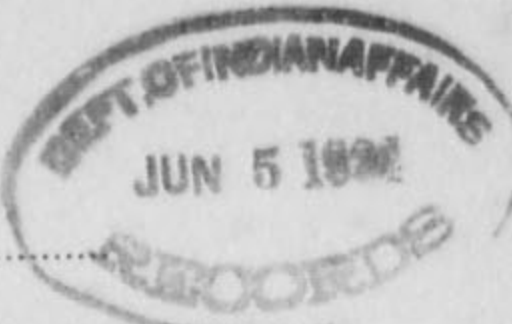
Referring to Official Letter No. 19-6-5 of the 20th, ultimo, in regard to the report of the Separate School Inspector on his recent inspection of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, stating that the interior of the Junior classroom needs renovating, I have the honour to report that the cost of having the classroom and the hall in the school building thoroughly done as advised by the Inspector the cost of the material and labour will be approximately \$120.00.

I might say for the information of the Department that the hall at the entrance of the building, which I have included in the estimate, requires renovating more than the Junior classroom.

Your obedient servant,

R. H. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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19-6-5.

Ottawa, June 6th, 1924.

Sir:

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 2nd instant, regarding the renovating required to the classroom and hall of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, and the cost of the material and labour in carrying out this work.

In reply I beg to say that the Department will approve of having the classroom and hall thoroughly cleaned and any muresecoing and painting required carried out. You should arrange for the purchase of the materials required, and the work should be done by day labour under the charge of a competent foreman. Proper time sheets, in duplicate, should be kept showing the time they were employed, and the wages paid. In the purchase of any material, competitive prices should if possible be obtained, and the purchase made from the firm quoting the lowest price. You should have the material purchased and the labour arranged for in order that the work can commence as early as possible during the coming summer holidays. The total cost of the material and labour should not exceed your estimate of approximately \$120, and the Department will leave this matter in your hands to see that the work is satisfactorily done at the lowest possible expense. Time sheets for the labour employed should be certified by you, and vouchers, properly certified, should be forwarded covering the cost of the material.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Wikwemikong Day School

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To Miss Susan A. Fox.....

DATE		AMOUNT
1924		
June 30	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 430214/5 dated January 14th, 1918. To prizes awarded to pupils in junior class-room	
June 9	To paid F. W. Woolworth Montreal. for:-	
	6 cordes .15 each	\$.90
	3 Work boxes .10 "	.30
	3 pails .15 "	.45
	1 drawing book .15 "	.15
	6 jewelry .15 "	.90
	3 garden tool sets .15 each	.45
	3 tennis rackets & Balls .15 each	.45
	3 bags Marbles .10 "	.30
	1 ball .10 "	.10
	Total:-	\$ 4.00

2625
Set 7/7/2

F. W. WOOLWORTH CO.,
MONTREAL, QUEBEC.

June 9, 1924.

Sold to Miss S. Fox,
Wikwemikong, Ont.

6 cordes	.15	.90
3 work boxes	.10	.30
3 pails	.15	.45
1 drawing book	.15	.15
6 jewelry	.15	.90
3 garden tool sets	.15	.45
3 tennis rackets & balls	.15	.45
3 bags marbles	.10	.30
1 ball	.10	.10

\$4.00

Received payment

F. W. Woolworth.

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Wikwemikong Day School

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Miss Susan A. Fox

DATE

AMOUNT

11th 1918.

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R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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5-27.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
June 30th, 1924.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher, in duplicate, in favour of Miss Susan A. Fox amounting to \$4.00 for payments made the F. W. Woolworth Company, Montreal, for articles purchased for prizes awarded to pupils in the Junior class-room at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School for the half year ending June 30th, 1924.

Authorized by Official Letter No. 430214-5 dated January the 14th, 1918.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..



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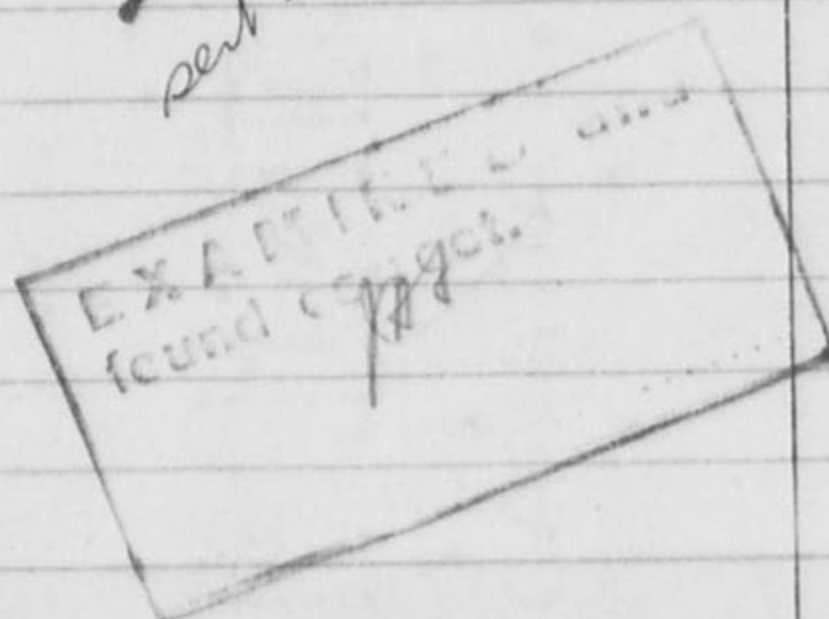
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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To R. J. Lewis.

DATE			AMOUNT
1924			
July	15	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
May	12	To paid John F. Baibomcowai for plowing and fertilizing School garden	5.00 ✓
"	14	" paid John King for 15 hours labour taking down storm windows, cleaning stove and stove pipe at 40¢ per hour	6.00 ✓
"	19	" paid Peter Tehkummah for cleaning, and scrubbing floors, closets at School	5.00 ✓
"	31	" paid Peter Tehkummah for cleaning and repairing drain, and cleaning school yard	3.00 ✓
July	15	" paid J.C.Irving for 12 pkgs seeds \$1.00 I box S.Polish .15	1.15 ✓
TOTAL;-			20.15 ✓



I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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154-5-27.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
July 15th, 1924.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith
a voucher in my favour amounting to \$20.15 for
payments made by me in connection with having
the garden put in shape for planting, taking
down storm windows, cleaning stoves and pipes,
cleaning and scrubbing closets, cleaning and
repairing drain and cleaning school yard, at
the Wikwemikong Day School, during June quarter
1924.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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Wikwemikong School

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Miss Zoe St. James.....

DATE		AMOUNT	
1924			
July	31	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
		To prizes awarded to Pupils in senior class-room	
June	9	To paid Granger Freres Ltd, Montreal, Quebec. for:-	
		2 Dozen Pins @ 35¢ per doz.	.70
		6 Frames @ 10¢ each	.60
			1.30
"	"	To paid F.W. Woolworth, Co., Ltd. Toronto. for:-	
		1 Corde	.15
		2 Wprk Boxes @ 10 ¢ each	.20
		2 Boxes Paints @ 15 ¢ each	.30
		2 Balls @ 15¢ each	.30
			.95
		Total;-	\$2.25

*Not Aug. 8/24
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R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 5 1924
RECORDS

ACCOUNTANTS
AUG 7 1924
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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
July 31st, 1924.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher, in duplicate, accompanied by receipts, in favour of Miss Joe St. James amounting to \$2.25, for payments made for prizes awarded to pupils in the senior class-room at the Wikwemikong Day School for the half year ending June 30th, 1924.

Authorized by Official Letter No. 430214-5 dated January 14th, 1918.

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Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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Ottawa, August 23rd, 1924.

Gentlemen:

In order to complete the seating equipment in the junior room of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School the Department requires the following: -

2	No. 4	Globe Automatic Steel Fronts,	Single,
2	No. 5	"	"
2	No. 6	"	"
2	No. 5	"	Rears,
2	No. 6	"	"

We are requesting Mr. Agent Lewis to furnish you at once with proper shipping directions, and as soon as you hear from him I would request you to ship the fronts and rears mentioned above. They should be supplied at your closest price, which should include transportation charges.

Your account, in duplicate, should be forwarded to Mr. Lewis, who, upon receipt of the above equipment, will certify the account and forward it to the Department for payment.

Yours very truly,

F. H. Paget,
Accountant & Purchasing Agent.

Globe Furniture Co. Ltd.,
Waterloo,
Ont.

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Ottawa, August 23rd, 1924.

Sir:

The Department is ordering 6 fronts and 4 rears from the Globe Furniture Co. Ltd., Waterloo, Ont., in order to complete the seating equipment in the junior room of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School. Please furnish the above mentioned firm at once with definite shipping instructions. This firm will also forward their account, in duplicate, to you, and upon receipt of the above you should certify the account and forward it to the Department in order that payment can be made.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary

[Handwritten initials: MP, AO, and a signature]
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 27 1924
MANUFACTURERS OF
Artistic Church Furniture

Pews, Pulpit Furniture, Altars,
Vestment Cases, Altar Rails,
Ecclesiastical Choir Furniture.

ALSO
SCHOOL FURNITURE,
OPERA & ASSEMBLY CHAIRS.

Waterloo, Ontario,
August 26, 1924.

Mr. F.H. Paget,
Accountant & Purchasing Agent,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir:-

We thank you for your letter of August 23rd.
covering order for Automatic Steel Fronts and Rears for
school at Little Current R.R., Wikwemikong Indian Day School
and just as soon as we receive shipping instructions from
Mr. Agent Lewis, we will forward at once.

Thanking you for the order, we are,

Yours very truly,

THE GLOBE FURNITURE CO. LIMITED.

R. E. Turner
Sales Dept.

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PLEASE ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS
TO THE COMPANY AND NOT TO INDIVIDUALS.

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Extract for 19-6-5



Extract from Inspector's Report on the WIKWEMIKONG
SCHOOL. September 18, 1924.

Junior Room

The blackboards are really too high for
primers. They should be lowered or more
small platforms made. There is nothing
better for primer children than the use
of blackboards. More might be supplied
here.

J. M. Bennett,
Insp.



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Ottawa, September 25, 1924.

Sir,-

The Separate School Inspector, in a report of his recent inspection of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, states that the blackboards in the Junior Room are too high for the young children. He recommends that they be either lowered or a small platform made, also, that more blackboard space be provided.

Please enquire into the inspector's complaint and, if you consider the blackboards should be lowered or a small platform built along the front of them, you should arrange to have the work done. No unnecessary expense, however, should be incurred but this matter should receive your prompt attention.

If more blackboard space is required, please give the dimensions-length and width- of the blackboards required.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary,

J.D. McLean
R.J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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Ottawa, September 25, 1924.

Sir,-

The Separate School Inspector, in a report of his recent inspection of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, states that the blackboards in the Junior Room are too high for the young children. He recommends that they be either lowered or a small platform made, also, that more blackboard space be provided.

Please enquire into the inspector's complaint and, if you consider the blackboards should be lowered or a small platform built along the front of them, you should arrange to have the work done. No unnecessary expense, however, should be incurred but this matter should receive your prompt attention.

If more blackboard space is required, please give the dimensions-length and width- of the blackboards required.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary,

J.D. McLean
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R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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Wikwemikong School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To.....R. J. Lewis.

DATE			AMOUNT
1924		Wikwemikong School and Residence.	
September 25		Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
"	6	To paid J.B. Enosse for 22 hours labour cleaning and repairing Well at the School at 20 cents per hour	4.00
"		" paid Jos. Kinoshaneg for 20 hours labour cutting weed and cleaning School yard at 20 cents per hour ...	4.00
"	25	" paid Alphonse Deshouleus for 15 hours labour splitting firewood at the school and teacher's residence at 20 cents per hour	3.00
TOTAL:-			\$11.00

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EXAMINED and
found correct.
[Signature]

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent.

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I54-5-28.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
September 25th, 1924.



Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in favour of myself amounting to \$11.40 for payments made in connection with the cleaning and repairing of the well, cutting grass and weeds and cleaning school yard and splitting firewood, at the Wikwemikong Indian School.

With regard to the condition of the well, I have to report that the water was in such a condition, on account of not any being used out of the well during the summer holidays, that I would not allow any to be used by the pupils, or the teachers, until it was pumped dry and thoroughly cleaned. The grass and weeds grew so high around the building they had to be cut and cleaned away. A supply of firewood had to be split for the teacher's residence as all the split wood was consumed.

Your obedient servant,

R. Hewes
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Wikwemikong School.

No. of Account *15*

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To The Globe Furniture Co. Limited,
Waterloo, Ontario,

DATE	AMOUNT
Authorized by Dept. letter No. <u>19-6-5</u> dated <u>August 23rd, 1924.</u>	

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Your Order No. **19-6-5 Wikwemikong Indian Day School**
WATERLOO, ONT.,

Sept. 10/24

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To	2	#4	Globe Steel Auto. Single Fronts	6.55	13.10
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	2	"	" " " " "	6.55	13.10
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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent.

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154-5-28.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
September 25th, 1924.

[Handwritten signature]

Sir:-

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I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in favour of the Globe Furniture Co. Limited, of Waterloo, Ont., amounting to \$65.50 for 6 front and 4 rear desks furnished to the Wikwemikong School.

The above arrived in good order at Manitowaning and were forwarded to Wikwemikong yesterday.

Your obedient servant,

[Handwritten signature: R. Lewis]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency
Wikwemikong School

No. of Account.....15

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Miss Susan A. Fox, Wikwemikong.

DATE	AMOUNT
1924	
October 8	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 430214-5 dated January 14th, 1918. To prizes awarded to pupils in junior class-room To paid F.W. Woolworth Co. Ltd, Sault Ste Marie, Ont, for:-
	6 Toilet cases @ .15 .10 .30 \$.45
	1 Comb .15 1 Barette 2 Bracelets .55
	1 Beads .15 3 Pins .45 3 Soap .15 .75
	9 Toys @ .15 each 1.35 2 Birds .30 1 .65
	1 Horse .15 3 Toys .45 .60
	Total;- \$ 4.00

Form No. 110-50 Page 9-11-26-U.T.Co.

TRANSFER BILL

ORDER No.

F. W. WOOLWORTH CO. LIMITED

5, 10 AND 15 CENT STORES

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353 St. John, N.B.
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373 Stratford, Ont.
384 St. Thomas, Ont.
412 Owen Sound, Ont.
421 Sherbrooke, Que.

432 Galt, Ont.
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462 Fort William, Ont.
507 Amherst, N.S.
513 Moncton, N.B.
520 Brockville, Ont.
552 St. Hyacinthe, Que.
579 St. John, Que.
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600 Montreal, Que.
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622 Collingwood, Ont.
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630 Ashawa, Ont.
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1683 Dundas St.
651 Winnipeg, Man.
282 Portage Ave.
662 Toronto, Ont.
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686 Calgary, Alta.

690 Belleville, Ont.
691 Three Rivers, Que.
702 Orillia, Ont.
703 Barrie, Ont.
709 Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.
710 Regina, Sask.
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710 Montreal, Que.
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St. W., St. Henri.
750 Edmonton, Alta.
753 Montreal, Que.
1488 St. Lawrence Blvd.
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757 Ottawa, Ont.
55-57 Rideau St.
761 Picton, Ont.
762 Brandon, Man.
763 Moose Jaw, Sask.
800 Toronto, Ont.
888 Bloor St. W.

801 Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.
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809 Joseph, Ont.
810 Lindsay, Ont.
811 Fredericton, N.B.
812 New Westminster, B.C.
813 Lachine, Que.
815 New Glasgow, N.S.
820 Cobalt, Ont.
827 Sudbury, Ont.
851 Prince Albert, Sask.
854 Valleyfield, Que.
856 Niagara Falls, Ont.
888 Windsor, Ont.
889 Port Arthur, Ont.
914 Barrie, Ont.
915 Kenora, Ont.
916 Lethbridge, Alta.
924 Sorel, Que.
925 Shawinigan Falls, Que.
926 Medicine Hat, Alta.
927 North Bay, Ont.
939 Charlottetown, P.E.I.
954 Welland, Ont.
962 Hull, Que.
975 North Battleford.
976 Halifax, N.S.
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994 Pembroke, Ont.

(801) Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., 191

Sold to Susan A. Fox
Address 310 Albert St East

Ship via
NOTICE.—Examine all goods before signing receipt. No allowance made for Breakage or Shortage after Receipt is signed.

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CLERK'S No.	QUAN- TITY	DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES	PRICE	TOTAL
	3	Toilet Case	.15	45
	1	Comb	.15	15
	1	Barette	.10	10
	2	Bracelet	.15	30
	1	Beads	.15	15
	3	Pins	.15	45
	3	Soap	.05	15
	1	Toys	.15	1.35
	2	Birds	.15	.30
	1	Horse	.15	.15
	3	Toys	.15	45
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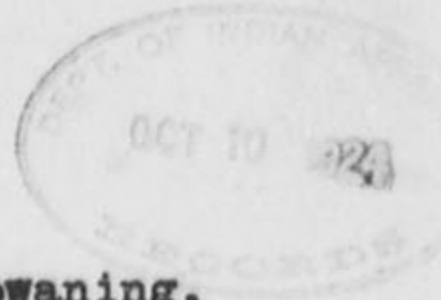
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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
October 8th, 1924.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher, in duplicate, in favour of Miss Susan A. Fex of Wikwemikong, amounting to \$4.00, for payments made The F. W. Woolworth Co. Ltd, Sault Ste Marie, Ontario, for articles purchased for prizes awarded to pupils in the junior class-room at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School for September quarter 1924.

Authorized by Official Letter No. 430214-5 dated January the 14th, 1918.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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Manitowaning Agency
Wikwemikong Day School

No. of Account.....15

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Miss Sadie J. Burke, Wikwemikong.....

DATE	AMOUNT
1924	
October 8	
Authorized by Dept. letter No. 430214/5 Dated January 14th, 1918.	
To prizes to pupils in senior class-room	
To paid The F. W. Woolworth Co. Ltd, Sault Ste Marie, Ont. for:-	
5 Necklets .75	3 Brooches .45
3 Balloons .15	2 Balls .30
1 Bracelet .15	1 Soap .10
3 Toilet Cases .45	1 Set dishes .15
5 Hdks .25	
Total:-	\$ 2.75

Form No. 110-50 Pads 9-11-28 U.T.Co.

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Sold to Miss S. J. Burke
Address 310 Albert St. East

Ship via

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CLERK'S NO.	QUAN- TITY	DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES	PRICE	TOTAL
3		necklets	75	75
3		brooches	45	45
3		balloons	15	15
2		balls	30	30
1		bracelet	15	15
1		soap	10	10
3		toilet Cases	45	45
1		set dishes	15	15
3		hdks	25	25
			2.75	

work performed
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Agent.

Paid R. J.

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I54-5-38.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
October 18th, 1924.

Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 19-6-5 of the 25th ultimo, regarding the Separate School Inspector's report of his recent inspection of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, stating that the blackboards in the Junior Room are too high for the young children, and that more blackboard space is required, I have the honour to report that the blackboards are rather high for the small children and a small platform in front of them is under construction. I might say that these blackboards were always too high for the small children, but movable steps in front of them were in use until this year. The teacher in charge of the classroom at the present time does not approve of the steps and it is her request to either lower the blackboards or build a small platform in front of them.

On account of the blackboards being used to a great extent in teaching the small children more space is required, the dimensions required hyloplate board 4 feet by 6 feet, and to extend the one in the room at the present time which is slate, 3½ feet by 7 feet.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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Extract
on
19-6-4



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Ottawa

October 18, 1924

Sold to
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Room # 503 Booth Bldg.

Terms Cash. Interest at 8 per cent. per annum charged on all overdue accounts.

Order # 19-6-4

To	2 Footballs @ 4.75	9.50	✓
	12 pr. Indian Clubs $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. @ .85	10.20	✓
	12 " Dumb Bells $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. @ .85	10.20	✓
		\$29.90	✓
For Wikwemikong, Indian Day School			
Certified correct supplies furnished charges fair and just			
J. H. Sutherland 23/10/24			

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ACCOUNTANTS
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Wickwemuncing Day

EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF MR. R. J. LEWIS,
INDIAN AGENT, FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER, 1924.

Original on No. 7 - School File.

The desks in the back part of the junior classroom are close to the stove and at times some of the pupils complain of the heat from the large stove which heats the room. I consider it would be well to have a casing around the stove in order to make the pupils who have to sit close to the stove more comfortable.



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19-6-5.

Ottawa, October 30, 1924.

Sir:

Referring to that portion of your report for the current month on the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, in which you recommend that a casing be placed around the stove in order to make the pupils who have to sit close thereto more comfortable, I beg to say it is considered that if this casing were put up it would prevent the heat from radiating throughout the classroom. If, however, you are of the opinion that this casing would not interfere with the spreading of the heat from the stove and that it will protect the pupils sitting near, you may arrange to have a casing of the height and type which you consider will meet the requirements placed around the stove. If this casing is erected, no unnecessary expense should be incurred. Vouchers should be forwarded in the usual manner for any expenditure incurred.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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Manitowaning Agency
Wikwemikong Day School

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To Susan A. Rex, Wikwemikong, Ont.....

DATE	AMOUNT
1924	
November 3	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-6-4 dated August 22nd, 1924.
October	To paid The Patterson Bros. Limited, Sault Ste Marie, Ont.. for;- 1/2 Dozen Silver Knives and Forks for use in the Teacher's Residence at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School \$ 9.00

5474
sent 8/11/24.

EXAMINED and
found correct.
[Signature]

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
November 3rd, 1924.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher, in duplicate, in favour of Miss Susan A. Fex, amounting to \$9.00, accompanied by a receipt for same, for payment made the Patterson Bros., Limited, Sault Ste Marie, Ont., for one-half dozen knives and forks purchased for use in the teacher's quarters at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

Authorized by Official Letter No. 19-6-4 dated August 22nd, 1924.

ACCOUNTANTS
NOV 4 1924

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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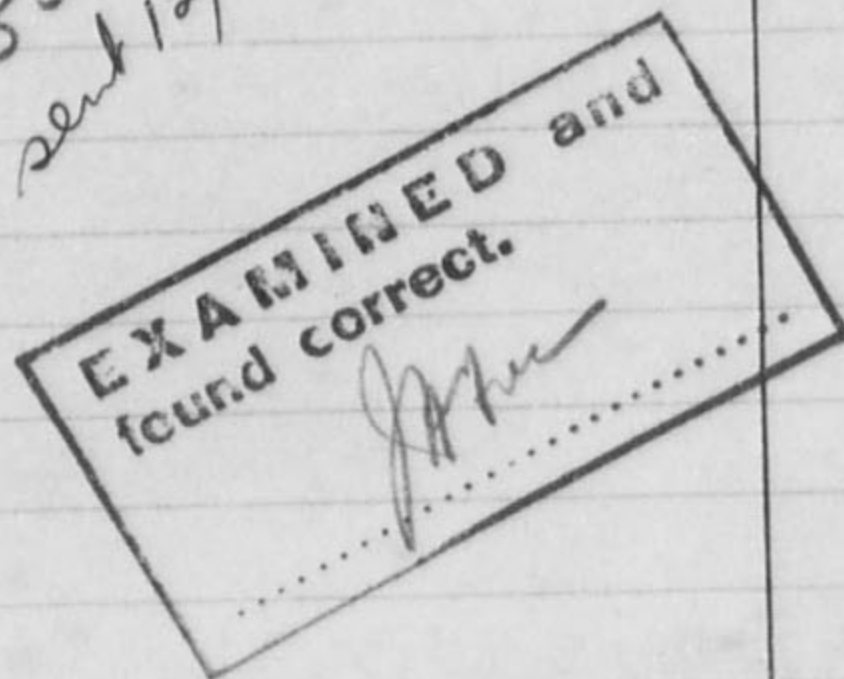
INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To R. J. Lewis.

DATE		AMOUNT	
1924		Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-6-4 dated October 14th 1924.	
November	6		
"	5	To paid H.W. McLaughlin for,-	
		6 brooms @ \$1.00	6.00/
		3 scrub brushes .30	.90/
		12 bars comfort soap	1.00/
		12 " lifebuoy "	1.00/
		3 boxes stove polish .15	.45/ 9.35/
"	6	" " C.W. Hinds for,-	
		5 gals floor oil 1.75	8.75/
		1 oil can	1.00/
		1 granite water pail	1.25/ 11.00/
		TOTAL:-	\$20.35 ✓

5575
sent 12/11/24.



I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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154-5-28.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
November 6th, 1924.

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Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 19-6-4 of October the 14th, last, I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in my favour amounting to \$20.35 for payments made in connection with brooms, scrubbing brushes, soap, stove polish, floor oil and water pail being furnished to the Wikwemikong School.

The window shades of the size required cannot be procured in this district.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Jones
Indian Agent.

9/15/24
JH
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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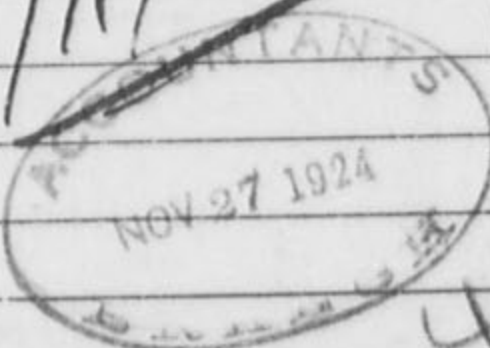
Nov. 25, 1924

Sold to Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Booth Bldg.

Order # 19-6-4

Terms Cash. Interest at 8 per cent. per annum charged on all overdue accounts.

Terms Cash. Interest at 8 per cent. per annum charged on all overdue accounts.	
To 1 Football	4.75
For Wikweniong Ind. Day School	
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<i>Account correct, supplies furnished, charges fair and just.</i> <i>J. H. Sutherland</i> <i>27/11/24</i>   <i>4709</i> <i>15-2</i> <i>24</i> <i>29-11-24</i>	

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Wikwemikong School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To S. J. Lewis

DATE	AMOUNT
1924	
November 27	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-6-5 dated September 25th, 1934.
	<u>Erecting platforms in front of Blackboards.</u>
" 8	To paid J.B. Jacko for, viz,-
	100 feet Maple Flooring @ \$85.00 per M. 8.50
	30 " Pine Lumber 50.00 " " 1.50
	8 lbs nails .08 2 lb .64
" 22	" " John King for 2 days labour
	erecting platforms at \$4.00 per day 8.00
	TOTAL:- \$18.64

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Sent. 9/12/24

Indec. 9/24

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

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found correct.
J.W. Shore

R.J. Lewis
Agent.

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19-6-5

I54-5-28.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
November 27th, 1924.



Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. I9-6-5 of September the 25th, last, I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in my favour amounting to \$18.64 for payments made in connection with erecting platforms in front of the blackboards in the Junior class-room at the Wikwemikong School.

There is now sixty feet of blackboard space in this class-room with a platform 18 inches wide in front of them.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

Paul J. W. S.
The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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Hamlet School.
Wikwemikong School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To R. J. Lewis.....

DATE		AMOUNT	
1924			
November	27	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 12-6-5 dated June 6th, 1924.	
August	26	To paid C.W.Hinds for, viz,-	
		1 qt. Turpentine	.75
		4 qts. White Paint	5.75
		7 pkgs Muresco .65	4.55
		1 Muresco Brush	1.40
		1 Paint Brush	.75
		12 1/2 lbs Plaster Paris .10	1.25
"	29	4 qts Paint 1.50	6.00
		5 pkgs Muresco .65	3.25
		1 Paint Brush	.60
		1 Pkg Tacks	.10
		2 yds Wire Screen .40	.80
		1 qt. Japan Dryer	.80
		1 qt. Paint	1.50
		2 Pts Paint	1.70
"	1	1 qt. Paint	1.50
		1 gal. Paint	2.85
Sept	2	" "	33.55
		J.B.Jacko for, viz,-	
		1 gal. Linseed Oil	1.00
		6 bars Soap	.85
			1.50
Nov.	27	" "	
		J.C.Irving & Co. for, viz,-	
		1 gal paint for trimming	3.50
		1 yd Table Oil Cloth	.35
		1 Bot. Liquid Veneer	.30
		1 qt. Paint	1.50
		1 " Varnish	1.70
			7.35
"	27	" "	
		H.W.McLaughlin for, viz,-	
		5 pkgs Muresco .65	3.25
			3.25
"	27	" "	
		John II 1/2 days labour painting and putting on Muresco at the rate of \$4.00 per day	45.00
		TOTAL:-	\$90.35
		EX- found correct.	
		6139	
		Rec. 4/24	

EX-
found correct

TOTAL:-

\$90.35

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent.

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19-6-5

54-5-28.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
November 27th, 1924.



Sir:-

Authorized by Official Letter No. 19-6-5 of June the 6th, last, I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in favour of myself amounting to \$90.65, accompanied by receipts, for payments made in connection with painting, woodwork, tinting wall and general repairs to the Junior Class-room in the Wikwemikong school building.

R

With regard to asking for tender for the material required for this work, I have to report that the dealers in this village did have a sufficient supply of the different kinds of material required for the work, therefore, I had to purchase the material where ever I could procure it, but it was purchased at a reasonable price and the work was completed at a very reasonable cost, almost \$30.00 below the estimate.

I might say that since the painting and tinting to the woodwork and walls in this classroom has been completed the room is now equal to any classroom of any school in the district.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Vote No.

Treaty No.

Department of Indian Affairs

To Rev. T. A. Desautels, S. J.

Wikwemikong.

Ont.

DATE

SERVICE.

AMOUNT.

duplicate

Wikwemikong, Dec 3 1924

Off the Indian Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa, Ont

IN ACCOUNT WITH

Wikwemikong Mission

Rev. T. A. Desautels, S. J.

*Dec 2¹⁸ English-Objibwe
Catechisms*

.10 \$1.80

*6438
Sub 17/2/21*

Wikwemikong Day Sch

NOTE - This is the only place where English-Objibwe Catechisms could be secured and the teacher was authorized to purchase the above number

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

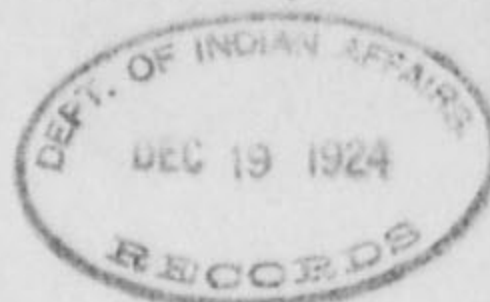
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Sahyul
EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF R. J. LEWIS, ESQ., INDIAN
AGENT ON THE WIKWEMIKONG DAY SCHOOL, FOR THE MONTH OF
DECEMBER, 1924.

R

Twelve sleds should be furnished
for the pupils to amuse themselves during recess, as
they require the outdoor air, and coasting down the
grade in the school yard is their only amusement during
the winter months.



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19-6-5.

Ottawa, December 20th, 1924.

Sir:

Referring to your report on the Wikwemikong Indian Day School for the current month in which you recommend that 12 sleds be furnished for the use of the pupils, I beg to say it is considered that the Indian parents could very well make suitable sleds for the use of their children. The Department is not prepared to authorize any expenditure in the purchase of these sleds.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

[Handwritten signature]
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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No. of Account.....15.....

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Messrs J. C. Irving & Co., Manitowaning.

DATE	AMOUNT
1924 December 18	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-6-4 dated November 8th, 1924.

MANITOWANING, ONT., December 9th 1924.
MANITOULIN ISLAND

M Dept of Indian Affairs, Ottawa, Ont..

BOUGHT
OF

J. C. IRVING & CO.

DEALERS IN

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Gents' Furnishings
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE, ETC., ETC.

ACCOUNTS DUE WHEN RENDERED
8% INTEREST CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

Wikwemikong Indian Day School

8% INTEREST CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS			
Nov.	1924	To 1 Dozen 1st Books	.72

EXAMINED and
found correct.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent.

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Manitowaning Agency,
Wikwemikong Day School.

OK.
Emergency purchase,
Russell J. Finner

6815
26/12/24

EXAMINED
found correct.
[Signature]

.72

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

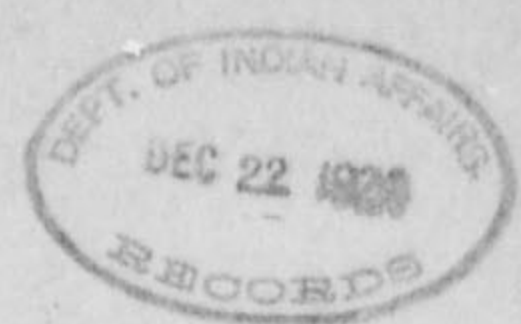
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No. 154-5-28,

Office of the.....Manitowaning.....Indian Agency,

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R

December 15th, 1924.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....,

amounting to \$.....72 cents.....in favour
of Messrs J. C. Irving & Co., Manitowaning, Ont..
for One Dozen Ontario First Readers.....

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 19-6-4 dated November 8th, 1924.

apc/s
gpa

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Wikwemikong Day School.

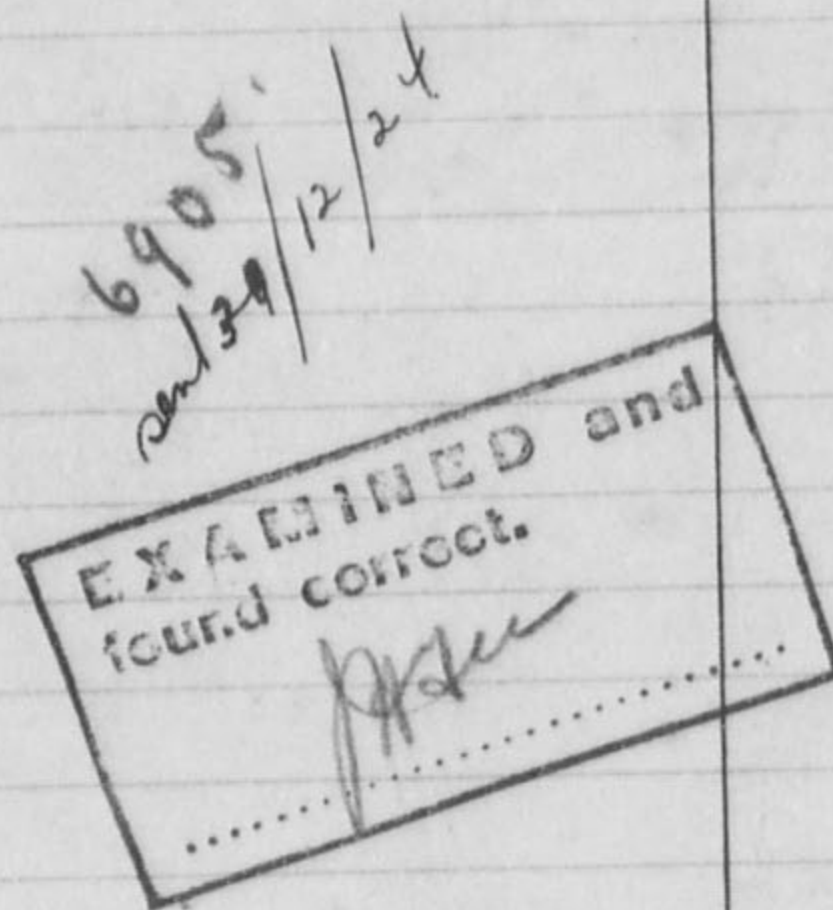
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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To R. J. Lewis.....

DATE		AMOUNT	
1924			
December	24	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 12-6-5 dated August 23rd, 1924. Rear Desks for Wikwemikong School.	
September	17	To paid J.T. Burns for Dockage and Cartage	.50/
"	24	" " J.B. Jacks for cartage from Manitowaning to Wikwemikong school	.75/
October	6	" " John King for assembling	2.00/
		TOTAL:-	\$3.25/



I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

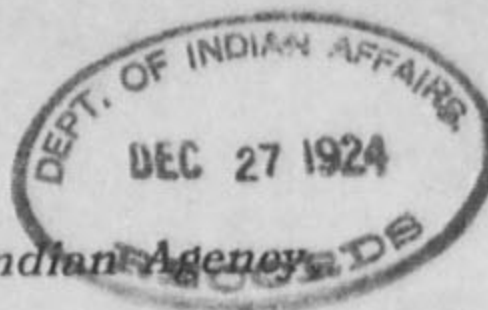
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ter No. 154-5-28.

Office of the Manitowaning Indian Agency



December 23rd, 1924, 192...

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....,

amounting to \$ 3.25in favour

of R.J. Lewis.....

for payments of dockage, cartage and assembling
rear desks for Wikwemikong School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 19-6-5dated August 23rd, 1924.....

Your obedient servant,

Pay
[Signature]

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Manitowaning Agency
Wikwemikong School

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Miss Sadie J. Burke, Wikwemikong.

DATE	AMOUNT
1925	
January 20	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 430214/5 dated January 14th, 1918. Prizes to pupils in senior class-room
1924	
December 16	To paid H. W. McLaughlin, Manitowaning, for:- 13 1/2 Yards of Ribbon @ 30¢ per yard \$ 4.05

H. W. McLAUGHLIN
Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Clothing
BEST GOODS LOWEST PRICES
Manitowaning, Ont. Dec 16/1924
Sold to S. J. Burke
Sold by _____ Got by _____
To 13 1/2 yds ribbon @ 30¢ 4.05
5

7628
sent 28/1/25

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent.

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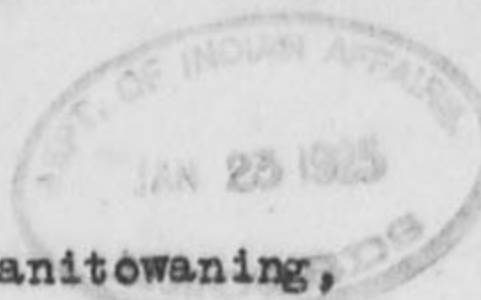
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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
January 20th, 1925.



Sir,-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher, in duplicate, in favour of Miss Sadie J. Burke of Wikwemikong, amounting to \$4.05, for payment made Mr. H. W. McLaughlin, General Merchant of Manitowaning, for several yards of Ribbon purchased for prizes awarded to pupils in the senior classroom at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School for December quarter 1924.

Authorized by Official Letter No. 430214-5 dated January the 14th, 1918.

Pay
[Signature]

Your obedient servant,

[Signature: R. J. Lewis]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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Wikwemikong School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To R. J. Lewis.

DATE		AMOUNT
1925		
February	II	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....
		<u>Repairs to Roof of School Building.</u>
1924		
September	24	To paid C.W.Hinds for, viz:-
		2 cans of cement @ 1.50 3.00
		25 # powered cement .25
October	18	" " John King for 5 hours labour
		repairing roof and chimneys at
		40 cents per hour 2.00
		<u>\$5.25</u>

8010
Amt 17/2/25
EXAMINED and
found correct.
J.H.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

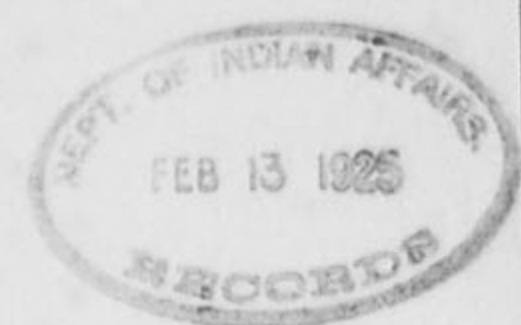
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Agent.

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I54-5-29.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
February 11th, 1925.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in favour of myself amounting to \$5.25 for payments in connection with having repairs made to the roof of the Wikwemikong School building.

The roof of this building is in a very bad state of repair, and it was thought that by having some small repairs made last fall it would be in a serviceable condition during the winter or such a time as a new roof would be put on, but I find that the roof is still in very bad condition and the building will have to be re-roofed with iron shingles, or the old roof will have to be raised higher in order to give it more elevation, and then wooden shingles will do. During the fall of 1916 this building was re-shingled with material cut from good sound cedar timber, but the roof is so flat that the shingles soon became in a state of deterioration.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. [Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Wikwemikong School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To R. J. Lewis.

DATE		AMOUNT
1925	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
February II		
1924		
November 8	To paid J.B.Jacko for, viz:-	
	1 stove pipe .25	
	10 window glass @ 10¢ 1.00	
	4 lbs putty 15¢ .60	
	2 " nails 10¢ .20	2.05
December 15	" " John King for 20 hours labour repairing putting and putting on steam windows, cleaning stoves, pipe and chimneys in the class-rooms at Wikwemikong school at 40 cents per hour	8.00
February 10/25	" " C.W.Hinds for 1 stove pipe damper for senior class room	.25
		\$10.30

8010-15.55
Shut 17/2/25

EXAMINED and
found correct.
R. J. Lewis

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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19-6-5



I54-4-29.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
February 11th, 1925.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in favour of myself amounting to \$10.30 for payments made in connection with having the storm windows at the Wikwemikong School repaired and put on the building, cleaning four stoves, pipes and chimneys.

The storm windows in use at this school are old and in bad condition and have to be repaired every fall before they are put on the building.

Your obedient servant,

R. H. Jones
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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19-6-5



154-5-29.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
March 12th, 1925.

Sir:-

I have the honpur to report that I visited the Wikwemikong School on the afternoon of the 11th, instant, and the matter was taken up with the teachers of starting a needle work class among the girls pupils. The teachers are willing to teach this work if the Department will furnish the material, and in order to have this work taught I would most respectfully recommend that the under-mentioned articles be furnished, viz:-

- 1 1/2 dozen bone crochet hooks,
- 12 pairs wooden knitting needles,
- 2 cases sewing needles
- 1 package darning needles,
- 2 spools white thread,
- 20 pounds sweater yarn, different colors,
- 4 yards white linen,

The teachers purpose to have the articles made from this material placed on exhibit at the childrens school fair next fall.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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154-5-29.

19-6-5.

Ottawa, March 16th, 1925.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 12th instant, requesting that a quantity of material be supplied in order that the teachers of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School can instruct the girl pupils in sewing and knitting.

In reply I beg to say that we are pleased to note the teachers are willing to teach this work, and you may therefore arrange for the purchase and delivery of the following material, viz: -

- 12 Doz. bone crochet hooks,
- 12 Pcs. wooden knitting needles,
- 2 Cases sewing needles,
- 1 Package darning needles,
- 2 Spools white thread,
- 20 Lbs. sweater yarn, different colors,
- 4 Yds. white linen.

We note that the articles that will be made from this material will be placed on exhibition at the school fair next fall. You should furnish properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, covering the expenditure incurred in the purchase of the above material.

You may also purchase and have delivered 3 dozen slates, and you should forward properly certified vouchers covering the cost.

[Signature]
B. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
Ont.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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Wiwemikong School.

No. of Account.....15

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To R. J. Lewis.

DATE	AMOUNT
1925	
March 12	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 10-6-4 dated March 6th, 1925.

STATEMENT

MANITOWANING, March 10 1925
CANADA

R. J. Lewis

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IN ACCOUNT WITH C. W. HINDS

HARDWARE, STOVES, TINWARE, PAINTS, OILS, GLASS
SASH, DOORS, FURNITURE, HARNESS

BUGGIES, CUTTERS, MASSEY-HARRIS FARM IMPLEMENTS
EDISON AMBEROLAS AND RECORDS

10 PER CENT. INTEREST ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

3.40

7.50

2019T Stair *1.80
" 1 Wash Sink 40
" Liquid Vaseline 50
" Japan Super 70

" 2 cans Iron Channel

* 3.40

70

* 4.10

Paid

C. W. Hinds

work performed
that each item

Agent.

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March 10 5
Robt Lewis

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.50
.20
.60
1.50

3.40

\$7.50

20 Lye Bullets 3x20 60
Columbs 2x25 50
2yd Colored Cloth 25
Matches 4x15 60
2yd Table Oil Cloth 150

\$3.40

Paid
W.B.

21

and

8736
201 20/3/25

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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March

1 can Japan dryer
2 cans iron Enamel

.70
.70

4.10

IO " " H.W. McLaughlin for,-

3 cans Gillett's lye .20
2 combs .25
2 yards cheese cloth .10
4 boxes matches .15
2 yards table oilcloth .75

.60
.50
.20
.60
1.50

3.40

\$7.50

EXAMINED and
found correct.

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20120/25

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. [Signature]
Agent.

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Letter No. 154-5-29.

Office of the.....Manitowaning.....Indian Agency,

March 12th, 1925. 192....

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....,

amounting to \$.....7.50.....in favour

of.....R. J. Lewis.....

for payments made for supplies for use of the
Wikwemikong school.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 19-6-4.....dated.....March 6th, 1925.....

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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To Messrs J. C. Irving & Co., Manitowaning.

MANITOWANING, ONT., March 31st 191 25.
MANITOULIN ISLAND

Wikwemikong School

BOUGHT
_____ OF

J. C. IRVING & CO.

DEALERS IN

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Gents' Furnishings
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE, ETC., ETC.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

It has been suggested that the items were
 purchased in incurred legitimately and that each item
 was made in Canada.

R. J. Lewis
 for - Agent.

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File No. 194-5-29

R

Office of the... Manitowaning... Indian Agency,

March 31st 1925.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....

amounting to \$ 9.80.....in favour

of Messrs J. C. Irving & Co., Manitowaning, Ont...

for Slates furnished for use at the Wikwemikong
Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 19-6-5.....dated March 16th, 1925.....

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis

Indian Agent.



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Wikwemikong School.

No. of Account.....15

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To C. W. Hinds.....

DATE		AMOUNT	
1925	19-6-8	March 17th, 1925.	
April 21	Authorized by Dept. letter No..... dated.....		
" 3	To 1 Coleman Gasoline Lamp complete	\$11.00	
	1 Half Gal. Can	1.35	
	2 Gals. Gasoline	.30	

STATEMENT

MANITOWANING, April 21 1925-
CANADA

R. J. Lewis

IN ACCOUNT
WITH

C. W. HINDS

HARDWARE, STOVES, TINWARE, PAINTS, OILS, GLASS
SASH, DOORS, FURNITURE, HARNESS

BUGGIES, CUTTERS, MASSEY-HARRIS FARM IMPLEMENTS
EDISON AMBEROLAS AND RECORDS

10 PER CENT. INTEREST ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

1925-	April 3	2. 1 Gasoline Lamp	11.00
		1-2 gal. Can	1.35
		2 Gals. Gasoline	80
			<u>13.15</u>

856
sent 25/4/25.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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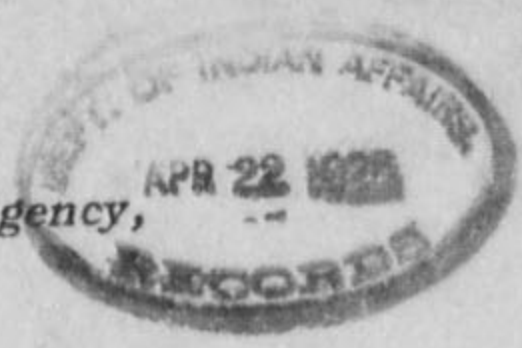
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19-6-5

Letter No. 154-5-29.

Office of the Manitowaning Indian Agency,



April 21st, 1925.

Handwritten signature

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.

amounting to \$ 13.15 in favour

of C. W. Hinds

for Coleman Gasoline Lamp, Can and Gasoline
to Wikwemikong School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 19-6-5 dated March 16th, 1925.

Your obedient servant,

Pay for

Handwritten signature
Indian Agent.



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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EXTRACT FOR 19-6-5



R2

Extract from Inspector's Report on the WIKWEMIKONG
Indian Day School, May 12, 1925.

Schiff

Six window blinds needed.

no

16 Single desks would be quite welcome if the
Department would supply them. The majority
of the children are in single desks but this
is not sufficient for all. The old and new
desks make an unattractive room. However,
it is not absolutely necessary.

J..M. Bennett,

Inspector.



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Manitowaning Agency.
Wikwemikong School.

No. of Account.....15

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To.....R. J. Lewis.

DATE		AMOUNT
1925		
May 18	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-6-5 dated March 16th, 1925.	
April 23	To paid J.C. Irving & Co for,- 4 sets Knitting Needles @ .25	1.00 /
May 11	" " H.W. McLaughlin for,- 18 balls Crochet Cotton @ .10 3 packages Needles .10 2 spools Thread .10 2 yds linen 1.10 12 Thimbles .05 6 Crochet Hooks .05	1.80 .30 .20 2.30 .60 .30 5.40 /
" 15	" " T. Eaton Co. Toronto, for,- 5 lbs Yarn, 2 oz. ball, @ .19 2 " Heather Brown 3 " Alice Blue 2 " White	7.60 3.04 4.56 3.04 18.24 /
" 18	" " J.C. Irving & Co, for,- 2 1/2 yards Lawn .40	1.00 /
	TOTAL:-	\$25.34

1555
sent 26/5/25
EXAMINED and
found correct.
H. J. Lewis

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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May 18
R. J. Lewis
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MANITOWANING, ONT. April 28th/35
MANITOULIN ISLAND

M Dept. Indian Affairs

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OF

J. C. IRVING & CO.

DEALERS IN

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps,
Gents' Furnishings

CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE, ETC., ETC.

To 4 Sets Nitting Needles .25--1.00

RECEIVED PAYMENT

With Thanks

MAY 11 1925

J. C. Irving & Co.

W. C. D.

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MANITOWANING, ONT. *April 3rd 1925*

M *R. J. Lewis* *Manitowaning*

IN ACCOUNT WITH **H. W. MCLAUGHLIN**
GENERAL MERCHANT

<i>Apr 10</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>crochet hooks</i>	<i>10</i>		<i>180</i>	
<i>"</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>pkg needles</i>	<i>10</i>		<i>30</i>	
<i>"</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>spools thread</i>	<i>10</i>		<i>20</i>	
<i>"</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>Yds linen</i>	<i>110</i>		<i>220</i>	
<i>"</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>knives</i>	<i>12 +</i>	<i>05</i>	<i>60</i>	
<i>"</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>crochet hooks</i>	<i>5</i>		<i>30</i>	
					<i>540</i>	<i>540</i>
<i>May 11</i>	<i>By Cash to Balance account</i>			<i>540</i>		

Paid & thanks -
H. W. McLaughlin

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19-6-5

Letter No. 154-5-29.

Office of the Manitowaning Indian Agency,

May 18th, 1925.



Sir

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....

amounting to \$ 25.64 in favour

of R. J. Lewis

for payments made for material for sewing class
at Wikwemikong School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 19-6-5 dated March 16th, 1925.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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19-6-5.

*Adm
See Asst. under*

Ottawa, May 22, 1925.

Sir:

The Separate School Inspector, in a report on his recent inspection of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, states that six window blinds are required. If you consider that these are necessary, you may arrange for the purchase and installation of blinds of the correct size. Please forward properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, covering the expenditure incurred.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean
J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Maniowaning, Ont.

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19-6-5

Ottawa, June 4, 1925.

Sir,-

The Department is informed that minor repairs are required to the roof of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School - especially that portion of the roof above the junior classroom.

On the occasion of your next visit to the school I would request you to examine the roof and furnish the Department with an estimate of the cost of repairing it.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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Manitowaning Agency.
Wikwemikong School.

No. of Account.....

*Adh
note*

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J. J. Morrow, Mail Carrier,
Manitowaning, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT	
1925			
June	12	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
		Express charges on articles for Wikwemikong School.	
Oct	25	To Express on Box of Stationery from Little Current to Manitowaning	.50
"	29	" Express charge on Parcel of Stationery from Little Current to Manitowaning ...	.25
Dec.	31	" Express paid and charges on transportation of Parcel, of Christmas gifts for pupils, Little Current to Manitowaning	2.30
January	1/25	Express charge on Parcel of Stationery from Little Current to Manitowaning ...	.25
TOTAL:-			\$3.30

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

EXAMINED and
found correct

J. W. Shore

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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154-5-39.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
June 12th, 1925.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose a voucher in favour of J.J.Morrow amounting to \$3.30 for express charges paid, and charges for transportation of parcels from Little Current to Manitowaning, containing stationery for the use of the Wikwemikong School.

With regard to the item for \$2.30, I have to report that Miss Burke, the teacher at Wikwemikong, sent to Montreal for Christmas presents for the pupils, and on this parcel the charges amounted to \$2.30.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Wiwemikong School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To R. J. Lewis.

DATE			AMOUNT
1925			
June 17		Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
April 9		To paid John King for 12 1/2 hours labour Cleaning stove pipes and chimneys, taking down storm windows and putting away in store-room, at 40¢ per hour	5.00
" 9	"	" " C.W.Hinds for 2 gate fasteners .35	.70
" 9	"	" " J.B.Cacko for 5 # nails .10	.50
		31 Ft lumber	1.86
		1 1/2 dz. Screws.10	.15
		12 Soap	1.00
		3 scrub brushes	.90
			4.41
" 11	"	" " Narciss Desmoulens for 1 day labour repairing door, gate and fence around school yard	2.50
May 16	"	" " Peter Tehkummah for cleaning and scrubbing school closets	5.00
" 16	"	" " Ignace Desmoulens for 3/4 day splitting firewood	1.50
" 17	"	" " Ignace Desmoulens for 1 day labour with team plowing, harrowing and fertilizing School garden	5.00
" 28	"	" " Narciss Desmoulens for 1/2 day labour repairing school floor and porch	1.25
		TOTAL:-	\$25.36

2268
sent 22/6/25
**EXAMINED and
found correct.**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent.

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I54-5-29.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
June 17th, 1925.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in my favour amounting to \$25.36 for payments made in connection with having chimneys, stoves and pipes cleaned, storm windows taken down, fence and doors repaired, closets cleaned and scrubbed, wood split and garden plowed and cultivated, at the Wikwemikong School.

It was necessary to have all this labour performed, the fence was in a bad state of repair and a door was broken on the school building, it had been in use for such a long period that it fell to pieces and had to be replaced by a new one.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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Wikwemikong School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Ethel Sloane

DATE	AMOUNT
1925	
July 4	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 430214-5 dated January 14th, 1918.

Folio.....

Wikwemikong, July 4th, 1925.

Department of Indian Affairs,
~~133 Ethel Sloane~~

In Acct.
with

Ethel Sloane,

Terms.....

Prizes awarded to pupils.
Wikwemikong School.

1925			
June 30	To 3 Mirrors	.54	
	1 Jack Knife	.35	
	1 Pencil Box	.10	
	1 Pin Cushion	.15	
	4 Belts	.80	
	3 Mouth Organs	.75	
	1 Barrette	.25	
	1 Tea Pot	.50	
	2 Necklaces	.70	\$3.74

\$3.74

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent.

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ARTICLE No.		QUANTITY	ARTICLE	PRICE PER	TOTAL ORDERED	TOTAL FILLED
347	2		Neck Jock no price no color			70
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TOTAL						Shane

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Miss Shane

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TORONTO, CANADA

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ARTICLE No.	QUANTITY	ARTICLE	PRICE PER	TOTAL ORDERED	TOTAL FILLED
<i>445</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>Barrette</i>			<i>25</i>
	<i>no</i>	<i>no color</i>			
	<i>one</i>				<i>25</i>
TOTAL					

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NO.		ARTICLE		PRICE PER	TOTAL ORDERED	TOTAL FILLED
ARTICLE NO.	QUANTITY	ARTICLE		PRICE PER	TOTAL ORDERED	TOTAL FILLED
329	3	Mouth Organ				75-
		SUBSTITUTED				

PLEASE READ

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The item listed on this bill marked "Substitute" is out of stock at present and rather than delay your order, we have selected a higher priced article, similar to that ordered, which we are sending for the price allowed.

We trust our choice meets with your approval.

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MAIL ORDER
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ARTICLE No.	QUANTITY	ARTICLE	PRICE PER	TOTAL ORDERED	TOTAL FILLED
321	4	Beets			80
		no size			
		no color			

SIZE NOT GIVEN

X.15

As you overlooked giving the size for the item listed on this bill, we are sending the size which is in greatest demand, rather than delay your order.

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No.		ARTICLE No.	QUANTITY	ARTICLE	PRICE PER	TOTAL ORDERED	TOTAL FILLED
		271	1	Swan Pea Cushion			5
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Jack Knefe
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I54-5-29. Indian Office, Manitowaning,
July 4th, 1925

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith
a voucher in favour of Miss Ethel Sloane
amounting to \$3.94 for payments made for
prizes awarded to the pupils in the senior
class-room at the Wikwemikong School for
the half year ending June 30th 1925.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Brown
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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[Signature]

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Wikwemikong Day School

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Susan A. Fox

DATE		AMOUNT
1925		
July 14	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 430214/5 dated January 14th, 1918. Prizes awarded pupils in Junior-class room at Wikwemikong Sch.	
June 23	To 2 Pencil Boxes	.20
	" 2 Boxes waxed Crayons	.20
	" 5 Handkerchiefs	.29
	" 2 Solid Sponge Balls	.30
	" 3 Aluminum Cups	.30
	" 1 Knife .35 I Mirror .18	.53
	" 2 Bead Necklets .38 3 Jews Harps .45	.83
	" 2 Trumpet Kazoo .30 I Mouth Organ .25	.55
	" 1 #730 for Bobbed Hair	.20
	" 1 Barrette .10 2 Belts .50	.60
	Total:-	\$ 4.00

Toronto, June 23, 1925

Miss Susan A. Fox.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

Wikwemikong, Ont.
THE T. EATON CO. LIMITED
MAIL ORDER CANADA
TORONTO

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PARIS, FRANCE, 103 RUE LAFAYETTE.
NEW YORK, U.S.A. EVERETT BLDG. 48 EAST 17TH ST.
MONTREAL, CANADA, CARON BLDG. 2050 BLEURY ST.



TRADE MARK

2	Pencil Boxes	20
2	Boxes Wax Crayons	20
5	Handkerchiefs	29
2	Solid Sponge Ball	30
3	Aluminum cups	30
1	Knife	35
1	Mirror	18
2	Bead Necklets	38
3	Jews Harps	45
2	Trumpet Kazoo	30
1	Mouth Organ	25
1	#730 for Bobbed Hair	20
1	Barrette	10
2	Belts	50

TOTAL ...

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Received Payment
The T. EATON Co Limited.

Per

Tom

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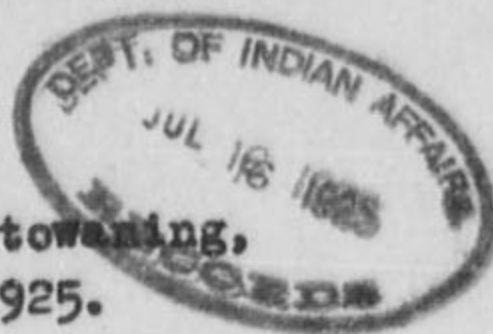
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5-29,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
July 14th, 1925.



E. X. A

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in favour of Miss Susan A. Fox amounting to \$4.00, for payments made for prizes awarded to the pupils in the Junior class-room at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School for the half year ending June 30th, 1925.

Authorized by Official Letter No. 430214/5 dated January 14th, 1915.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

pm
[Signature]

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..



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154-5-29.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
August 7th, 1925.

Sir:-

In reply to Official Letter No. 19-6-5 of the 4th of June, last, relating to minor repairs required to the roof of the Wikwemikong Day School, I have the honour to report that this roof is in very bad condition and cannot be repaired without a big expense.

Nine years ago it was re-shingled with new material but on account of the roof being so very flat it was not very satisfactory and has had to be repaired at different times in order to make the building habitable.

On account of the roof being so flat it would be only a waste of time and expense to have it re-covered with wooden shingles and it was thought that if heavy roofing paper was put on over the shingles that are on at the present time it would give better results than shingles.

As this is a very large building the cost of the roofing will be somewhat high, as I consider it will take 50 rolls of paper to complete the work. The total cost of the job will cost approximately \$250, which will include both material and labour.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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19-6-5.

Ottawa, August 12th, 1925.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 7th instant, relative to the repairs required to the roof of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School building.

In reply I beg to say it is considered that the most satisfactory arrangement would be to take off the singles at present on the roof and put on 3 ply of heavy roofing paper and have the joints well tarred. This would, no doubt, cost more than the arrangement suggested by you to have heavy roofing paper put on over the shingles, but it is considered it would make a more satisfactory job. You may arrange to have a competent man undertake the work of removing the singles and putting on 3 ply of roofing paper and tarring the joints. You can either give this work to a contractor, he to supply all material and labour, or you can make the purchase of the material and have the work carried out by day labour. In either case, you should obtain the best price possible to have a satisfactory job completed. The Department will leave this matter in your hands to carry out the work and at the least possible cost. Please give the matter your prompt attention and, if possible, have the work completed before the school reopens after the present summer holidays.

Properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, should be forwarded in the usual manner covering the expenditure incurred.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Order 191-6-4

To 2 Footballs Bladders @ .75

\$1.50

Wickawamung Day Sch.

19-6-4

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found correct.
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Aug 15/25
PP Shelton
11/18/25

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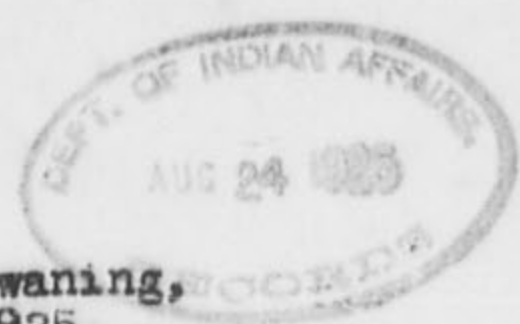


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15-5-29.

Indian Office, Wanitowaning,
August 20th, 1925.

Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 19-6-5 of the 12th, instant, with reference to having the roof of the school building at Wikwemikong repaired, if possible, before the school reopens after the present holidays, I have the honour to report that I cannot have the work completed before the school reopens, as I have to send outside for the roofing, but will have it completed before the wet weather in the fall sets in.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency,
Wikwemikong Day School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J. C. Irving & Co.

DATE	AMOUNT
1925 Sept 21	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 12-6-4 dated August 4th, 1925.

A. IRVING,
PROPRIETOR

MANITOWANING, ONT., Sept. 3rd, 1925
MANITOULIN ISLAND

M. Dept. of Indian Affairs.

BOUGHT
OF

J. C. IRVING & CO.

DEALERS IN

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Gents' Furnishings
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE, ETC., ETC,

ACCOUNTS DUE WHEN RENDERED
BY INTEREST CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

1925	To 11 Drinking Cups (Large) @ .35	2.75	
	2 Brooms (Heavy) 1.15	2.30	
	12 Laundry Soap	1.00	6.05

4520
sent 25/9/25

EXAMINED and
found correct.
R. J. Lewis

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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19-6-5



I54-5-39. Indian Office, Manitowaning,
September 21st, 1925.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith an account in favour of Messrs. J. C. Irving & Co. amounting to \$6.05 for drinking cups, brooms and soap furnished to the Wikwemikong Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Official Letter No. I9-6-4 of August the 4th, 1925.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Extract for 19-6-5

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EXTRACT FROM INSPECTOR'S REPORT ON THE WIKWEMIKONG SCHOOL.
SEPTEMBER 17, 1925.

R

The school bell cannot be heard in the village. These people have no clocks, naturally do not come on time. The present bell was never intended as a school bell. It is a yard one only. It will aid discipline and punctuality of you provide a bell large enough to be heard in the village.

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Something must be done regarding the toilets. The girls' toilets are close to school and high off the ground and every girl entering them is seen by the boys and everyone on the playground. They are old.

The boys need a screen across and should be made individual toilets for the sake of morals. Besides a few wooden or zinc urinals should be made as the seats are continually wet. It is dangerous to health. The seats are also too high.

no

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Can you furnish the senior room with desks? There are 24 single there now and it would aid much in discipline, order and appearance if you provided 12 more single with 4 backs and 4 fronts. As it is it is difficult to get around as aisles are too narrow and doubles are in the road. Besides the single have to be put alongside each other destroying their usefulness.

no

The teachers have no place to keep their supplies from mice. The cellar is cool but a concrete room 12' x 15' would be necessary to arrange in it. Can it be done?

A buffet (cheap) for dishes and linen would be welcomed. There is no furniture except six ordinary chairs, two beds and Coleman lamp.

J. M. Bennett, INSP.

Window Screens

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EX-10

Ottawa, September 30, 1925.

Sir:-

The School Inspector in a report on his recent inspection of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School reports as follows regarding the toilets:

" Something must be done regarding the toilets. The girls' toilets are close to school and high off the ground and every girl entering them is seen by the boys and everyone on the playground. They are old.

" The boys need a screen across and should be made individual toilets for the sake of morals. Besides a few wooden or zinc urinals should be made as the seats are continually wet. It is dangerous to health. The seats are also too high."

Please state your views regarding the Inspector's suggestion and also what you would recommend to be done in improving the condition of these toilets. The cost of any work recommended by you should be stated.

The Inspector further recommends that a cheap buffet be supplied in which to store dishes and linen. If you consider this is necessary you may arrange for the purchase and delivery of same. If you make the purchase, you should forward properly certified vouchers in duplicate covering the cost.

Your obedient servant,

(A. F. MacKenzie)
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning. Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Wikwemikong Day School.
No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To.....C. W. Hinds.

DATE	AMOUNT									
1925 Sept. 29	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-6-5 dated August 12th, 1925.									
STATEMENT MANITOWANING, <i>Sept 23</i> 1925 CANADA <i>R. J. Lewis.</i> IN ACCOUNT WITH C. W. HINDS HARDWARE, STOVES, TINWARE, PAINTS, OILS, GLASS SASH, DOORS, FURNITURE, HARNESS BUGGIES, CUTTERS, MASSEY-HARRIS FARM IMPLEMENTS EDISON AMBEROLAS AND RECORDS 10 PER CENT. INTEREST ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS <table border="1"><thead><tr><th>1925</th><th></th><th></th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td><i>Sept 10</i></td><td><i>2 50 Rolls 3 1/4</i></td><td></td></tr><tr><td></td><td><i>Roofing @ 35°</i></td><td><i>\$175.00</i></td></tr></tbody></table> <i>sent 125</i> <i>58, 509</i> <i>1574-5-30</i>		1925			<i>Sept 10</i>	<i>2 50 Rolls 3 1/4</i>			<i>Roofing @ 35°</i>	<i>\$175.00</i>
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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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Wikwemikong Day School.

No. of Account.....18

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To.....R. J. Lewis.

DATE		AMOUNT
1925		
Sept. 29	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-6-5 dated August 12th, 1925.	
" 19	To paid Ignatius Desmoulens for 8 days labour at \$2.50 per day assisting in reroofing the Wikwemikong School building	\$20.00
" 25	" " John King for cartage on 50 rolls of roofing from Manitowaning to Wikwemikong, 2 trips with team, total mileage 44.....	5.00
" 25	" " John King for 110 hours labour reroofing Wikemikong School building at \$.40 per hour	44.00
" 26	" " Ignatius Desmoulens for 5 days labour cleaning up old shingles and piping in shed at school at \$2.50 per day	12.50
	TOTAL:-	\$81.50

EXAMINED and
found correct.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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Manitowaning, Sept. 19th, 1925.

Received from R.J.Lewis the sum of \$20.00
for labour assisting roofing Wikwemikong
School.

Ignatius Desmoulens

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Manitowaning, Sept 25/25

Received from R.J.Lewis the sum of \$5.00
cartage of Roofing paper from Manitowaning
to Wilwemikong.

John King

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Manitowaning, Sep 25/25.

Received from R.J. Lewis the sum of \$44.00
labour roofing Wikwemikong School.



John King

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Manitowaning, September 26th, 1925.

Received from R. J. Lewis the sum of \$12.50 for five days, labour at \$2.50 per day, cleaning old shingles from around school building.

\$12.50

Ignatius Desmarais 6

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154-5-30. Indian Office, Manitowaning,
September 29th, 1925.

act
Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 19-6-5 of August 12th, last, I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in favour of Mr. C.W. Hinds amounting to \$175 for 50 rolls of roofing paper furnished, and also I enclose a voucher in favour of myself accompanied by receipts showing payments made amounting to \$81.50 for labour performed, in connection with taking the old shingles off the Wikwemikong School building and putting on 3 ply heavy roofing paper.

The best 3 ply roofing paper I could procure was purchased and put on in good condition which should be a satisfactory job, and from the appearance of it since completed I believe it to be.

Much difficulty was experienced in removing the old shingles as they were laid 3 inches to the weather with four rows of wire nails through each layer. As the shingles had to be removed by the use of crowbars, ~~which retarded~~ the progress of the work was slow.

Pay
It took an Indian five days to clean up all the old shingles and pile them in the woodshed at the school, and then rake and clean around the building.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Brown
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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I54-6-30.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
October 16th, 1925.



Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 19-6-5A of September 30th, last, relating to the report of the Separate School Inspector on the toilets at the Wikwemikong School, I have the honour to report that I was of the opinion that the toilet accommodation at this school was pretty fair and almost equal to the closet accommodation in any of the neighbouring rural White schools.

The girls' toilets consist of twelve individual toilets erected at the end of the woodshed on the east side of the playground. They are somewhat high off the ground and have been in use for a number of years, but with very little repairs and a screen erected along in front of them should put them in a satisfactory condition.

The boys' consist of three different buildings, each having a double toilet. They are all new buildings having a stone foundation under each and are in first class condition. Before the school re-opened after the holidays these buildings were thoroughly cleaned and scrubbed and put in a state of good repair. It might be well to have a screen erected in front of these buildings, but I cannot see why individual toilets should be made as they consist of three separate buildings at the present time.



I would recommend that a screen be erected in front of both the girls' and boys' toilets, and the seats lowered in those that are too high, the cost of the same will be considerable and they cover a lot of space and will require considerable lumber to build the screens. I would estimate that the cost of the material and labour would be approximately \$50.00.

Your obedient servant,

A. J. Hewes
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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19-6-5

Ottawa, October 21, 1925.

Sir:-

I have your letter of the 16th instant reporting on the condition of the toilets at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say, it is noted that these toilets are in a good condition. The Department will approve of the erection of a screen in front of both the boys and girls' toilets and the seats lowered in those that are too high. This matter will be left in your hands to have screened approaches to the toilets erected in a manner considered by you to be satisfactory and at the lowest possible cost. The seats may also be lowered where required. The building of the screens and the lowering of the seats, including the material and labour should, if possible, not exceed your estimate of approximately \$50.00. You should arrange to have this work carried out at an early date and when completed you should forward properly certified vouchers in duplicate covering the cost of the material and labourer employed.

Your obedient servant

J. D. McLEAN

(J. D. McLean)
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

refused by the school

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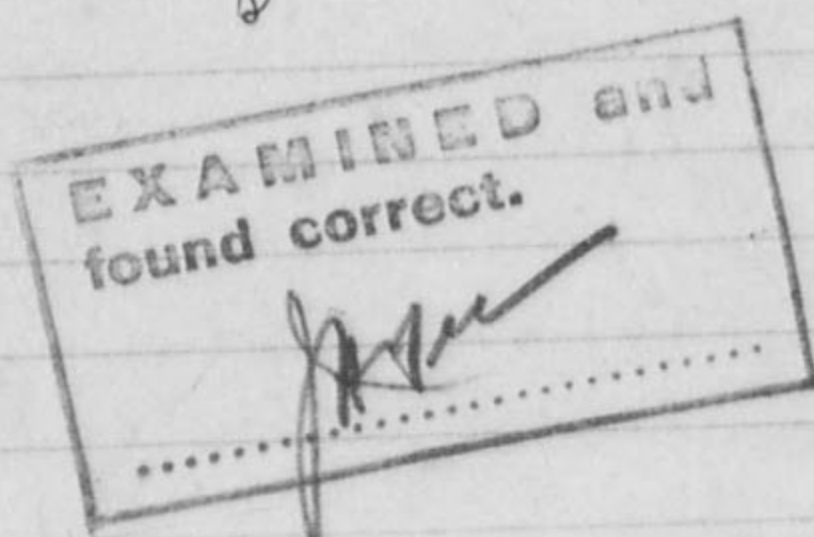
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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To.....Susan A. Fox.

DATE		AMOUNT
1925		
November 17		Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....
October	3	To account for carrying water at Wikwemikong School during month of September 2.00
November	13	" account for washing storm windows at Wikwemikong School 2.00
		\$4.00



I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent.

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I54-5-30.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
November 17th, 1925.

C. J. B.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in favour of Miss Susan A. Fox, principal teacher at the Wikwemikong Day School, for labour performed carrying water from Wikwemikong Bay to the School during the month of September, last, and also for labour performed washing and cleaning storm windows for the school building.

With regard to a supply of water for this school, I have to report to the Department that the well has been thoroughly cleaned and pumped dry on several occasions, but the analysis and report from the Dominion Experimental Farm says, "This water must be condemned as a drinking supply;" therefore I thought it better to purchase an iron tank, which will cost approximately \$6.00, and have the drinking supply of water drawn from Wikwemikong Bay which is only a very short distance from the school building.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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154-5-30.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
November 17th, 1925.

Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 430214/5 of January the 14th, 1918, authorizing an allowance of \$4.00 a quarter for prizes to the pupils of the Wikwemikong School, I have the honour to report that the teachers of this school complain that the amount is too small for the number of pupils attending and a number have to go without a prize.

As there are in the neighbourhood of eighty pupils attending at the present time, it would appear that the amount authorized is rather small to purchase ample prizes to distribute among all the pupils.

I would recommend that the amount be raised to \$6.00 a quarter.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.



The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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19-6-5.

Ottawa, November 21st, 1925.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 17th instant, relative to the grant that was authorized for the obtaining of prizes to be awarded the pupils of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School each quarter, and requesting that the amount be increased.

In reply I beg to say that in view of the large attendance at this school, the Department will approve of an expenditure not exceeding \$6 each quarter being incurred in the purchase of gifts considered suitable to be awarded as prizes to the pupils. Vouchers, in duplicate, properly certified should be forwarded in the usual manner covering the expenditure.

I have also your letter of the same date enclosing a voucher for the labour performed in carrying water to the school during the month of September and for the washing of the storm windows. This account will be paid.

Regarding the water supply, it is noted that although the well has been thoroughly cleaned and pumped dry on several occasions the analysis of the water shows that it has been condemned for drinking purposes and that it will be necessary to have the drinking supply drawn from Wikwemikong Bay and placed in a tank. If you are assured that the water from the Bay will be satisfactory, you may purchase the tank at a cost of approximately \$6. Please state whether it will be necessary to pay for the carrying of the water and also if it will be possible to obtain a supply from the Bay during the winter months.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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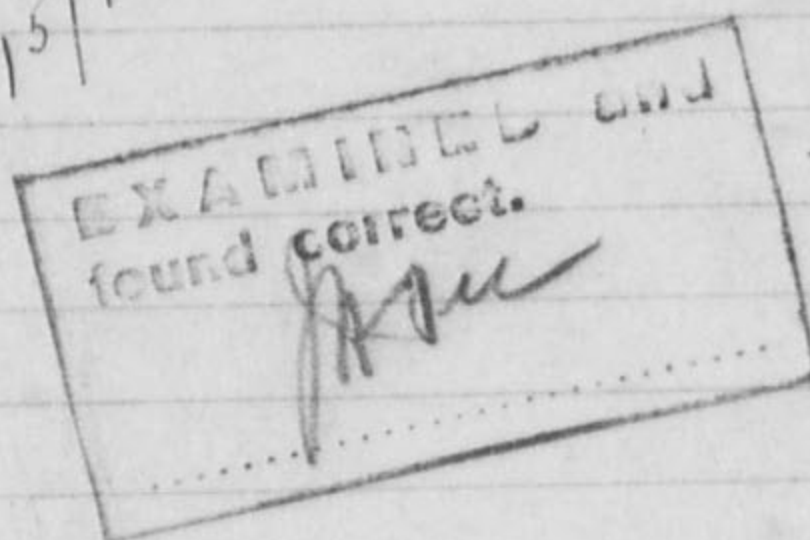
INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To.....R. J. Lewis.....

DATE		AMOUNT	
1925		Authorized by Dept. letter No. 12-8-4 dated October 10th, 1925.	
December	8		
August	14	To paid J.J. Morrow Express on Stationery from Little Current to Manitowaning	.25
October	15	" " H. W. McLaughlin for one Soap Dish	.60
"	24	" " D. Watson for 6 mantles for Coleman Gasoline Lamp	.75
December	3	" " J.C. Irving & Co. for 1 Box Matches (3 bunches)	.45
		TOTAL:-	\$2.05

6675
sent 15/12/25



I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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19-6-5



I54-5-30.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
December 8th, 1925.

Sir:-

part

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in favour of myself amounting to \$2.05 for payments made for soap dish, mantles, matches and express on stationery for the Wikwemikong Day School.

The purchase of the soap dish was authorized by Departmental Letter No. 19-6-4 of October 10th, last.

As the new coleman gasoline lamp furnished by the Department recently was in need of mantles and the teacher was out of matches to light the fires in the class-rooms I purchased there articles.

Your obedient servant,

Pay
per

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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19-6-5.

154-5-30.

Ottawa, December 22nd, 1925.

Sir:

I have to refer you to official letter of October 21st, last, relative to the condition of the toilets at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, and to enquire as to whether or not you have had the work of the erection of the screen in front of both toilets carried out, and the seats lowered. If this work is not yet completed, I have to request that you will arrange to have it done at the earliest opportunity.

We are informed that the teachers have no place in which to keep their supplies from the mice. Would it be possible to fit up a room in the cellar that could be made mouse proof and of sufficient size to meet the requirements? I have to request that you will furnish a report regarding this matter, stating what you would advise be done in arranging for a suitable place in which to store supplies, at the same time stating the cost of any work you would recommend be undertaken.

Another matter that should be borne in mind is the providing of window screens early next spring. Please inform the Department in due time as to the number of screens required, and the approximate cost of same, when authority will be given you to arrange for the purchase.

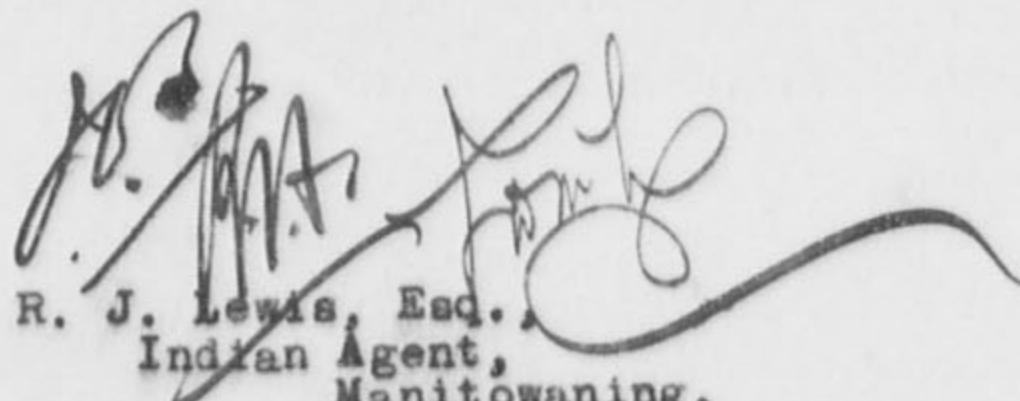
We understand that the roof of the building which was repaired last summer leaks in one or two places. You should make enquiry regarding this, and endeavour, if possible, to have any repairs required carried out.

The Department will expect to hear from you at an early date regarding the above matters.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.


R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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Wikwemikong School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J. S. Jacko.

General Merchant, Wikwemikong.

DATE 1925
December 26
Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-6-5 dated November 31st, 1925.

Folio.....

Dec. 22, 1925

M Indian Department Ottawa

In Acct: Bought by Miss S. Fox
with Jos. B. Jacko

Terms.....

Wikwemikong (part)

1/3	dog, Fan set	58
1/6	" Wash "	33
1/12	" Toy stove	17
1/3	" Quinac set	60
1/2	" Mech. Auto	60
1/3	" Submarine	42
1/12	" Merrygo round	17
1/12	" " " "	15
1/12	" Rolling Paper	33
1/12	" Seniors Grinder	15
1/12	" Steamboat	31
1/12	" Bird in cage	17
1/3	" Dog in kennel	42
1/6	" Bird with voice	12
1/4	" Magnetic Toys	19
1/4	" Key Cornet	50
1/3	" Accordion	40
1/12	" " " "	17
1/12	" Metal Chime	10
1/12	" Wood Clarinet	17

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FOUND CORRECT.

J. W. Shore

R. J. Keenan
Agent.

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Office of the Manitowaning Indian Agency,

December 26th, 1925, 192

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....,

amounting to \$ 12.00in favour

of J. B. Jacko, Wikwemikong, Ont.

for prizes purchased for pupils at Wikwemikong
School by Miss Susan A. Fox for September and
December quarters 1925.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 19-6-5dated November 21st, 1925.

Your obedient servant,

Pay

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.



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I54-5-30.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
December 29th, 1925.

Sir:-

I have the honour to report that the cook stove in the residential portion of the Wikwemikong School is in very bad condition, and in order to take precaution against fire I consider that a new stove should be furnished.

The doors of this stove are badly broken, and bricks and stones have to be used in the bottom of the firebox in order to keep the fire from dropping through.

A suitable stove, to replace this one in use at the present time, would cost \$68.00, and I would recommend that I be authorized to purchase a new one in order to avoid any fire accident to the building.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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154-5-30.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
December 29th, 1925.



Sir:-

I am in receipt of Official Letter No. 19-6-5 of the 22nd, instant, relating to repairs to the closets and school building at Wikwemikong, and in reply I have the honour to report that the screens in front of the closets will be erected, and the seats lowered just as soon as I can procure the material required for this work. As there is a stretch of fifteen closets to be screened quite a lot of material is required and some of the material is hard to procure in this district.

With regard to the question of fitting up a room for the teachers to keep their supplies, I have to report that on account of the condition of the cellar under this building it would be a costly undertaking to fit up a mouse proof room of sufficient size for storing supplies, and at the present time I cannot make an estimate as part of the basement would have to be removed in order to make a suitable entrance if a store room was built in. At the present time there is a portion of a room on the ground floor partitioned off for the use of storing supplies, which the teachers should be able to keep the mice down if a little effort was made to do so. I believe it better to try and have a room fitted up on the ground floor if the Department decides to have the work done.

With regard to the roof leaking in one or two places, I have to say that I have been trying to remedy this and had a man on two different occasions to repair the roof but it appears that during the last heavy rain a few drops leaked through. As this is a paper roof it cannot be repaired until the warm weather sets in. When the weather turns a little warm this matter will be attended to.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Wikwemikong School.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To.....Susan A. Fox.....

DATE		AMOUNT
1925		
January 2	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
1925 September 30	To scrubbing and cleaning two class-rooms at the end of September quarter	5.00
December 30	" scrubbing and cleaning two class-rooms at the end of December quarter	5.00
	TOTAL:-	\$10.00

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

In Acc't with

Susan A. Fox

Wikwemikong, Ont.

To Scrubbing of School Sept. quarter \$ 5.00
" " " " Dec. " 5.00
\$ 10.00

Dated Dec. 30th 1925

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent

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I54-5-30.

Indian Office, Manitowish
January 2nd, 1926.

Sir:-

R

I have the honour to enclose herewith a
voucher in favour of Miss Susan A. Fox amount-
ing to \$10.00 for scrubbing and cleaning the
two class-rooms at the Wikwemikong School
during September and December quarters 1925.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

atc/s
[Signature]

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Manitowaning Agency.
Wikwemikong School.

No. of Account.....18

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To.....R. J. Lewis

DATE		AMOUNT
1926 January 6	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
1925	Wikwemikong School repairs, etc.	
June 18	To paid Jos. B. Jacko, for,- 13 window glass 8x10 @ .10 1.30 2 " " 8x11 .15 .30 1 " " 10x14 .20 .20 2 lbs putty .15 .30 100. Points .05 .05 2.15 2 window glass 8x10 .10 .20 1 lb putty .15 .15 .35	
July 31	" " John King for 10 hours labour repairs to building at 40¢ per	4.00
Sept. 21	" " J.B. Jacko for,- 10 lbs putty at @ .15 1.50	
Oct. 29	" " C.W. Hinds for,- 1 can white paint @.70 } 1.95 1 " linseed oil .25 1 " paint remover .50 1 doz. Gaster Cups .75 .75	
Nov. 7	" " John King for 47 hours labour for repairing and painting and putting on storm windows, cleaning well, cleaning stoves and pipes at 40¢ per hour	18.80
	TOTAL:-	\$30.00

7561
sent 10/1/26

EXAMINED and
found correct.
[Signature]

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[Signature]
Agent.

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I54-5-30. Indian Office, Manitowaning,
January 6th, 1926.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in my favour amounting to \$30.00 for payments made for material and labour in repairs, putting on storm windows, cleaning stoves and pipes, cleaning well and general repairs to Wikwemikong School building.

As this building is large and very old it is very hard to keep in a half decent state of repair. On every occasion I visit the school I find something is required in the way of repairs, especially the windows there are over one hundred in the building and each window contains twenty four small glass. The sash are old and will not hold the putty.

The purchase of one dozen castor cups included in this account was authorized by Official Letter No. I9-6-8 of September 2nd, 1925.

Your obedient servant,

R. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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154-5-30.

Indian Office, Manitowaning
January 18th, 1926.



Sydney

Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 19-6-5 of the 22nd, ultimo, and previous correspondence in connection with repairs to the toilets at the Wikwemikong School; I have the honour to report in this connection to the effect that I authorized the necessary repairs to be carried out such as having screen erected and the seats which were too high to be lowered, but before the work was all complete Miss Fex, the principal teacher at the school, protested strongly against the manner in which the repairs were being made, and therefore, the work has been suspended for the present.

It appears that she is not in favour of the screens in front of the toilets, but she insists on individual closets being erected with two zinc urinals installed for the boys, and the toilets to be erected on the plan recommended by the Department for public and separate schools in the Province of Ontario.

I may say that the toilets in use for the boys at present are three double dry earth toilets with a stone foundation under each one, and are similar to the toilets in use at the other schools on the Reserve which were erected according to plans laid down by the Department, but they do not meet with the approval of the teacher in charge of the school at the present time.

As the teacher is bent on having the individual building erected, or the buildings in use at present remodelled into individual buildings, and I understand it is her intention to take the matter up direct with the Department, and before proceeding any further with the proposed repairs I thought it better to wait for further instructions.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Hewson
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.



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19-6-5

Ottawa, January 22, 1926.

Madam:-

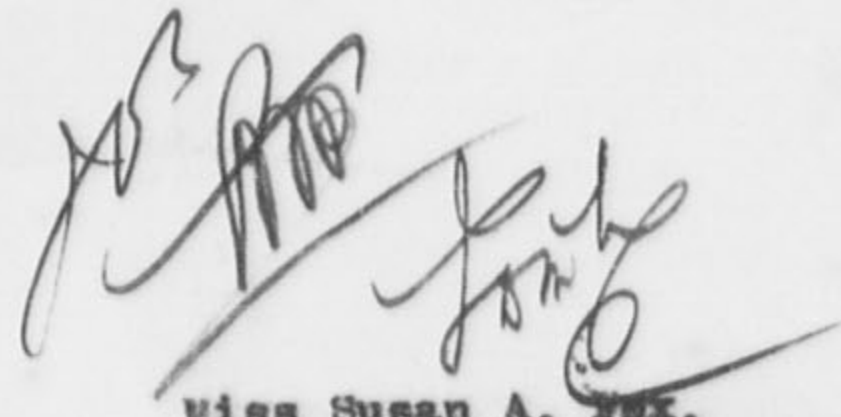
In September last the Separate School Inspector drew attention to the condition of the toilets at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, and we requested Mr. Agent Lewis to arrange for the erection of a screen in front of both the boys' and the girls' toilets and to have the seats lowered in those that were too high. The Agent reports that he authorized the necessary repairs to be carried out but that you have protested strongly against the manner in which these repairs are being made, and that, therefore, the work has been suspended for the present.

I have to request that you will furnish a report stating definitely and as clearly as possible what arrangements you would advise being carried out in order to provide suitable toilet accommodation for both the boys and girls. It is considered that the present toilets can be remodeled without a very large expense. We are requesting Mr. Lewis to defer any further work until we hear from you as to what is required. Your early response will oblige.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.


Miss Susan A. Fox,
Teacher, Indian Day School,
Wikwemikong, ONT.

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19-6-5

Ottawa, January 22, 1926.

Sir:-

I have your letter of the 18th instant, relative to the repairs and alterations required to the toilets at Wikwemikong Indian Day School. It is noted that the teacher has taken exception to the manner in which the repairs are being made and that, therefore, you have suspended work for the present.

We are communicating with Miss Fex and asking her to state definitely what she would recommend being done to place the toilets in a satisfactory condition. In the meantime, it will not be necessary for you to take any further action in carrying out the repairs.

With reference to the question of fitting up a room for the teachers to keep their supplies as referred to in your letter of the 29th ultimo, I beg to say that no action need be taken at the present time regarding this matter.

We note that you will attend to any repairs required to the roof as soon as weather conditions permit next Spring.

Relative to the supplying of a new cook stove for the residential portion of the school, I beg to say that you may arrange for the purchase and delivery of a new stove. The stove supplied should be of a type suitable to meet all requirements. Competitive prices should be obtained from a number of dealers and the stove purchased from the one quoting the lowest price. We note that you estimate the cost of the new stove as approximately \$68.00.

We regret that your letter requesting authority to purchase this stove was inadvertently overlooked and I now have to request that you will arrange for the supplying of the stove at as early a date as possible. When the stove has been delivered please forward properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, covering the cost of same.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN *over*

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, ONT.

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154-5-30.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
January 21st, 1926.

Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 19-6-5
of November 21st, 1925, I have the honour to
enclose herewith a voucher in favour of Miss
Susan A. Fex, Teacher at the Wikwemikong School,
amounting to \$2.25 for carrying water for the
use of the pupils during December quarter 1925.

As the pupils will not carry the supply of
water required for use at the school without be-
ing paid for their work, Miss Fex had to pay
them the amount of the account enclosed herewith.

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Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Mikwemung, Ont.
Jan. 21st 1926

Dear Mr. Ferrier,

I wrote you a letter last week, and I am sorry to have to write you again about more difficulties.

In regard to the repairing of the boys' toilets here, I must inform you that what has already been done is not satisfactory.

The work has been suspended since two weeks past, but I do not really know for what reason.

There is one point especially that I'd like to draw your attention to regarding these toilets.

If Mr. Bennett did not mention this in his report, he must have entirely forgotten to do so.

The three boys' toilets are double compartments and they should be individual ones.

Individual toilets are most urgently required and these are plenty big enough to be divided.

Mr. Lewis absolutely refuses to partition

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ten dollars toward this work, if the Department is not able to do it all, for Mr. Lewis tells me that he can only spend \$50.00 on these repairs.

I told him I didn't see why so much money would be spent and still not have the work done satisfactorily.

I don't know if you will be surprised to receive a letter like this from me, but I feel I know you by hearing Mr. Charlebois talk about you, and besides I am confident that you will not refuse this earnest appeal.

I'm not writing this letter to complain about Mr. Lewis, but I can't let things go if he doesn't want to bother about them.

Thanking you in anticipation for all favors, and awaiting an early reply, I am

Very respectfully yours,
Susan A. Fay.

Mr. Russell Ferrier,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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19-6-5.

Ottawa, January 26th, 1926.

Madam:

I have your letter of the 21st instant, relative to the alterations and repairs which you require to have made to the toilets at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

In this connection I beg to enclose herewith copy of a communication to Mr. Agent Lewis in which he has been granted authority to have the changes in the toilets as suggested by you carried out. The Department does not wish to incur any undue expenditure, and I shall be pleased if you will limit the work which you wish to have done to the smallest extent, having in view the carrying out of any alterations and repairs that will provide satisfactory equipment for toilet purposes.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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Miss Susan A. Fox,
Teacher, Indian Day School,
Wikwemikong, Ont.

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19-6-5.

See under

Ottawa, January 26th, 1926.

Sir:

In further reference to your letter of the 18th and the Department's reply thereto of the 22nd instant, relative to the repairs and alterations required to the toilets at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, I now beg to inform you that a communication regarding this matter has been received from Miss Fex, the teacher. She requests that the 3 boys' toilets with double compartments be divided into individual compartments, and states that they are large enough to be so divided.

You may arrange to have the necessary partitions erected to divide these toilets into individual compartments. You should consult Miss Fex and ascertain from her definitely as to the alterations she requires and also the making of any repairs. Regarding the cost of this work, the Department expects that you will see that it is kept down to the lowest possible point, having in view the carrying out of Miss Fex's ideas in a satisfactory manner. You should see that the work is performed at as early a date as possible and the toilets placed in a satisfactory condition. We are sure that Miss Fex will not ask that any unnecessary expenditure be incurred. We are forwarding a copy of this letter to her.

When the work has been completed, you should forward properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, covering the expenditure incurred. It would be advisable to keep time sheets, in duplicate, for all labour employed.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN
J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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19-6-5

January 28th, 1926.

Sir,-

Referring to your letter of the 21st instant, I beg to say the Department does not propose to pay Miss Fox for carrying water for use by pupils of the Wikwemikong School. It is considered that the children should be able to get water for themselves, it being assumed that the water supply is not far from the school. Arrangements could be made whereby the children can take turns in procuring the water required.

The account which you submitted in Miss Fox's favour is returned herewith.

Your obedient servant,

(J.D. McLean)
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R.J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Wikwemikong, Ont.

Feb. 3rd 1926



Mr. J. D. McLean,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir, -

I have your two letters dated Jan. 22nd and 26th and I thank you for same.

I had composed a letter in answer to yours of the 22nd, but delayed sending it, owing to the letter I had written to Mr. Ferrier, before receiving yours.

In answer to your letter of the 26th I beg to inform you that I will write you at length later, when I shall have had a satisfactory interview with Mr. Agent Lewis.

I have been addressing myself to Mr. Ferrier, for I do not know to who else in the Dept. I should write to, regarding these matters.

Thanking you for past favors, I am
Very respectfully yours,
Susan A. Fetz

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Manitowaning Agency
Wikwemikong Day School.
No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To C. W. Hinds, Manitowaning, Ont.

DATE	AMOUNT												
1926													
February 9	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-6-5 dated November 21st, 1925, " " " " No. 19-6-4 " December 22nd, 1925, " " " " No. 19-6-5 " January 22nd, 1926.												
STATEMENT MANITOWANING, CANADA R. J. Lewis for Wikwemikong Sch. 1926 IN ACCOUNT WITH C. W. HINDS HARDWARE, STOVES, TINWARE PAINTS, OILS, GLASS SASH, DOORS, FURNITURE, HARNESS BUGGIES, CUTTERS, MASSEY-HARRIS FARM IMPLEMENTS EDISON AMBEROLAS AND RECORDS 10 PER CENT. INTEREST ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS <table><tbody><tr><td>Jan 9</td><td>20 gal. Water Tank</td><td>6.00</td></tr><tr><td>Feb 2</td><td>" 1 Cook Stove</td><td>68.00</td></tr><tr><td>" "</td><td>" 1 Coffee Percolator</td><td>1.98</td></tr><tr><td colspan="2">Total</td><td>\$ 75.90</td></tr></tbody></table>		Jan 9	20 gal. Water Tank	6.00	Feb 2	" 1 Cook Stove	68.00	" "	" 1 Coffee Percolator	1.98	Total		\$ 75.90
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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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19-6-5
Indian Office, Manitowaning,
February 9th, 1926.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith an account, in favour of Mr. C. W. Hinds of Manitowaning, amounting to \$75.90, for a Water-Tank, Cook-Stove and Coffee Percolator, furnished for use in the teacher's quarters at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

It was impossible to ask for competitive prices on the Cook-Stove as asked for by the Department, as Mr. Hinds is the only person in this village who handles stoves, so I purchased the same from him at a reasonable price, and would most respectfully recommend that the account be paid.

This expenditure was authorized by Official Letters No.'s 19-6-4 and 19-6-5 dated November 21st and December 22nd, 1925 and January 22nd, 1926.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..



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Wikewenikong, Ont.
Feb. 16, 1926.

Mr. J. D. McLean,
Ottawa, Ont.

R

Dear Sir,-

I beg to inform you that the repairs have been in operation here since last week, and the able carpenter that was hired is giving great satisfaction.

We are just having the double compartments divided, and suitable platforms put in front of the seats, because to lower the seats, the foundation would have to be cut down etc., and this would have incurred greater expense; so I suggested to have the platforms built instead.

Mr. Agent Lewis had consented last December to have urinals installed in the boys' toilets, but in his last visit here, he mentioned that he would have new toilets built for the girls in the spring, so I suggested to let the question of urinals go for now, and that when the new toilets were being erected for the girls, the present ones could be moved to the west end of the boys' toilets, because they are only the old urinal stalls that were in use for the boys when the boarding-school was here.

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This would prevent any undue expenditure.

Urinals in boys' toilets are most essential, because it is impossible, no matter how hard we try in other ways, to keep the boys' toilets dry and in a sanitary condition.

I can, but I refrain from describing to you, the terrible condition the boys' toilets always were in at this school, and when I made this remark to my principal, two years ago, she informed me, that she had referred the matter again and again to the Agent, but had received no assistance from him in the matter.

Last September, when I came here as principal, that was the first thing I laid before him, but it was all in vain.

Losing all confidence in him, I applied to Mr. Bennett, and when the repairs did begin here the last week of December, I laid all my plans before Mr. Lewis on several occasions, but he did not heed them, except for the urinals.

The present girls' toilets have no seats — All the girls have to sit on is the thickness of an inch board.

It was when I suggested having seats put in them that Mr. Lewis mentioned the erection of new ones.

I admit these are anything but what they should be for girls, however I am willing to put up with them

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to keep down expenses.

What I have just described to you in this letter is the deplorable state of the toilet accomodation that has always existed in the Wikeemikong Indian Day School.

I am not writing to complain of Mr. Lewis, but simply to inform you of the state of affair here.

Trusting this will be satisfactory to you and thanking you for your kind assistance in the past I am

Very respectfully yours,
Susan A. Fex

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19-6-5



154-5-30.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
February 15th, 1926.

Sir:-

Referring to Official Letter No. 19-6-5 of the 28th, ultimo, in which the Department re-enclosed account in favour of Miss Fex for payment for carrying water for use at the Wikwemikong School, I have the honour to report to the effect that the water in the well has been condemned for drinking purposes and a supply of water for the school and teacher's residence cannot be procured at a closer distance than Wikwemikong Bay which is over a quarter of one mile from the school.

As the Department has refused to pay for the carrying of a supply of water for the use of the pupils and the teacher's residence some other provision for a supply of water for this building will have to be made immediately as it is impossible for them to be without a supply of water and the pupils cannot lug it through the deep snow between Wikwemikong Bay and the school during the winter months.



Your obedient servant,

R. J. Hewson
Indian Agent.

The secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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154-5-30.

19-6-5.

Ottawa, February 19th, 1926.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 15th instant relative to the payment for the carrying of water for drinking and domestic purposes for the use of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say that, after reviewing your reports regarding the condition of the well and the conditions under which water is obtainable from the bay, it has been decided to allow payment for the carrying of the water used during the present winter. You may, therefore, return the voucher which was sent you in letter of the 28th ultimo, and you may forward vouchers from time to time for the amount charged for the carrying of the water.

You should take up early in the spring the question of the best arrangements to be carried out to provide the water supply required for the use of this school, stating whether you would advise that any further work be undertaken to the present well, either by deepening or otherwise, to make the water fit for use, or whether you would recommend the drilling of a new well on some other location near the school. The approximate cost of any recommendation made by you to secure a water supply next spring should be stated.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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Wikwemikong School.

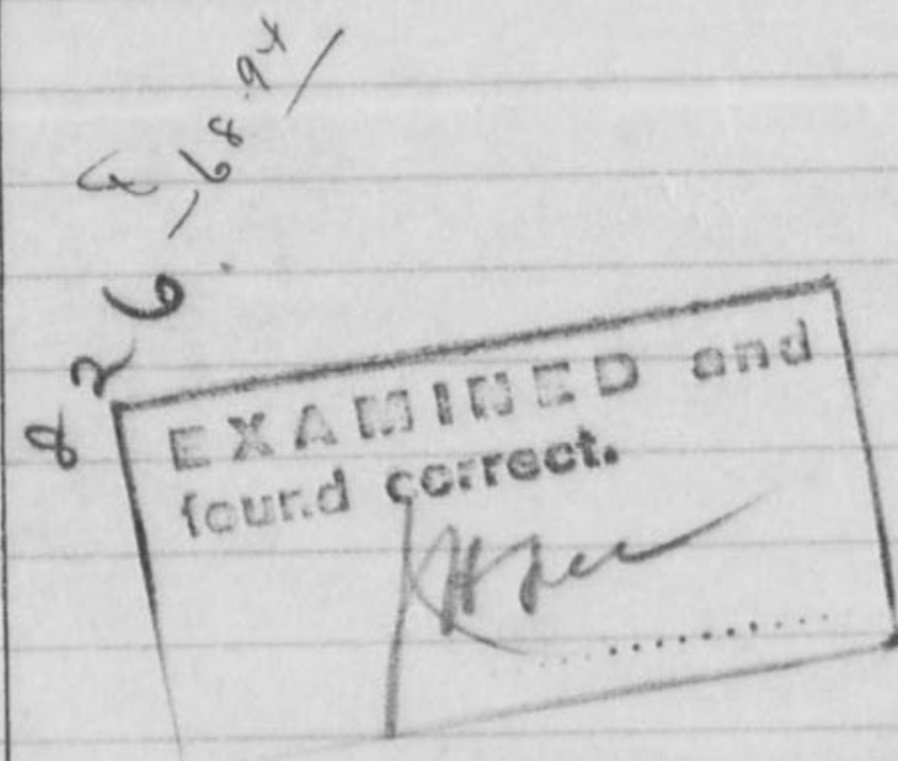
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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To A. J. Lewis.

DATE			AMOUNT	
1926				
April	10	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....		
1925				
August	31	To paid Peter Tehkummah for 3 days labour cutting weed and cleaning yard	5.00	✓
1926				
January	18	" " D. Watson for,- I Coleman Gasoline Lamp Shade	\$1.85	
		I " Valve Stem & Nut	.40	2.25 ✓
March	31	" " J.C. Irving & Co. for:- I Water Pail		.65 ✓
TOTAL:-			\$7.90	



I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

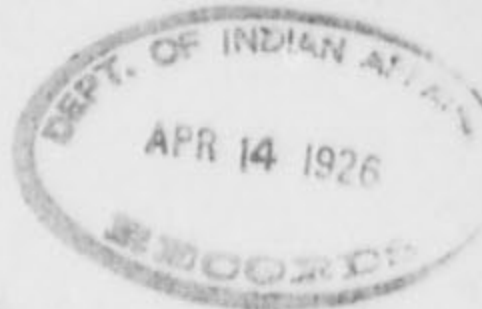
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Agent.

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19-6-5-



I54-5-30.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
April 10th, 1926.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in my favour amounting to \$7.90 for payments made in connection with having the yard at Wikwemikong school cleaned, repairs to Coleman Gasoline Lamp and a water pail for the use of the pupils in the senior class-room at this school.

Before this school re-opened after the mid-summer holidays the yard grew up with weeds and thistles which had to be cut and burned. During the winter the gasoline lamp in use at the teachers' living quarters was in a dangerous condition for the want of repair, and the water pail in the class-room was leaking.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To R. J. Lewis.....

DATE		AMOUNT	
1926			
April	10	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
		Shovelling snow at Wikwemikong School.	
Feb	5	To paid Antoine Desmoulens 8 hours labour @ .25¢	2.00 /
"	27	" " Antoine Desmoulens 8 " "	.25¢ 1.50 /
March	6	" " Narcisse Desmoulens 8 " "	.25¢ 2.00 /
"	13	" " Narcisse Desmoulens 5 1/2 " "	.25¢ 1.25 /
April	5	" " Narcisse Desmoulens 5 " "	.25¢ 1.25 /
		TOTAL:-	\$8.00 /

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found correct.
[Signature]

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent.

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[Signature]

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
April 10th, 1926.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in favour of myself amounting to \$8.10 for payments made at different periods during the winter past for shovelling snow at the Wikwemikong Day School.

The Wikwemikong School is situated at the bottom of a very large hill and there is a long string of steps from the road down this hill to the school, some two hundred steps, and during the winter these steps would fill in with snow and ice which was very dangerous to the teachers and pupils. At times it was almost impossible to get up and down these steps and the teachers made so many complaints, and in order to avoid accidents which were liable to occur from these conditions I was forced to have the snow and ice cleared away at different times.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Wikwemikong School.

No. of Account.....18

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To R. J. Lewis.

DATE		AMOUNT	
1926			
April	9	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-G-5 dated January 23th, 1926. Repairs to toilets at Wikwemikong School.	
Febry	27	To paid Alex Peltier for 71 2/3 hours labour at 35 cents per hour	25.00
March	18	" paid J.B.Jacko for material:- 251 ft lumber @ .044 \$10.04 10 lbs nails .07 .70 8 barrel bolts .25 2.00 3 Nos Screws .10 .25 4 lbs S. Nails .10 .40 1 window sash .50 Cartage of material 1.00 14.89	
"	18	" paid C.W.Hinds for material:- 20 small window glass .064 1.20 4 8x10 " " .07 .25 5 # Putty .10 .50 Galvanized Points .05 4 Doors Bolts & Screws.20 .80 3 lbs 2 1/2" Nails .07 .20 3 pre Hinges & Screws .35 1.05 4.05	
"	19	" paid John B. Jacko for:- 4 days labour at \$2.25 per day	9.00
		TOTAL:-	\$52.94

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sent 19/4/26

EXAMINED and
found correct.


EXAMINED and
found correct.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

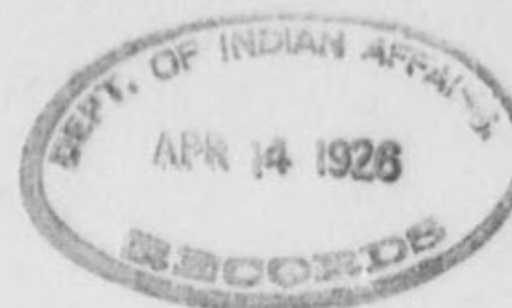
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Agent.

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154-5-30.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
April 9th, 1926.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a voucher in favour of myself amounting to \$52.94 for payments made for material and labour in connection with repairs being made to the boys toilets at the Wikwemikong Day School.

There were three double toilets converted into six individual compartments, the seats being lowered, a window put in each compartment and new doors. They are now in good condition and should be ample toilet accommodation for the bays.

On account of the rough material which the men had to work with, which all had to be dressed before put to use, it took a lot of extra labour.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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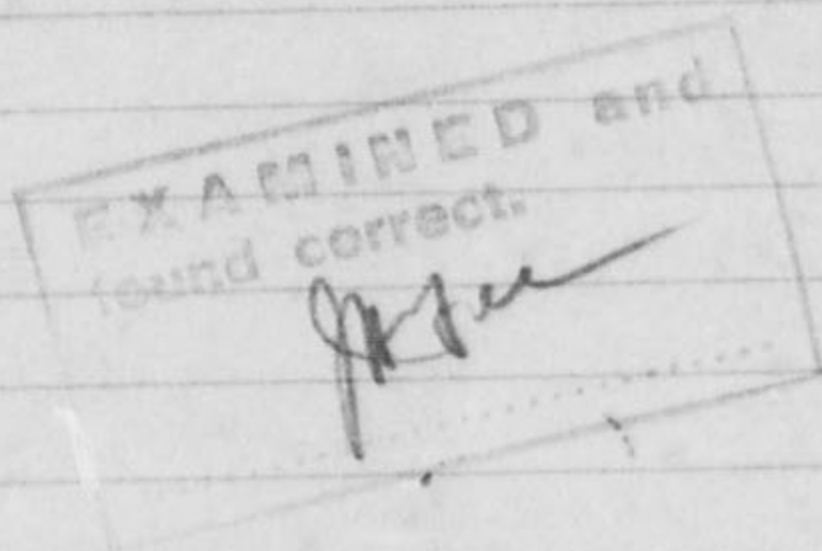
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The Department of Indian Affairs,

To... Susan A. Fox.

DATE		AMOUNT
1926		
January	21	
Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-6-5 dated November 21st, 1926.		
To carrying water for December quarter 1925, Wikwemikong School		\$2.25

825-1675



I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

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Wikwemikong School.

No. of Account.....15

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Susan A. Fox

DATE	AMOUNT
1926	Authorized by Dept. letter No 19-3-5 dated February 19th, 1926.
April 9	
Department of Indian Affairs Ottawa, Ont.	
In Acc't with Susan A. Fox Wikwemikong, Ont.	
1926	
January carrying water	\$2.00
February	1.50
March	1.00
Total	\$4.50

825-5-6-75
sent 19/4/26
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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent.

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Letter No. 154-B-30.

Office of the.....Manitowaning.....Indian Agency,

April 9th, 1926. 192

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....,

amounting to \$ 6.75.....in favour

of Miss Susan A. Fox.....

for carrying water for December and March quarters
for use at Wikwemikong School and teacher's residence

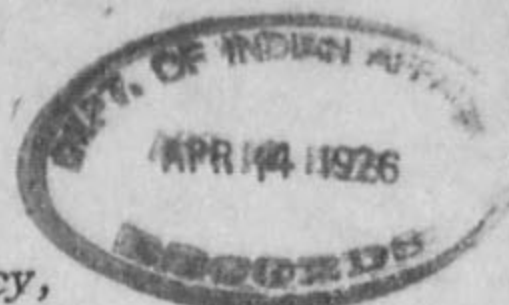
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Letter No. 19-6-5.....dated February 19th, 1926.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.



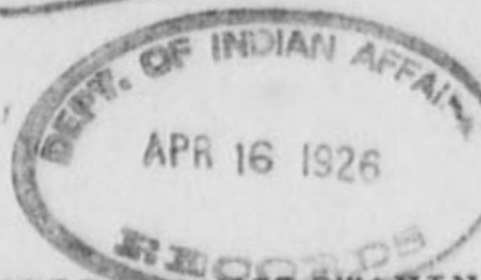
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EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF MR. R. J. LEWIS, MANITOWANING,
FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL, 1926, ON THE WIKWEMIKONG
INDIAN DAY SCHOOL.

[Handwritten signature]

Original on File #19-6-7.

The school yard is very wet and muddy which makes it difficult to keep the floors of the classrooms clean. It would be advisable to have a few loads of gravel put in the low places.

The stove pipes and chimneys require cleaning, and the storm windows taken off.

The teachers require a double boiler for use in their living quarters.



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19-6-5.

Ottawa, April 20th, 1926.

Sir:

With reference to that portion of your report for the month of April on your inspection of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, I beg to say that you may arrange to have a few loads of gravel put in the low places in the school yard, in order to overcome the muddy condition. Only the quantity of gravel absolutely necessary should be supplied.

You may also arrange to have the stove pipes and chimneys cleaned, and the storm windows taken off and properly stored.

You may also purchase a double boiler for the use of the teacher's residence.

The above authorized expenditures should be kept down to the lowest possible point, and properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, covering the cost should be forwarded to the Department.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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19-6-5.

Ottawa, June 28th, 1926.

Sir:

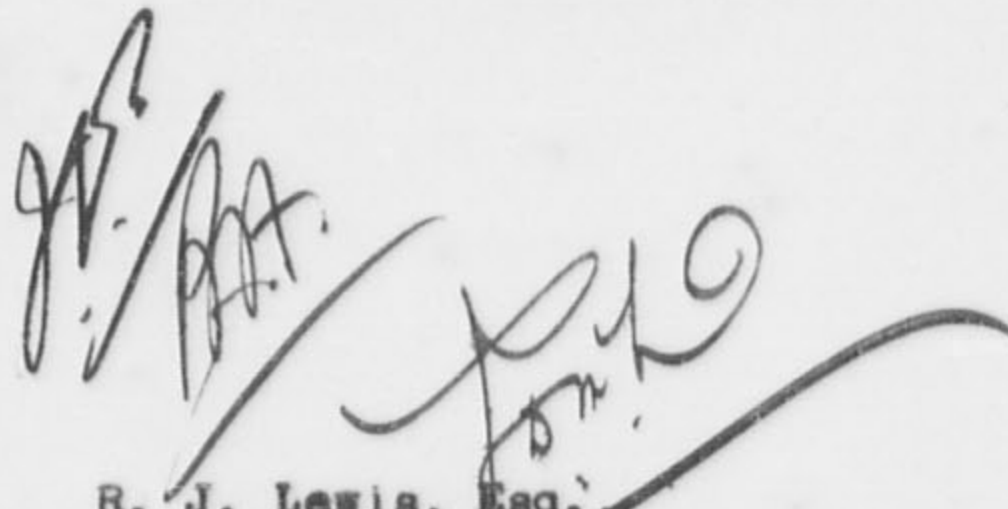
I beg to refer you to official letters of January 22nd and 26th, last, relative to the repairs and alterations required to the toilets at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School. In this connection we understand that the work has been completed as regards the boys' toilets, but that new toilets are required for the use of the girls. As the Department is anxious to have satisfactory toilet accommodation provided for the use of the girls at this school during the present summer, I have to request that you will furnish a report as soon as possible, stating what work you would advise be undertaken. It would be advisable for you to consult Miss Fex, who is at present at the Spanish Indian Residential School, and ascertain from her definitely what is required. You should furnish an estimate of the cost of any work that you would advise be undertaken.

There is also the question of a water supply for this school and teachers' residence. In this connection I would refer you to the last paragraph of our letter of February 19th, last. Please furnish a report as to what you would recommend be done to obtain a water supply and the approximate cost of having the work done.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.


R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Susan A. Fox.....

DATE	AMOUNT
1926	
July 5	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-6-3 dated November 21st, 1925. Payments made for prizes awarded to pupils in the Junior class-room at the Wikwemikong Day School
June 14	To 5 Colored Hdks' .27
	" 2 Pencil Boxes .10 .20 2 glass Cups .10 .20 .40
	" 3 Yds Ribbon .30 .90 3 Barretts .10 .30 1 .20
	" 2 Combs .15 .25 1 Knife .25 .50
	" 1 Knife .25 1 Mouth Organ .25 .50
	" 1 Change Purse .25 3 Asst Balloons .25 .50
	" 1 Trumpet Kazoo .15 1 Sponge Ball .20 .35
	" 1 Pocket Comb .20 1 Toy Watch .25 .45
	" 1 Set Sweater Pons .25 1 Silver Brooch .25 .50
	" 2 Sets Jacks .15 .30 3 Piece Garden Set .25 .55
	" 2 Bags Marbles .10 .20 1 Bat & Ball .25 .45
	" 4 Hdks' .25 Candy .08 .33
	Total;- \$ 6.00

MAIL ORDER DEPARTMENT

Miss Susan A. Fox.

Wikwemikong.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

Ont,

THE T. EATON CO. LIMITED
TORONTO AND WINNIPEG
AND CANADA

BUYING OFFICES:
LONDON, ENGLAND, 152/5 QUEEN VICTORIA ST. E.C. 4.
MANCHESTER, ENGLAND, ORIENT HOUSE, GRAHAM ST.
LEICESTER, ENGLAND, 1 BOWLING GREEN STREET.
BELFAST, IRELAND, 40/8 SCOTTISH TERNERANCE BLVD.
PARIS, FRANCE, 103 RUE LAFAYETTE.
NEW YORK, U.S.A. EVERETT 512/9-45 EAST 17TH ST.
MONTREAL, CANADA, CARON 512/9-2000 BLVD ST.

TORONTO, June 14th. 1926

Junior Room.

(1) 35

2076-13/10/24-25m-M.O. Supply.

5	Col. Hdks.	27
2	Pencil Bxs.	20
2	Glass Cups	20
3	Yds Ribbon	90
3	Barretts	30
2	Combs.	25
1	Knife	25
1	Knife	25
1	Mouth Organ	25
1	Change Purse	25
8	Asst. Balloons	25
1	Trumpet Kazoo	15
1	Sponge Ball	20
1	Pocket Comb	20
1	Toy Watch	25
1	Set Sweater Pons	25
1	Silver Brooch	25
2	Sets Jacks	30
3	Pie ce Garden Set,	25
2	Bag Marbles	20
1	Bat & Ball	25
4	Hdks.	25

Total. Candy \$5. 33
Total. \$6. 00

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Per *Chambers*

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Susan A. Fox

DATE		AMOUNT
1926		
July 5	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-6-5 dated November 21st, 1925.	
June 14	Payments made for prizes awarded pupils in Senior class-room at Wikwemikong School	
	To 1 knife .40	.50
	" 2 Sponge Balls .20	.25
	" 2 Jack Stone .15	.30
	" 1 Bat & Ball .25	.25
	" 2 Kazoo .15	.30
	" 4 Barretts .38	.38
	" 3 Pins .05	.15
	" 1 Toy Watch 1.25	1.25
	" 2 Pencil Boxes .10	.20
	2 Garden Sets .25	.50
	2 Bags Marbles .10	.20
	1 Bell .08	.08
	1 Mouth Organ .25	.25
	1 Necklace 1.00	1.00
	2 Beads .10	.20
	3 Asst. Hdkf's .29	.87
	Total:-	\$ 6.00

MAIL ORDER DEPARTMENT

M Miss Susan A. Fox.

Wikwemikong

Ont.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

THE T. EATON CO. LIMITED
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 BELFAST, IRELAND, 47/9 SCOTTISH TEMPERANCE BLDG.
 PARIS, FRANCE, 103 RUE LAFAYETTE.
 NEW YORK, U.S.A., EVERETT BLDG., 45 EAST 17TH ST.
 MONTREAL, CANADA, CARON BLDG., 2050 BLVD. ST.

TORONTO, June, 14th. 1926

Senior Room.

2676-13/10/24-23m M.O. Supply.

1	Knife	25
2	Sponge Balls	40
2	Garden Sets.	50
2	Jack Stone	30
2	Bags Marbles	20
1	Bat & Ball	25
1	Bell	8
2	Kazoo	30
1	Mouth Organ	25
4	Barretts	38
1	Necklace	1 00
3	Pins	15
2	Beads	20
1	Toy Watch	1 25
2	Pencil Boxes.	20
	Total	6 00.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
July 5th, 1926.

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Sir:-

With reference to Official Letter No. 19-6-5 dated November 21st, last, I have the honour to enclose herewith Vouchers, in duplicate, accompanied by receipts, in favour of Miss Susan A. Fox, amounting to \$12.00, for payments made The T. Eaton Company of Toronto, for articles purchased for prizes awarded to the pupils in the Junior and Senior class-rooms at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School for March and June quarters, last.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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Wikwemikong Day School

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Susan A. Fey.

DATE		AMOUNT
1926		
July	5	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 19-6-5 dated February 19th, 1926.
June	29	To Carrying of water for use at Wikwemikong School and teacher's residence during June quarter 1926 \$ 3.25

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

in account with

Susan A. Fey

Wikwemikong, Ont.

June 29, 1926

Carrying of water for quarter ended June 30th = 3.25

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

R. J. Lewis
Agent.

19-6-5

Let. No. 154-5-31,



Office of the Manitowaning Indian Agency,

July 5th, 1926.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....



amounting to \$ 3.25 in favour

of Susan A. Fox

for carrying water for use at Wikwemikong School
and teacher's residence during June quarter 1926.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 19-6-5 dated February 19th, 1926.

Your obedient servant,

R. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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154-3-21. Indian Office, Manitowaning,
July 31st, 1926.

Sir:-

In reply to Official Letter No. 19-6-5 of the 28th of June, last, relating to the question of providing satisfactory toilet accommodation for the girls at Wikwemikong School, and also the question of a water supply for this school and teacher's residence, I have the honour to report to the effect that as the toilets in use by the girls are not satisfactory to the teachers new buildings will have to be erected as it will cost more to remodel the old buildings than to erect new ones. The old buildings have been in use for a great number of years and the material of which they are constructed is of very little value. In order to erect a suitable building with five different compartments the cost of the same will be approximately \$250. If there is to be a change in the toilet accommodation for the girls I would recommend a new building be erected.

The only means of procuring a water supply for this school is to have a well installed and if this means is carried out it will have to be drilled quite deep in order to get below the surface water. At the present time there is a well at this school equipped with a new pump, but the water is not fit for drinking purpose. Judging from the location where the school is situate the prospects of obtaining a supply of good water is not very bright but it can be given a test and it may prove a success. To have a drilling outfit moved to Wikwemikong and have this work carried out I estimate it will cost at least \$300.

Your obedient servant,

R. Hewes
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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3 compartments
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*In action
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19-6-5.

154-3-21.

Ottawa, July 26th, 1926.

Sir:

E. X.

I have your letter of the 21st instant, relative to the providing of toilet accommodation for the girls at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School, and giving an estimate of the cost of erecting a new building with 5 different compartments.

In this connection it is noted that it would cost more to remodel the present closets than to erect a new one. It is considered, however, that if a building having 3 compartments were erected it would provide ample accommodation, and I have to request that you will ask for prices for the erection of a building for toilet purposes having 3 compartments only. Any material in the old building which would be of use might be used in the construction of the new toilet for the girls. Kindly reply giving the information asked for as to the cost involved as soon as possible.

Relative to the deepening of the present well, I beg to say that the Department is not prepared to incur the expenditure required in having a drilling outfit drill the present well to a greater depth, as it is very doubtful if a good supply of water could be obtained. The present arrangement for the providing of water for the use of the school will have to be continued.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.


F. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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154-5-31. Indian Office, Manitowaning,
July 30th, 1926.

Sir:-

I am in receipt of Official Letter No. 19-6-5 of the 26th, instant, with further reference to the cost of erecting suitable toilet accommodation for the girls at the Wikwemikong School, and in reply I have the honour to report that in order to erect a suitable building with three compartments the cost will be approximately \$175. Building material in this district is very high and the material in the old building is of little value as the building has been in use for over thirty years.

This building will be erected by day labour, and the work carried out as cheaply as possible.

Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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154-5-31.

Ottawa, August 5th, 1926.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 30th ultimo, giving an estimate of the cost of erecting a suitable toilet with three compartments for the girls at the Wikwemikong Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say that you may arrange to have this toilet erected by day labour under the charge of a competent foreman. You should arrange for the purchase, after obtaining competitive prices if possible, of all material required. Proper time sheets should be kept for the labour employed, and certified vouchers should be forwarded covering the cost of the material. Any material of value in the old building should be utilized as far as possible in the erection of the new toilet. This work should be carried out as cheaply as possible, and it is hoped that it will cost less than your estimate of approximately \$175.00.

Please arrange to have this work started at an early date, as it is hoped to have it ready when the school reopens after the present summer holidays.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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REQUISITION FOR SCHOOL MATERIAL

For *Nikwemikong Indian Day School* on *Manitoulin Island, Ontario*
 Reserve in *Manitowaning* Agency
 Date *August 2nd* 19*26*.

ARTICLES	NO. ON HAND	DATE OF LAST RECEIPT	NO. REQUIRED	NO. AUTHORIZED	REMARKS
Scotch Fingering yarn	none	Jan. 1926	3 lb.		J. Eaton Co. Ltd.
Shirham for aprons	"		30 yd.		Toronto, Ont.
White linen	"	Sept. 1925	2 "		J. Eaton Co. Ltd.

Address to which above supplies are to be sent:

Name *Susan A. Fay*
 School *Nikwemikong Indian Day*
 Post Office (nearest) *Nikwemikong*
 Express Office (nearest) *Little Current*
 Province *Ontario*

Number of Pupils on Roll *81*
 do in 1st Standard *42*
 do in 2nd do *8*
 do in 3rd do *4*
 do in 4th do *20*
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NOTE.—To avoid delay and correspondence in filling Requisitions, the teacher should give full particulars regarding each article required. The name, series, number of grade and name of author and publisher of all books required should be given as fully as possible.

Susan A. Fay
 Teacher

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have examined this requisition, and that the articles asked for by the teacher are necessary and are such as are in use in the Provincial schools.

R. J. Hewes
 Indian Supt. or Agent.

A separate form to be used for each school

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
August 3rd, 1926.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a requisition for material for the use of the sewing class at the Wikwemikong Day School.

The articles made from this material by the pupils will be on exhibit at the Rural School Fair held in the fall.

Your obedient servant,



Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa, August 9th, 1926.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 3rd instant, enclosing a requisition from the teacher of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School for sewing material.

In reply I beg to say that the Department will approve of the purchase of the following material: -

3 Lbs. Scotch Fingering Yarn,
30 Yds. Gingham,
2 Yds. White Linen.

It would be advisable for you to inform Miss Fox, the teacher, that authority has been granted for the purchase of the above supplies and allow her to select the materials and make the purchase. She can obtain itemized accounts covering the cost and hand them to you and you should attach them to proper voucher forms, certify in the usual manner, and send them to the Department when payment will be made.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R. J. Lewis
R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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In requisition dated June 30th, the teacher
of the Wikwemikong Indian Day school requests the
following desks:-

- 12 Single Desks # 2.
- 4 Rear Seats #2.
- 2 " " #3.
- 4 Front Seats # 2.
- 2 " " #3.

The desks at present in the school were pur-
chased from the Globe Furniture Co.

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Ottawa, August 19th, 1926.

Gentlemen:

Please quote your lowest price F.O.B. Little Current, Ont., via all rail, or to Manitowaning by boat from Owen Sound, for the supplying of the following single school desks required for the use of the Wikwemikong Indian Day School:

12	Single Desks No. 2,
4	" Rear Seats, No. 2,
2	" " " No. 3,
4	" Front Seats, No. 2,
2	" " " No. 3.

In this connection I would refer you to our letter of August 23rd, 1924, and your reply thereto of the 26th of the same month, relative to the shipment of a number of desks ordered at that time.

Yours very truly,

Sgt. F. H. Paget

F. H. Paget,
Accountant & Purchasing Agent.

Globe Furniture Co. Ltd.,
Waterloo,
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Waterloo, Ontario,
August 20th, 1926.

Mr. F. H. Paget,
Accountant & Purchasing Agent,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir:-

Ref. 19-6-5

We acknowledge, with thanks, receipt of your
letter of August the 19th.

We will supply the following desks listed
below f.o.b. cars Little Current, or Manitowaning, sales
tax included; desks to be shipped k.d.:-



12	#2	Globe #101	Steel	Single	Desks	7.65	91.80
4	#2	"	"	"	Rears	6.75	27.00
2	#3	"	"	"	"	6.75	13.50
4	#2	"	"	"	Fronts	6.75	27.00
2	#3	"	"	"	"	6.75	13.50

\$ 172.80

The desks will be supplied in all cherry
color woods to match those already supplied the above school.

In your letter you call for "12 Single Desks
No. 21". We have made our quotation read 12 desks #2 as
we have no No. 21. If we are not correct please advise
when ordering the desks.

The desks shipped in 1924 went forward via
Lake & Rail to Owen Sound to Manitowaning.

Should we receive your order we assure you
the same will receive our prompt attention. Thanking you,
we are,

Yours very truly,
THE GLOBE FURNITURE CO. LIMITED,

B. Skelton
Sales Department.

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TO THE COMPANY AND NOT TO INDIVIDUALS.

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